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recognizes Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I won't prolong this. I want to make it clear why I said all that I said. When those who ask Senator Brashear to bring this bill, look at how easily he got it through, I don't want them to think that it was a cake walk. I want them to know that he did a lot of very hard work, but he did it away from the floor. We could have had a virtual bloodletting on this floor, as sometimes happens, and I think he will agree with that. So they should not get the idea that he can always produce what was produced this morning. And I want them to know this was not a cake walk for Senator Brashear or, if it was that, he'll feel like he was sliced, diced and handled in a way that no human being should be handled by another.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator. Seeing no further discussion, Chair recognizes Senator Brashear to close on the advancement of LB 40.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Mr. President, members of the body, I stand to assure you that this was not a cake walk, and I have been sliced, diced, and otherwise, and I appreciate that we have produced a result which I believe is good for the people and good for the body, and I urge the advancement. Thank you.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Brashear. The motion before us is the advancement of LB 40 to E & R Initial. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Have all senators who intend to vote voted? Have all senators voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 1 nay on the advancement of LB 40.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. LB 40 is advanced to E & R Initial. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LB 46, by Senator Brashear. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 7, referred to the Judiciary Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments, Mr. President.