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thought it would occur just on the lethal injection bill but he's got other bills with his name on them and we'll see what happens then. But I'm in support of the committee amendment. I'm in support of any amendment Senator Thompson offers, and I will support the bill itself.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Brashear, your light is on but there are no other lights on. Did you wish to...Senator Brashear, your light is on. Did you wish to talk on the committee amendments? There are no further lights on. Did you wish to close on the committee amendments?

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Yes, Mr. President, members of the body. I would simply urge the adoption of the committee amendments. That will allow the bill to go forward. We can take other amendments. We can get the bill in the shape that it should be in as we've represented in the discussion today. I urge the adoption. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator. The question before the body is, shall the committee amendments to LB 153 be adopted. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted who care to? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of committee amendments.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The committee amendments are adopted. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Thompson would move to amend with AM1952. (Legislative Journal page 326.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Thompson, you're recognized to open on your amendment.

SENATOR THOMPSON: The amendment basically changes the dates. This bill was introduced last year and so the dates are out of sync. We also extended it a little bit. Having been on a few of these task forces with short time frames, I've learned my lesson and I think this will allow us a few more months to be able to meet so we don't have to meet twice a month, and I think