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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. We will...we will move LB 419 to the bottom of Select File. Mr. Clerk, LB 626.

CLERK: The first item, Mr. President, are Enrollment and Review amendments, Senator Smith. (AM7173, Legislative Journal page 399.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Mr. President, I move the adoption of E & R amendments to LB 626.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Motion is to adopt the E & R amendments to LB 626. Those in favor say aye. Those opposed nay. The amendments are agreed to.

CLERK: Senator Beutler would move to amend with AM2108, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Lieutenant Governor Maurstad, members of the Legislature, this amendment I withdraw as it is being rolled into Senator Brashear's amendment, which will be forthcoming shortly.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Without objection, it's withdrawn.

CLERK: Senator Beutler, AM2129, Senator. (AM2129, Legislative Journal page 428.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Lieutenant Governor Maurstad, members of the Legislature, this is a little clean-up amendment. Both of the amendments that I put forth on this particular bill had to do with the subject of punitive damages. As those of you who have been here in previous years' debate know, the Constitution of the state of Nebraska prohibits punitive damages, sometimes called triple damages or treble damages, and so that provision is being eliminated in the Trademark Act that Senator Brashear is proposing. But the amendment before you right at this minute