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SENATOR CUDABACK: As Chairman of the General Affairs Committee, Senator Janssen, you're recognized to open on the report.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, on February 2, the General Affairs Committee heard some appointments to the Liquor Commission and the Arts Council. The Liquor Commission appointee was...she is a reappointment. Her name is Rhonda Flower. She's been on the commission since 1999 and she is from Gering, Nebraska. She is an attorney in Scottsbluff and a member of various professional associations in the state and in the city of Gering. I have known this reappointment for the last five years and have been on various meetings and so on. She is a fine member of that commission and adds a lot to it. With that, I would offer her reappointment to you for your confirmation. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Janssen. You've heard the opening on the confirmation report. Any senator wishing to speak? Seeing nobody wishing to speak, Senator Janssen, do you wish to close? He waives the opportunity to close. The question before the body is the confirmation report offered by the General Affairs Committee. All in favor of the report vote aye, those opposed nay. Have you all voted on the confirmation report who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote, Legislative Journal pages 523-524.)
29 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the approval of the confirmation report.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The confirmation report was adopted.
Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, the second report involving appointments to the Nebraska Arts Council, report offered by the General Affairs Committee. (Legislative Journal page 502.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Janssen, to open.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Also on February 2, last Monday we heard the three reappointments for