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asks for your support for Mr. Shepard's confirmation to the Public Employees Retirement Board. The committee recommends these three outstanding individuals to the Public Employees Retirement Board, and asks for your support for their confirmation. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Stuhr. You've heard the opening on the confirmation report offered by the Health...or the Retirement Systems Committee. Open for discussion on that report. Anybody wishing to discuss the report offered by the Retirement Committee? Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback and members of the Legislature. I would like to echo the accolades that Senator Stuhr brought to you on Mr. Mark Shepard. I've known Mr. Shepard for quite some time now. He has done an excellent job administrating the duties of the Fremont Public School system. I don't believe there could have been a better choice, especially from...in the area that I represent, to be on that retirement committee; very knowledgeable young man. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Janssen. Any further discussion on the confirmation report of Retirement Committee? Seeing no lights on, Senator Stuhr, did you wish to close? She waives the opportunity to close. The question before the body is adoption of the confirmation report offered by the Retirement Committee. All in favor vote aye; opposed, nay. The question before the body is adoption of the confirmation report offered by the Retirement Committee. Have you all voted who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Record vote, Legislative Journal pages 354-355.) 36 ayes, 0 mays on the adoption of the report, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Report has been adopted. Now go to...Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, the next report is offered by the Health and Human Services Committee. That's found in the Journal on page 327.