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qualified candidates. I would urge your support. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Raikes. You've heard the opening on report number two offered by the Education Committee. Open for discussion on that report. Senator Engel, report number two.

SENATOR ENGEL: Mr. President, I know Mr. Peterson very well. He's very well qualified for this position, and he's very community-minded. He's very interested in education in the state of Nebraska and northeast Nebraska, and I think he's the right man for the job.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Engel. Further discussion on report number two by the Education Committee? Seeing no lights on, Senator Raikes. He waives his opportunity to close. The question before the body is, shall report number two be adopted by the...from the Education Committee? All in favor vote aye; opposed, nay. The question before the body is, shall the confirmation report number two adopted from the Education Committee? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: (Record vote, Legislative Journal pages 489-490.)
28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the report.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The report has been adopted. Mr. Clerk, next report.

CLERK: General Affairs Committee offers a report regarding the appointments of Riley George and Tom Ourada to the State Electrical Board. (Legislative Journal page 466.)

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

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature. On Monday, February 7, General Affairs Committee heard two appointments to the State Electrical Board. The first one was Mr. Riley George. He's a reappointment but he was unable to be there because of the weather. Senator Baker testified in his behalf, and he is from Lexington, and has