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March 23, 2005 LB 65A, 121, 273, 288A, 361, 438A, 739 LR 65

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Call-in votes, please, Senator.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Synowiecki has accepted call-in votes. Anyone wishing to vote on the subject may do so now. Senator Synowiecki has accepted call-in votes.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Erdman voting yes. Senator Bourne voting yes. Senator Janssen voting yes. Senator Stuthman voting yes. Senator Schrock voting yes. Senator Howard voting yes. Senator Cornett, had voted yes, Senator. Senator Pahls voting yes. Senator Louden voting yes. Senator Langemeier voting yes. Senator Foley voting yes. Senator Aguilar voting yes.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Record please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 25 ayes, 6 nays on the adoption of Senator Synowiecki's amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The amendment has been agreed to. (Visitors introduced.) I do raise the call. Items for the record, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, new A bills. (Read LB 288A, LB 65A and LB 438A by title for the first time.) Amendments to be printed to LB 273 by Senators Beutler and Chambers; an amendment to be printed by Senator Louden to LB 121; Senator Chambers has an amendment to LB 739; Senator Friend to LB 361. New resolution by Senator Byars, LR 65, requesting Congress to ensure a stable, high-quality direct support work force for individuals with mental retardation; and a letter from Senator Brashear referring that resolution to the Reference Committee for referral to an appropriate standing committee. An announcement from Senator Landis that the Revenue Committee will meet in Executive Session today at 1:30; that's Revenue at 1:30, Room 1524. Senator Mines (sic) would like to add his name to LB 273; Senator Stuthman to LB 273; Senator Chambers to LB 361. (Legislative Journal pages 988-993.)

Finally, a priority motion: Senator Stuthman would move to