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March 29, 2005 LB 150

Mr. President, I have a priority motion. Senator Pahls would move to recess until 1:30 p.m.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Heard the motion to recess till 1:30 p.m. All in favor say aye. Opposed, nay. We are recessed.

RECESS

SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Good afternoon. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Senators, our afternoon session is about to reconvene. Please check in. Convene, reconvene, rather. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Mr. Clerk, any items for the record?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Not at this time.

SENATOR CUDABACK: I would like to make an announcement. (Visitors introduced.) Mr. Clerk, where we when we left off for lunch?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, prior to recess, the Legislature was considering LB 150. At that time, we had considered an amendment by Senator Beutler, which was adopted. We are now considering a Chambers amendment, AM0967. (Legislative Journal pages 1013-1014.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: On with discussion of the Chambers amendment, AM0967, to LB 150. Senator Kremer, followed by Senators Erdman, Baker, Chambers, and Stuthman. Senator Kremer.

SENATOR KREMER: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. I kind of, the last time I spoke, talked a little bit about the