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FLOOR DEBATE

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In the amendment that will come before us to vote before the A bill, Section 1 appropriates to the Department of Economic Development an additional 20 cents for the documentary stamp tax increase. That will be additional funds that will go to the Affordable Housing Trust fund. In Section 2, it will appropriate \$2 million from the Behavioral Health Services Fund, and that is to reflect the 30-cent increase that we have there designated for rental assistance. In Section 3, it appropriates \$100,000 for Fiscal Year '04-05 and '05-06, and that...or, excuse me, one-time \$100,000, and that is so that we have some seed money to put into rental assistance through the first two months while we are waiting for the doc stamp funds to come in and generate the ongoing funds needed. And in Section 4, it appropriates \$1,845,000 of Fiscal Year '04-05, and that would be the remainder of that \$2 million one-time money. And the emergency clause is in Section 5. I ask for your advancement of the amendment and the bill.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Redfield. Mr. Clerk, for the record, we introduced the amendment?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Senator Redfield offers AM1259.

SENATOR CUDABACK: And you have opened on that, Senator Redfield? We are now debating the amendment, AM1259, to LB 40A. Open for discussion on the amendment first. Seeing no lights on, Senator Redfield, did you wish to...she waives closing. The question before the body is adoption of AM1259, offered by Senator Redfield to LB 40A. All in favor vote aye; those opposed, nay. Have you all voted on the amendment who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, on the adoption of AM1259.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The amendment has been adopted. Anything further on the bill, Mr. Clerk?

ASSISTANT CLERK: Nothing further, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Discussion on advancement of LB 40A? Seeing no lights on, Senator Redfield. She waives opportunity to