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CPACS building; and renovation of Sparks Hall at Chadron. So I would say that I would be glad to answer any questions concerning these various projects. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: As stated by the Clerk, there are committee amendments. Chairman of the Committee, Appropriations, you're recognized to open, Senator Pederson.

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: As has been the case in prior bills that I've been talking about this morning, there were changes that took place from the initial proposal. And those are all embodied in the amendment. And in a sense, the amendment now becomes the bill itself. So with that, I would close my discussion. And if you wish to ask any questions or make comment, I would be glad to handle them. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Pederson. You've heard the opening on AM1284. Open for discussion. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. Senator Pederson, this is one of our long days. And I'm expected to be worn out by the time we get into the posterior portions of the day. So the more work that I can be made to do early on, the greater likelihood there is that I'll be worn out and have no gas left. But we should proceed. Because for all I know, as I often point out to raise my colleagues' spirit in order that they won't be depressed at the prospect of a long, dragging, difficult day, the world could end before noon today. But here's the question I would ask of Senator Pederson. Senator Pederson, on page 22 of the committee amendment, Section 37 deals with Agency number 51. That's the University of Nebraska. Is that correct?

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: That's correct.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: And as I look through this, I cannot grasp everything right now. And by the way, I'm not going to ask to divide this question.

SENATOR D. PEDERSON: Thank you.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: So don't worry about that. That comes later.