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LB 40, 332A

payments. The first, \$250,000, in the year 2005-2006; and the second, \$250,000, to year 2006-07. The amendment is in response to a request from the administration not to draw the Health Care Funds too low at one point in time. And it's easier for them to budget to separate those into two years. We were originally going to do the \$500,000 over a two-year period. But this basically puts \$250,000 in each year. So basically, it's a simple amendment, doesn't change any of the dollars. It just changes the way they're going to report the amendment. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator McDonald. You've heard the opening on the McDonald amendment, AM1697. Open for discussion. Senator McDonald, there are no lights on. Senator McDonald waives closing. The question before the body is adoption of the McDonald amendment, AM1697 to LB 332A. All in favor vote aye; opposed, nay. We're voting on the adoption of the McDonald amendment, AM1697. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator McDonald's amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The McDonald amendment has been adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Flood, for a motion, please.

SENATOR FLOOD: Mr. President, I move the advancement of LB 332A to E & R for engrossing.

SENATOR CUDABACK: You've heard the motion to advance LB 332A to E & R for engrossing. All in favor say aye. Discussion? Seeing none, nay? Seeing none, LB 332A is advanced. Mr. Clerk, we now move on to Select File, 2005 senator priority bills, the Redfield division. First bill, LB 40.

CLERK: LB 40, Mr. President, has been considered on Select File. Enrollment and Review amendments have been adopted, as has an amendment by Senators Redfield and Preister. Senator