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that there is personal security for them and for their families. This has come about because of the crisis in attracting direct care staff, and has become an issue not only in Nebraska but across the United States. Congressman Lee Terry and Congressman Lois Capps from California have recognized this and have introduced legislation in this Congress to deal with this issue. I would ask the members of the body, as we all are familiar with this issue, to resolve to our congressional delegation to be supportive of this issue and to ensure that we give as much support as possible to a direct support work force. And I would ask your approval of the resolution.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Byars. You heard the opening on LR 65 by Senator Byars. Open for discussion. Anybody wishing to speak to the resolution? There are no lights on, Senator Byars. Senator Byars waives closing. The question before the body is adoption of LR 65. All in favor vote aye; opposed vote nay. Voting on adoption of the LR 65, presented by Senator Byars. Have you all voted on adoption of the resolution who care to? Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 32 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of LR 65.

SENATOR CUDABACK: LR 65 has been adopted. We now go to the last resolution for the morning, LR 230. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: LR 230, Mr. President, a resolution originally introduced by Senator Synowiecki, found on page 1689 of the Legislative Journal, introduced on May 20 of 2005.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Synowiecki, to open on LR 230.

SENATOR SYNOWIECKI: Thank you, Senator Cudaback. Members, LR 230 was brought to me by a group called the Polish American Congress. LR 230 urges the United States government to include the country of Poland in the United States Department of State's Visa Waiver Program. Inclusion of Poland within this Visa Waiver Program will allow Polish citizens the ability to travel to the United States for business or pleasure for up to 90 days without requiring the formalities of acquiring a visa. In 1991,