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LR 263-267

Preister, the house is under call. All members are present or accounted for. There has been a request for a roll call vote. Mr. Clerk, when you get time, please call the roll on the question to recommit LB 454 to the Judiciary Committee, recommit rather.

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken, Legislative Journal page 286.)
3 ayes, 32 nays, Mr. President, on the motion.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion was not successful, and I do raise the call. Mr. Clerk, please, items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 1042-1045 by title for the first time.) New resolutions: LR 263 by Senator Flood; Senator Pahls, LR 264; Senator Beutler, LR 265; Senator Heidemann, LR 266; Senator Heidemann, LR 267. All those will be laid over. (Legislative Journal pages 287-289.)

Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to reconsider the vote just taken with respect to recommitting LB 454 to the Judiciary Committee.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, you're recognized to open on the motion stated by the Clerk.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. It is said by some that those huge dinosaurs had two brains, because their body was so large that the brain in their head couldn't control adequately the back parts of the body. So there was a brain in the front and a brain in the back, and I guess whatever it didn't catch with a forethought, it would catch with an afterthought. But I want to give us a chance to think twice about this, and I know the outcome in advance. But as I stated this morning, I'm merely passing time, and we are poisoning the well. Never have we had this kind of a situation so early in the session, and I think it's time for me to be prepared to deliver on what I've said, that when these kinds of terrible, atrocious, detrimental pieces of legislation that go against the public good are moved across the board because an outside special interest group which cares nothing about the people in this state, then I've got to do everything I can to make sure we