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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President. My time may be running, but I'm going to have a bit of consultation.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, how much time do I have left?

SENATOR CUDABACK: You used about one and a half minutes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. And, Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I assure you that it was...that one and a half minute was a period of time well used. The Speaker brought something to my attention. I'm going to give it additional consideration. And such being the case, I will be like those court proceedings which, when a certain document is filed, any action that had been ordered will be stayed pending the outcome of that action. I'm going to follow that practice, and withdraw the pending amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: FA389 is withdrawn. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would offer FA390. (Legislative Journal page 555.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, to open on FA390.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Legislature. There was a song by Lou Rawls, and he sang introduction. He talked to these...this person and said, hand me down my walkin' cane; I'm going to take a little stroll down memory lane. And then he sang a song. So I'm just going to take a little stroll this morning. What this amendment does, on page 19, line 11, I would move to strike the word "in" and substitute the words "required by." This is the language that we find now, page 19, beginning in line 10: "Further, the increased educational standards in LB"...whatever it turns out to be... "are due to the changes" and so forth. It says, the standards "in" the bill. If you go up to lines 6 and 7 on the same page, you'll find these words: "The Legislature finds that changes to the Real Property Appraiser Act made by LB," blank blank blank; not made "in." And I do think that construction,