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that Senator Chambers will not shake hands. I don't want you all sneezing on me. I don't want you coughing on me. If you cough and cover your cough with your hands and touch a piece of paper, don't give me the piece of paper. I'm going to be more cautious than Howard Hughes was. I want to be around here One of these days I'm going to explain to the awhile longer. new people here about the fact that I actually expired 14 years ago, but then give the explanation of why I'm still walking and talking and behaving as though I am as much alive as the rest of you. That's why, when I go for a checkup, they can find no heartbeat, they can find no pulse, they can find no indication that blood is moving in my system. Dead for 14 years and have more life than those who've never spent a moment dead. You all need to think about that. But even though I'm in that status, I am not going to do anything that will increase the risk of my falling down dead, even though right now I'm walking upright dead. Thank you, Mr. President. And again, I want to thank Senators Kremer and Combs.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. On with discussion, AM2214. Senator Kremer, there are no lights on. Senator Kremer waives closing. Question before the body is, shall AM2214 be adopted to the committee amendments? All in favor vote aye; opposed vote nay. Voting on adoption of the Kremer amendment to the committee amendments to LB 856. Voting on AM2214. Have you all voted who care to? Please record, Mr. Clerk.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: The Kremer amendment has been adopted. Anything further on the committee amendment, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Nothing further, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Back to discussion of the committee amendments themselves, presented by the Agriculture Committee to LB 856. Senator Kremer, there are no lights on. You're recognized to close.