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pediatrics at University of Nebraska Medical Center. Third is James Gordon, a new appointment for a three-year term; an attorney and community volunteer from Lincoln; graduate of University of Nebraska College of Law; has the distinction of being the son of one of the Capitol's most famous individuals, Sally Gordon. Number four is Gene Klein, a new appointment for a two-year term; executive director of Project Harmony in Omaha; former Nebraska regional director for Family Service of Greater Nebraska; a certified master social worker and licensed mental health practitioner. Fifth is Joellen McGinn, a reappointment to a two-year term; a pharmacist living in Lincoln; local foster care review board member; former staff pharmacist and department head at UNL Health Center. Unable to appear in person, Senator Beutler appeared in support of her confirmation. Sixth, Judy Meyer...or Meter, excuse me, a new appointment for a one-year term; financial counselor from Gering; on the board of directors of Scottsbluff-Gering Chamber. And she was unable to appear in person; Senator Smith appeared in support of her confirmation. Next is Mary Jo Pankoke, a new appointment for a four-year term from Lincoln; executive director of Nebraska Children and Families Foundation; previously served as an administrator of HHS Child Protective Service Program, 23 years with HHS. Unable to appear in person, Senator Schimek appeared in support of her confirmation. Eighth was Mario Scalora, a new appointment for a three-year term. He's a clinical psychologist, an assistant professor of psychology at the University of Nebraska here in Lincoln. Ninth, Gerald Schenck, a reappointment for a three-year term; a retired state trooper from Grand Island; born in St. Paul, Nebraska; member of the local foster care review board since 1998 and area board chairman. Tenth, Georgina Scurfield, a new appointment for a three-year term; social worker in Sarpy County; CASA director; lives in Papillion. She has a master's degree in social work from UNO. And last, Burrell Williams, a reappointment for a one-year term; middle school principal from Omaha. Unable to appear in person, Senator Dwite Pedersen appeared in support of his confirmation. Those are the 11 individuals to the Foster Care Review Board. I would ask for their confirmation. Thank you, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Chairman Jensen. You've heard the opening on the third report offered by the Health and Human