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someone would be driving this vehicle. I urge the adoption of FA481. Thank you, and any other time that I have--it is actually Senator Beutler's time, I guess, if he wants it back.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, did you wish to have your time back? He does not wish to. (Visitors introduced.) You've heard the opening on FA481, offered by Senator Beutler to the Baker amendment. Open for discussion. Senator Baker. Senator Baker waives his time. Any further discussion on the Beutler amendment, FA481? Do not see anyone wishing to speak. Senator Beutler, you may close. He waives closing. The question before the body is adoption of FA481 to the Baker amendment. All in favor vote aye; opposed vote nay. The issue before the body is the motion by Senator Beutler to amend the Baker amendment, AM2348. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 33 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of Senator Beutler's amendment to Senator Baker's amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The Beutler amendment has been adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further pending to Senator Baker's amendment at this time, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: We are back to the Baker amendment. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. President, I didn't want to prolong debate on Senator Beutler's amendment, but now I want to ask him a question. He voted for cloture and all those other things, so now he and I are going to have a little set-to and get with it. Senator Beutler, I notice in your amendment it says--by the way, I voted for it and I like it--an emergency declared by the federal government or by the state of Nebraska. Senator Beutler, in your contemplation, could Ernie Chambers be declared a state emergency?

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator, I'm retrieving the amendment here. Could you be declared a state emergency? By the federal government or by the state of Nebraska?