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SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Baker, to open.

SENATOR BAKER: Thank you, Mr. President, and members. Our last confirmation to the Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards is Mr. Arthur Yonkey. He resides in Hickman, Nebraska. His background is he attended Lincoln High School, University of Nebraska, graduated in 1960 with a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering. He is the representative from...one of the representatives, I believe, from the Department of Roads that is actually on this. He is a long-time employee of the Nebraska Department of Roads and has "lended" his experience and expertise to this committee. He's a reappointment and he's been representing the Nebraska Department of Roads on this board since 1993. I'd be glad to answer any questions anyone may have about Mr. Arthur Yonkey. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Baker. Senator Loudon. I do not see Senator Loudon on the floor. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I would like to ask Senator Baker some questions.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Baker, would you yield?

SENATOR BAKER: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Baker, you said this gentleman also is a civil engineer as was Mr. Gene Acklie, correct?

SENATOR BAKER: Correct.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Where did Mr. Yonkey take his degree?

SENATOR BAKER: The University of Nebraska, I'm assuming Lincoln.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Okay. How long has he been a civil engineer, if you know?