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of the amendment, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion was not successful. The amendment was not adopted. I do raise the call. Mr. Clerk, priority motion.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Chambers would move to reconsider the vote just taken.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Chambers, you're recognized to open on your reconsideration motion.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the Legislature. I think I'm going to begin by asking Senator Flood a question or two.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Flood, would you respond?

SENATOR FLOOD: Yes, Mr. President.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Senator Flood, do you think the laws of the state of Nebraska should be respected by the federal government?

SENATOR FLOOD: Yes, I do.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Do you think the Constitution of the State of Nebraska should be respected by the federal government?

SENATOR FLOOD: Might I have leave to amend my answer...my first answer?

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Certainly.

SENATOR FLOOD: I believe that the federal government should respect the laws of the state of Nebraska, except where our laws are preempted by the federal government, and where the federal government may be on its own federal property, such as an Air Force base similar to Offutt Air Force Base, or any other...

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Accepted.