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my "bankers bank" amendment will be replaced by heartburn and headache by being forced to put Omaha back into this bill and do something which may benefit that city, that unworthy city. But nevertheless, an agreement is an agreement, so I'm going to support bringing the bill back, adopting Senator Beutler's amendment, then I will say aye when time comes to readvance the bill. And whatever time remains I give back to Senator Beutler.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Again, all this amendment would do would be to restore the ability of cities of the metropolitan class to benefit from the bill, so that then all cities, as well as other public...political subdivisions, would be included in the bill at such time as it goes before the people for a vote. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. You've heard the opening on the motion to return. Discussion? Senator Beutler, there are no lights on. Senator Beutler waives closing. The question before the body is, shall LB 75 be returned to Select File for specific amendment? All in favor vote aye; opposed, nay. The question before the body is the motion to return LB 75. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 36 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the motion to return.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The motion was successful. It has been returned. Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Beutler, AM2762.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Beutler, to open on AM2762.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Cudaback, members of the Legislature, I would recommend this amendment to you. Subsequent to taking the city out of this bill, I was reminded on two or three occasions by the city that they wanted to be in this bill. And nine or ten of the Omaha senators fell off of the bill. I think they want the city included also. So I hope you will restore