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thank you. The committee amendments essentially...and I don't have the...my gadget is working through this. These were technical in nature. There were seven, seven pieces of the committee amendment that essentially just brought this...corrected dates, brought things together in order to make LB 1249, if palatable by the body, in order to bring it together from a practical standpoint. So if there were any questions about that, I'd be happy to answer them when the gadget...when I get the gadget in the proper place. But with that, Mr. President, I would conclude. Thank you.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Friend. We're now discussing the Urban Affairs Committee amendments, AM2127. Those speaking: Senator Landis, followed by Senator Friend, Bourne, Redfield, and Janssen. Senator Landis.

SENATOR LANDIS: Would Senator Bourne yield for a question?

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Bourne, would you yield?

SENATOR BOURNE: Certainly.

SENATOR LANDIS: Patrick, inside Omaha, inside the MUD district, MUD is the exclusive provider of natural gas. Is it not?

SENATOR BOURNE: I believe that's accurate.

SENATOR LANDIS: That's right. And they get to control, inside their territory, where their boundary is.

SENATOR BOURNE: I think that's accurate as well.

SENATOR LANDIS: That's right. And who...and they...would it be fair to say they also control their MUD boundaries, those two things are true?

SENATOR BOURNE: Which I think is the extraterritoriality zoning jurisdiction of the city. Is that accurate?

SENATOR LANDIS: Actually, in the statute that I read the other day, it said, and the words were, as far as the board of