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April 10, 2006 LB 854, 965, 1148

CLERK: 41 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the Select File amendment.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The amendment has been adopted. Senator Flood, would you like to make a motion?

SENATOR FLOOD: Mr. President, I move the advancement of LB 1148 to E & R for engrossing.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Been a motion to advance to E & R for engrossing. All in favor say aye. Opposed, nay. It is readvanced. We are passing over LB 57, as per the introducer's request. The Speaker will be putting it back on the agenda at first thing at 1:30, if there are any questions. We will now go to Final Reading, E & R Final, motion to return to Select File for specific amendment. Mr. Clerk, LB 965.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Jensen would move to return LB 965 to Select File for specific amendment, AM3124.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Jensen.

SENATOR JENSEN: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I would like to pass over that amendment right now, if we could. Or, wait a minute.

SENATOR CUDABACK: The Clerk is coming your way. (Visitors and doctor of the day introduced.) We will now go to Senator Cunningham for a motion to return. Senator Cunningham. (AM3151, Legislative Journal pages 1532-1533.)

SENATOR CUNNINGHAM: Thank you, Senator Cudaback and members. What I'm hoping to return for is AM3151, which consists of LB 854, as amended by the Health and Human Services Committee amendments. It would require the Department of Health and Human Services Finance and Support to file a state plan amendment with the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to create a Long-Term Care Partnership Program in Nebraska. The purpose of the Long-Term Care Partnership Program is to provide incentives to individuals to purchase long-term care insurance by allowing persons who exhaust qualified private long-term care policy