

(Start of Belt #1)

PRESIDENT: The Legislature please come to order. We'll have prayer by the Chaplain.

CHAPLAIN: Prayer.

PRESIDENT: Roll call.

CLERK: Senator Whitney asked to be excused today and tomorrow, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Are there objections to Senator Whitney's absence? Gentlemen, have you all registered your presence, please? Roll call. Clerk will record.

CLERK: A quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marsh, is your green light not...try it again, please. I am asking Senator Marsh if her green light works, thank you. We had roll call and there wasn't any registration up here of your being here. We have some trouble makers in the crowd that want to have roll call again. I am sorry. All right. Are there corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: Corrections read. That is all, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Are there corrections from the floor? If not, the Journal will stand as corrected. Do we have notices of Committee Hearings or Reports?

CLERK: None, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Final Reading this morning begins with LB 299. We just fixed that. Final Reading this morning will begin with LB 299, if we can get the Senators in their seats and the floor cleared. Attention please. The Final Reading of LB 299. The Assistant Clerk will read the bill.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Final Reading. LB 299.

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SENATOR F. LEWIS: Mr. Chairman, in case the clerk skips over 445, I move to read 445 and 445A this morning.

PRESIDENT: I will take up your motion after we read 484, Senator, and then we will come back to yours. Attention please. The Final Reading of LB 484.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Epke requested to be excused until he arrives.

PRESIDENT: Are there objections. Hearing none, so ordered.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Final Reading. LB 484.

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with the question is shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached. All those in favor vote aye. Those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Senator Barnett, the Board indicates you as voting aye. OK.

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