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LR 289-291, 294, 295, 298, 299

CLERK: Mr. President, LR 298 offered by Senator Wesely. It is found on page 1082. (Read brief explanation.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Senator Wesely, please.

SENATOR WESELY: Thank you. Mr. President and members, this is a resolution brought to me by the Kidney Foundation of the State of Nebraska. Every year in March they do bring this resolution forward to remind people of the problems we have in health care of transplants and having adequate donors of vital organs, and this resolution does call attention to this matter and asks Nebraskans, again, to voluntarily give the gift of life by signing that Uniform Donor Card which is available, and helping. If they should meet with an untimely death, perhaps they can share their gift with others and give them new life as they suffer from the lack of a kidney or other vital organ. So this is a very important resolution. I do ask for its adoption, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? If not, the question is to suspend the rules. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. I misspoke on that. We are not suspending the rules on this one. We are merely adopting a resolution. Please accept my apology. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 21 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of LR 298 as offered by Senator Wesely.

PRESIDENT: The resolution is adopted. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LR 295, LR 294, LR 291, LR 290, and LR 289. Senator Pirsch's motion, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, a new resolution, LR 299 offered by Senators Pirsch and Lowell Johnson. (Read brief explanation.) Mr. President, in order to consider the resolution today, Senator Pirsch would move to suspend Rule 4, Section 6 so as to permit a vote on the resolution today.

PRESIDENT: Senator Pirsch, please.

SENATOR PIRSCH: Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Excuse me, Senator Pirsch. (Gavel.) Could we