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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for this seventy-third day of the Ninety-Sixth Legislature, First Session. Our chaplain this morning is the Legislature's chaplain, Harland Johnson. Harland.

HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you. Members will call to order. Would you please record your presence. Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have no corrections this morning.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Are there any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, lobby report for this week to be inserted in the Legislative Journal. I have a series of amendments to LB 382 by Senator Chambers to be printed. I have appointment letter from the Governor appointing certain individuals to the Excellence in Health Care Council. I also have, Mr. President, withdrawal of an appointment letter from the Governor regarding the appointment to the Board of Emergency Medical Services. (Legislative Journal pages 1763-1766.) That's all that I have at this time, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Visitors introduced.) Members, as a reminder we will be taking up LB 530 after LB 550, and we will also be passing over LB 734 and 799E later on the Final Reading consent calendar. Mr. Clerk, the first motion.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a motion this morning from Senator Jensen, as the Chair of the Health Committee, with respect to