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SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Good morning and welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Our pastor this morning is Matthew Culbertson from the Southview Baptist Church, Lincoln, Nebraska, Senator Beutler's district. Would you please rise, please.

PASTOR CULBERTSON: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Pastor Culbertson. I call the twenty-second day of the Ninety-Sixth Legislature Session to order. Senators, please check in. Record, Mr. Clerk.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: Corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 654 and LB 654A to Select File. Enrollment and Review also reports LB 55, LB 151, LB 482, LB 729 as correctly engrossed. New A bill. (Read LB 1273A by title for the first time.) And, Mr. President, a series of reports received in the last ten days from the Department of Environmental Quality, from the Health and Human Services System, from the GIS Steering Committee, NIFA, and from the State Highway Commission. That's all that I have, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 575-577.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Wehrbein, you're recognized for a point of personal privilege.

SENATOR WEHRBEIN: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. This is a report this morning, it's on your desk in bright blue, so that you don't fail to see it. It's relative to a report the Appropriations Committee is to make in even-numbered years, between actually the 15th and 20th legislative day, to the body about the status of our appropriations process. And I'm not going to say a lot to it,