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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the third day. Our Chaplain today is Father Daniel Seiker from Senator Byars' District. Father.

FATHER SEIKER: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Father Seiker. Members, if you will please check in? Please record.

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

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Doctor of the day introduced.) Mr. Clerk, are there any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Senator Hudkins.

SENATOR HUDKINS: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the body. I move that the rules as now in our possession be adopted for today only, Friday, January 5, 2001.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Hudkins. Is there discussion? Those in favor say aye. Those opposed nay. Motion carries. Mr. Clerk, are there any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, there are. Thank you. I have a selection of the Vice Chair of the Education Committee has been made. Senator Suttle has been selected as Vice Chair. General Affairs has selected Senator Quandahl to serve as its Vice Chair. Mr. President, there will be a meeting of the Agriculture Committee at 10:30 underneath the north balcony. That's all that I have at this time, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Members, we'll proceed with bill introduction.