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there's a heavy rain, but maybe that's a burden that the Legislature can bear. Maybe we can make the right decision for the city of Omaha in that regard. But if we are going to bear that burden and if we are going to make that decision, it ought to have the best chance possible of standing up to an examination in the courts.

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Items for the record?

**CLERK:** Mr. President, I have a confirmation report from the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee. An amendment to be printed: Senator Wickersham, to LB 657; Senator Stuhr to LB 457. And, Mr. President, LB 52, LB 114, LB 432A, LB 433, LB 433A, LB 585, LB 585A, LB 677, LB 677A, and LB 759 are reported correctly engrossed. (Legislative Journal pages 1218-1223.)

Mr. President, I do have a priority motion. Senator Janssen would move to recess until 1:30.

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Question before the body is, shall we recess? All in favor say aye. Those opposed say nay. We are in recess.

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**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN PRESIDING**

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Good afternoon and welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We'll begin this afternoon's work. Senators, please record your presence, roll call.

**ASSISTANT CLERK:** There is a quorum present, Mr. President.

**SPEAKER KRISTENSEN:** Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We'll proceed back to debate on LB 657. Mr. Clerk.