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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning, welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the sixty-ninth day of the Ninety-Seventh Legislature, First Session. Our chaplain of the day is Pastor Mark Cutler of St. John Lutheran Church in Seward, in Senator Stuhr's district. Pastor Cutler.

PASTOR CUTLER: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Pastor Cutler. The Legislature is called to order. Members, 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: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 180 and LB 827A to Select File. Those are the only items I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal page 1615.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. First order of business?

CLERK: Mr. President, the first bill for consideration by the Legislature this morning is LB 536, it was a bill originally introduced by Senator Dierks. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 11, referred to the Revenue Committee for public hearing, the bill was advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments, Mr. President. (AM1356, Legislative Journal page 1380.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Dierks, you're recognized to open on LB 536.