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SPEAKER BROMM PRESIDING

SPEAKER BROMM: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Chamber for the forty-first day of the Ninety-Eighth Legislature, First Session. We're pleased to have with us this morning, as chaplain of the day, Reverend Everett Reynolds, from the Lefler United Methodist Church in Omaha, Senator Kruse's district. Please rise.

PASTOR REYNOLDS: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Reverend Reynolds. Members, please record your presence. Please record, Mr. Clerk.

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

SPEAKER BROMM: Any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: (Read corrections, Legislative Journal page 783.) That's all that I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BROMM: Any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, priority bill designations: Senator Wehrbein selected LB 680 as his priority bill; Senator Thompson, LB 43; Senator Janssen, as Chair of General Affairs, LB 367 and LB 536 as committee priorities; Senator Brashear, LB 759. Mr. President, Attorney General's Opinion to Senator Thompson, to be inserted in the Journal. Your Committee on Government, Military and Veterans Affairs, chaired by Senator Schimek, reports LB 784 to General File with committee amendments attached. New resolution, LR 44, offered by Senator Jones. That will be laid over. And, Mr. President, LR 41 is ready for your signature. And that's all that I have. (Legislative Journal pages 783-787.)

SPEAKER BROMM: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. The first...the next item, I guess, on the agenda, would be LB 72A. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 72A, a bill by Senator Vrtiska. (Read title.)