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SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Our chaplain of the day is Pastor Bob Larson, St. Paul and the Elim Lutheran Churches; Hooper, Nebraska; Senator Janssen's district. Pastor.

PASTOR LARSON: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Pastor Larson, for being with us. We appreciate you being our chaplain of the day. Represent the 15th District, Senator Janssen's. I call the sixty-third day of the Ninety-Ninth Legislature, First Session, to order. Senators, please check in. Record please, Mr. Clerk.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: Any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Retirement Systems reports LB 364 to General File with committee amendments attached; Business and Labor reports LB 749 to General File with committee amendments attached; those two reports signed by their respective Chairs. New resolution, LR 78, by Senator Fischer. That will be laid over. That's all that I had, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 1207-1209.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Visitors introduced.) First agenda item, General File, 2005 senator priority bills, the Combs division. Mr. Clerk, LB 70.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 70, introduced by Senator Smith. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 6, referred to the Transportation Committee. Bill was advanced to General File, Mr. President. I do have amendments pending to the bill.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We now go to LB 70.