

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY - FEBRUARY 27, 2018**LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SESSION****THIRTY-FOURTH DAY**

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Tuesday, February 27, 2018

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Pastor Les Parmenter, Trinity United Methodist Church, West Point.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., President Foley presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senator Hilgers who was excused; and Senators Briese, Hansen, Krist, Morfeld, Vargas, and Watermeier who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the thirty-third day was approved.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 743. Placed on Final Reading.

ST43

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the Harr amendment, AM2066:
 - a. Sections 28 to 33 have been renumbered as sections 30 to 35; and
 - b. On page 1, line 4, "30 to 33" has been struck and "32 to 35" inserted.
2. On page 1, the matter beginning with "insurance" in line 1 through line 11 and all amendments thereto have been struck and "insurance; to amend sections 44-2607, 44-2614, 44-3905, 44-3908, 44-4053, 44-4056, and 44-4521, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 44-4068, 44-8105, 44-8108, 44-8601, and 44-8602, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2016; to adopt the Public Adjusters Licensing Act; to change the certification of continuing education activities as prescribed; to redefine terms relating to insurance consultants; to redefine a term and change requirements relating to insurance producers under the Nebraska Protection

in Annuity Transactions Act; to redefine a term, to provide contract requirements for assignment of rights and benefits, to require notice as prescribed, and to declare certain contracts void under the Insured Homeowners Protection Act; to eliminate a requirement for rules and regulations; to eliminate preclicensing education requirements; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 44-3911, 44-3912, and 44-3913, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 44-3909 and 44-3910, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2016." inserted.

(Signed) Anna Wishart, Chairperson

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

The Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointments(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Tom Carlson - Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission

Aye: 7 Blood, Brewer, Briese, Hilgers, Lowe, Murante, Wayne. Nay: 0. Absent: 1 Thibodeau. Present and not voting: 0.

The Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointments(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Marty Callahan - Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission

Aye: 7 Blood, Brewer, Briese, Hilgers, Lowe, Murante, Wayne. Nay: 0. Absent: 1 Thibodeau. Present and not voting: 0.

The Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointments(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Patrick Guinan - State Personnel Board

Aye: 7 Blood, Brewer, Briese, Hilgers, Lowe, Murante, Wayne. Nay: 0. Absent: 1 Thibodeau. Present and not voting: 0.

(Signed) John Murante, Chairperson

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 327. Introduced by Hughes, 44.

WHEREAS, Aaron Hinojosa, a senior at Chase County High School, won the 220-pound division at the 2018 Class C State Wrestling Championship; and

WHEREAS, Aaron celebrated an undefeated 48-0 season; and

WHEREAS, Aaron won the semifinal match with a score of 6-2 and ended each of his other three matches at the championship, including the title round, with a pin before the third period; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature recognizes the academic, athletic, and artistic achievements of the youth of our state.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates Aaron Hinojosa on his state wrestling championship.
2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Aaron Hinojosa.

Laid over.

BILL ON FIRST READING

The following bill was read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 1121A. Introduced by Larson, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 1121, One Hundred Fifth Legislature, Second Session, 2018.

MOTION(S) - Confirmation Report(s)

Senator Hughes moved the adoption of the Natural Resources Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 699:

Environmental Quality Council
Michelle Bucklin

Voting in the affirmative, 37:

Albrecht	Clements	Hughes	McDonnell	Thibodeau
Baker	Ebke	Kolowski	Murante	Vargas
Blood	Erdman	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Wayne
Bolz	Friesen	Larson	Quick	Williams
Bostelman	Halloran	Lindstrom	Scheer	Wishart
Brasch	Harr	Linehan	Schumacher	
Brewer	Hilkemann	Lowe	Smith	
Chambers	Howard	McCollister	Stinner	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 6:

Crawford	Groene	Riepe
Geist	Kuehn	Walz

Excused and not voting, 6:

Briese	Hilgers	Morfeld
Hansen	Krist	Watermeier

The appointment was confirmed with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

Senator Hughes moved the adoption of the Natural Resources Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 699:

Game and Parks Commission
Scott L. Cassels

Voting in the affirmative, 37:

Albrecht	Crawford	Howard	McDonnell	Vargas
Baker	Ebke	Hughes	Pansing Brooks	Walz
Blood	Erdman	Kolowski	Quick	Wayne
Bolz	Friesen	Kolterman	Riepe	Williams
Bostelman	Geist	Larson	Scheer	Wishart
Brasch	Groene	Lindstrom	Schumacher	
Chambers	Halloran	Linehan	Smith	
Clements	Harr	Lowe	Thibodeau	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 6:

Brewer	Kuehn	Murante
Hilkemann	McCollister	Stinner

Excused and not voting, 6:

Briese	Hilgers	Morfeld
Hansen	Krist	Watermeier

The appointment was confirmed with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

Senator Friesen moved the adoption of the Transportation and Telecommunications Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 701:

Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board
Eric Bigler

Voting in the affirmative, 31:

Albrecht	Clements	Hughes	Pansing Brooks	Walz
Baker	Ebke	Kolowski	Quick	Wayne
Blood	Friesen	Krist	Riepe	Wishart
Bolz	Geist	Larson	Schumacher	
Bostelman	Groene	Lowe	Stinner	
Brasch	Halloran	McDonnell	Thibodeau	
Chambers	Howard	Murante	Vargas	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 13:

Brewer	Harr	Kuehn	McCollister	Williams
Crawford	Hilkemann	Lindstrom	Scheer	
Erdman	Kolterman	Linehan	Smith	

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Morfeld	Watermeier
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The appointment was confirmed with 31 ayes, 0 nays, 13 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Friesen moved the adoption of the Transportation and Telecommunications Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on pages 701 and 702:

Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards
Barbara J. Keegan
James Litchfield
Mick Syslo
Edward R. Wootton Sr.

Voting in the affirmative, 32:

Albrecht	Erdman	Krist	Riepe	Walz
Blood	Friesen	Kuehn	Scheer	Watermeier
Bostelman	Halloran	Larson	Schumacher	Williams
Brasch	Hilkemann	Lowe	Smith	Wishart
Chambers	Howard	McDonnell	Stinner	
Clements	Kolowski	Murante	Thibodeau	
Ebke	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Vargas	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 13:

Baker	Crawford	Harr	Linehan	Wayne
Bolz	Geist	Hughes	McCollister	
Brewer	Groene	Lindstrom	Quick	

Excused and not voting, 4:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Morfeld
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The appointments were confirmed with 32 ayes, 0 nays, 13 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Senator Brasch moved the adoption of the Agriculture Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 710:

Climate Assessment Response Committee
Richard (Rick) Rasby

Voting in the affirmative, 25:

Baker	Friesen	Krist	Riepe	Thibodeau
Blood	Groene	Larson	Scheer	Vargas
Brasch	Halloran	Lowe	Schumacher	Watermeier
Chambers	Hilkemann	Murante	Smith	Williams
Erdman	Howard	Pansing Brooks	Stinner	Wishart

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 18:

Albrecht	Crawford	Hughes	Linehan	Walz
Bolz	Ebke	Kolowski	McCollister	Wayne
Bostelman	Geist	Kolterman	McDonnell	
Brewer	Harr	Lindstrom	Quick	

Excused and not voting, 6:

Briese	Hansen	Kuehn
Clements	Hilgers	Morfeld

The appointment was confirmed with 25 ayes, 0 nays, 18 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

Senator Brasch moved the adoption of the Agriculture Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 710:

Climate Assessment Response Committee
Carl Sousek

Voting in the affirmative, 27:

Baker	Erdman	Larson	Riepe	Watermeier
Blood	Friesen	Linehan	Scheer	Williams
Brasch	Groene	Lowe	Schumacher	Wishart
Chambers	Halloran	McDonnell	Smith	
Crawford	Harr	Murante	Stinner	
Ebke	Hilkemann	Pansing Brooks	Thibodeau	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 15:

Albrecht	Brewer	Hughes	Lindstrom	Vargas
Bolz	Geist	Kolowski	McCollister	Walz
Bostelman	Howard	Kolterman	Quick	Wayne

Excused and not voting, 7:

Briese	Hansen	Krist	Morfeld
Clements	Hilgers	Kuehn	

The appointment was confirmed with 27 ayes, 0 nays, 15 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

Senator Albrecht moved the adoption of the Business and Labor Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 729:

Boiler Safety Code Advisory Board
Johnie Jason Girmus

Voting in the affirmative, 26:

Albrecht	Erdman	Larson	Riepe	Watermeier
Baker	Friesen	Linehan	Scheer	Williams
Blood	Groene	Lowe	Schumacher	
Brasch	Harr	McDonnell	Smith	
Chambers	Howard	Murante	Stinner	
Ebke	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Thibodeau	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 16:

Bolz	Geist	Kolowski	Vargas
Bostelman	Halloran	Lindstrom	Walz
Brewer	Hilkemann	McCollister	Wayne
Crawford	Hughes	Quick	Wishart

Excused and not voting, 7:

Briese	Hansen	Krist	Morfeld
Clements	Hilgers	Kuehn	

The appointment was confirmed with 26 ayes, 0 nays, 16 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

Senator Albrecht moved the adoption of the Business and Labor Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 729:

Commission of Industrial Relations
Patricia L. Vannoy

Voting in the affirmative, 27:

Albrecht	Erdman	Lindstrom	Riepe	Vargas
Baker	Groene	Linehan	Scheer	Watermeier
Blood	Halloran	Lowe	Schumacher	Wishart
Chambers	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Smith	
Crawford	Howard	Murante	Stinner	
Ebke	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Thibodeau	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 15:

Bolz	Brewer	Harr	Larson	Walz
Bostelman	Friesen	Hughes	McCollister	Wayne
Brasch	Geist	Kolowski	Quick	Williams

Excused and not voting, 7:

Briese	Hansen	Krist	Morfeld
Clements	Hilgers	Kuehn	

The appointment was confirmed with 27 ayes, 0 nays, 15 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

Senator Albrecht moved the adoption of the Business and Labor Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 729:

Commission of Industrial Relations
Joel Carlson

Voting in the affirmative, 26:

Albrecht	Ebke	Linehan	Schumacher	Williams
Baker	Groene	Lowe	Smith	Wishart
Blood	Halloran	McDonnell	Stinner	
Bolz	Hilkemann	Murante	Thibodeau	
Chambers	Kolterman	Riepe	Vargas	
Crawford	Lindstrom	Scheer	Watermeier	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 16:

Bostelman	Friesen	Hughes	Pansing Brooks
Brasch	Geist	Kolowski	Quick
Brewer	Harr	Larson	Walz
Erdman	Howard	McCollister	Wayne

Excused and not voting, 7:

Briese	Hansen	Krist	Morfeld
Clements	Hilgers	Kuehn	

The appointment was confirmed with 26 ayes, 0 nays, 16 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

Senator Murante moved the adoption of the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on pages 729 and 730:

Nebraska Tourism Commission
Starr Lehl
Ashley Olson
Sarah Sortum

Voting in the affirmative, 34:

Albrecht	Crawford	Hughes	Murante	Stinner
Baker	Ebke	Kolowski	Pansing Brooks	Thibodeau
Blood	Erdman	Kolterman	Quick	Walz
Bolz	Geist	Lindstrom	Riepe	Watermeier
Bostelman	Groene	Linehan	Scheer	Williams
Chambers	Halloran	Lowe	Schumacher	Wishart
Clements	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Smith	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 9:

Brasch	Friesen	Howard	McCollister	Wayne
Brewer	Harr	Larson	Vargas	

Excused and not voting, 6:

Briese	Hilgers	Kuehn
Hansen	Krist	Morfeld

The appointments were confirmed with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

Senator Murante moved the adoption of the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 730:

Nebraska Tourism Commission

Darrin Barner
 John Chapo
 Roger L. Jasnoch
 Roger Kuhn
 Barry McFarland
 Debra Nelson-Loseke

Voting in the affirmative, 36:

Albrecht	Crawford	Kolowski	Pansing Brooks	Watermeier
Baker	Ebke	Larson	Quick	Wayne
Blood	Erdman	Lindstrom	Riepe	Williams
Bolz	Friesen	Linehan	Scheer	Wishart
Bostelman	Geist	Lowe	Schumacher	
Brasch	Halloran	McCollister	Smith	
Chambers	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Stinner	
Clements	Howard	Murante	Walz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 8:

Brewer	Harr	Kolterman	Thibodeau
Groene	Hughes	Krist	Vargas

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Kuehn	Morfeld
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The appointments were confirmed with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Groene moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 732:

Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education

John Bernthal
Deborah Frison
Joyce Simmons

Voting in the affirmative, 32:

Albrecht	Erdman	Larson	Quick	Watermeier
Baker	Geist	Lindstrom	Riepe	Wayne
Bolz	Groene	Linehan	Schumacher	Williams
Brasch	Halloran	McCollister	Smith	Wishart
Chambers	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Stinner	
Clements	Kolowski	Murante	Vargas	
Crawford	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Walz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 12:

Blood	Ebke	Howard	Lowe
Bostelman	Friesen	Hughes	Scheer
Brewer	Harr	Krist	Thibodeau

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Kuehn	Morfeld
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The appointments were confirmed with 32 ayes, 0 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Groene moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 732:

Board of Educational Lands and Funds

Robert Kobza

Voting in the affirmative, 28:

Albrecht	Clements	Hilkemann	McCollister	Vargas
Baker	Crawford	Kolterman	Murante	Walz
Bolz	Erdman	Larson	Pansing Brooks	Wayne
Brasch	Geist	Lindstrom	Quick	Williams
Brewer	Groene	Linehan	Riepe	
Chambers	Halloran	Lowe	Schumacher	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 16:

Blood	Harr	Krist	Stinner
Bostelman	Howard	McDonnell	Thibodeau
Ebke	Hughes	Scheer	Watermeier
Friesen	Kolowski	Smith	Wishart

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Kuehn	Morfeld
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The appointment was confirmed with 28 ayes, 0 nays, 16 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Groene moved the adoption of the Education Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 732:

Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission
Lisa May

Voting in the affirmative, 30:

Albrecht	Chambers	Hilkemann	Lowe	Scheer
Baker	Clements	Kolterman	McCollister	Schumacher
Blood	Ebke	Krist	Murante	Vargas
Bolz	Erdman	Larson	Pansing Brooks	Walz
Brasch	Geist	Lindstrom	Quick	Wayne
Brewer	Groene	Linehan	Riepe	Williams

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 14:

Bostelman	Halloran	Hughes	Smith	Watermeier
Crawford	Harr	Kolowski	Stinner	Wishart
Friesen	Howard	McDonnell	Thibodeau	

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Kuehn	Morfeld
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The appointment was confirmed with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 14 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Riepe moved the adoption of the Health and Human Services Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 766:

Nebraska Child Abuse Prevention Fund Board
Roderick Todd Bartee
Paul J. Nelson

Voting in the affirmative, 26:

Albrecht	Chambers	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Williams
Baker	Clements	Krist	Quick	Wishart
Blood	Ebke	Linehan	Riepe	
Bolz	Erdman	Lowe	Scheer	
Brasch	Geist	McDonnell	Schumacher	
Brewer	Hilkemann	Murante	Walz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 18:

Bostelman	Halloran	Kolowski	Smith	Watermeier
Crawford	Harr	Larson	Stinner	Wayne
Friesen	Howard	Lindstrom	Thibodeau	
Groene	Hughes	McCollister	Vargas	

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Kuehn	Morfeld
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The appointments were confirmed with 26 ayes, 0 nays, 18 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Riepe moved the adoption of the Health and Human Services Committee report for the confirmation of the following appointment(s) found on page 766:

Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired
Robert L. Newman
Becky D. Rieken

Voting in the affirmative, 27:

Albrecht	Chambers	Groene	McCollister	Schumacher
Baker	Clements	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Walz
Blood	Ebke	Kolterman	Pansing Brooks	Wishart
Bolz	Erdman	Larson	Quick	
Brasch	Friesen	Linehan	Riepe	
Brewer	Geist	Lowe	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 17:

Bostelman	Howard	Lindstrom	Thibodeau	Williams
Crawford	Hughes	Murante	Vargas	
Halloran	Kolowski	Smith	Watermeier	
Harr	Krist	Stinner	Wayne	

Excused and not voting, 5:

Briese	Hansen	Hilgers	Kuehn	Morfeld
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The appointments were confirmed with 27 ayes, 0 nays, 17 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Natural Resources

The Natural Resources Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointment(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Robert P. Goodwin - Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
Thomas D. Oliver - Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

Aye: 7 Albrecht, Bostelman, Geist, Hughes, McCollister, Quick, Walz. Nay: 0. Absent: 1 Kolowski. Present and not voting: 0.

(Signed) Dan Hughes, Chairperson

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 328. Introduced by Kolowski, 31.

WHEREAS, National Speech and Debate Education Day is being celebrated on Friday, March 2, 2018; and

WHEREAS, National Speech and Debate Education Day was established by the National Speech & Debate Association in conjunction with national and local partners to promote better instruction in speech and debate across all grade levels and to highlight the pivotal roles these abilities play in personal advocacy, social movements, and public policy; and

WHEREAS, speech and debate education helps students develop important skills in communication, critical thinking, creativity, and collaboration through the practice of public speaking and enables students not only to analyze and express complex ideas effectively, but also to listen, concur, question, or dissent with reason and compassion; and

WHEREAS, across the country, countless educators devote in-school, after-school, and weekend time to supporting their students in speech and debate practices and competitions, and the examples of hard work and

dedication set by these educators have lasting, positive impacts on their pupils; and

WHEREAS, the skills learned through speech and debate serve students well throughout their lives, and this occasion presents a welcome opportunity to recognize such instruction as an essential component of a well-rounded curriculum.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature recognizes Friday, March 2, 2018, as National Speech and Debate Education Day in the State of Nebraska.

Laid over.

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Wishart filed the following amendment to LB439:
AM2117

(Amendments to E & R amendments, ER111)

1 1. on page 3, line 18, strike "nurse assessments and".

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 439A. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 27 ayes, 0 nays, 17 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 158. Senator Groene renewed his motion, MO234, found on page 769, to bracket until April 18, 2018.

Senator Hansen moved the previous question. The question is, "Shall the debate now close?"

Senator Kolterman moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 23 ayes, 2 nays, and 24 not voting.

Senator Hansen requested a roll call vote, in reverse order, on the motion to cease debate.

Voting in the affirmative, 31:

Baker	Hansen	Linehan	Scheer	Wayne
Blood	Harr	McCollister	Schumacher	Williams
Bolz	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Smith	Wishart
Chambers	Howard	Morfeld	Stinner	
Crawford	Kolowski	Pansing Brooks	Thibodeau	
Ebke	Kolterman	Quick	Vargas	
Geist	Krist	Riepe	Walz	

Voting in the negative, 5:

Albrecht Erdman Hughes Lowe Watermeier

Present and not voting, 10:

Bostelman Brewer Friesen Halloran Lindstrom
 Brasch Clements Groene Larson Murante

Excused and not voting, 3:

Briese Hilgers Kuehn

The motion to cease debate prevailed with 31 ayes, 5 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

The Groene motion to bracket failed with 10 ayes, 27 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Pending.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 256. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 750. Placed on Final Reading.

ST44

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the E & R amendments, ER109:
 - a. On page 9, line 30, "satisfies" has been struck and "satisfied" inserted; and
 - b. On page 10, line 5, "appoints" has been struck and "appointed" inserted and "executes" has been struck and "executed" inserted; and in line 6 "records or causes" has been struck and "recorded or caused" inserted.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 775. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 936. Placed on Final Reading.

(Signed) Anna Wishart, Chairperson

VISITORS

Visitors to the Chamber were Grace Langan from Lincoln High; Madison Carver from Lincoln High; 22 members of the Nebraska Healthcare Association; 35 members of the Urban League of Nebraska Young Professionals from Omaha; and 41 fourth-grade students from Eagle.

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Jason Bepalec from Geneva.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:43 a.m., on a motion by Senator Thibodeau, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 28, 2018.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature

