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Kremer, Landis, Price, and Schimek have been selected to serve on the Committee on Committees. From the 2nd District Caucus, Senators Bourne, Brashear, Jensen, Preister have been selected to serve. And from the 3rd Caucus District, Senators Cudaback, Schrock, Jones, and Bromm have been selected to serve on the Committee on Committees.

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. The Chair recognizes Senator Dwite Pedersen for a motion to approve the nominees.

SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: Thank you, Mr. Lieutenant Governor. I move to...for the approval of the nominees to the Committee on Committees.

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: Thank you, Senator Pedersen. The question is the motion to approve the nominees. All those in favor say aye. All those opposed say nay. The motion is adopted. Let me announce that we have enjoyed having the members of the family on the floor here today. However, at this time we will be proceeding to the election of Chairs of the various committees and we need to be able to move about the floor to gather ballots, so I would request that you move to the sides of the Legislature at this time. The Chair now recognizes Senator Aguilar for a motion.

SENATOR AGUILAR: Thank you, Mr. President. Members of the body, I move to proceed to the election of the Chairperson of the Executive Board of the Legislative Council.

PRESIDENT HEINEMAN: Thank you, Senator Aguilar. The question is the motion to proceed to the election of the Chair of the Executive Board. All those in favor say aye. All those opposed say nay. The motion is adopted. We will proceed to the election of the Chair. The Chair recognizes Senator Engel.

SENATOR ENGEL: Lieutenant Governor, fellow senators, I thought we'd do this in alphabetical order, but Senator Byars did not stand up so I thought I better get up so you would know I want the job. But, anyhow, I do respectfully submit my name as...for the nomination as Chair of the Exec Board. I believe the last eight, nine years that I've been here that most of you know me.