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**SERGEANT AT ARMS:** Mr. Speaker, your committee now escorting the members of the State Board of Education: Joe Higgins, Kandy Imes, Fred Meyer, and Stephen Scherr.

**SPEAKER BROMM:** Would the Attorney General Committee please retire to the rear of the Chamber, Senators Thompson, Quandahl, and Redfield, to escort Attorney General-elect Jon Bruning, please. Madam Sergeant at Arms.

**SERGEANT AT ARMS:** Mr. Speaker, your committee now escorting Attorney General Jon Bruning.

**SPEAKER BROMM:** Senators Don Pederson, Raikes, and Tyson, please retire to the rear of the Chamber to escort the State Auditor, Kate Witek, please. Madam Sergeant at Arms.

**SERGEANT AT ARMS:** Mr. Speaker, your committee now escorting the Auditor of Public Accounts, Kate Witek.

**SPEAKER BROMM:** Would Senators Brown, Jensen, and Stuhr please retire to the rear of the Chamber to escort the State Treasurer. Madam Sergeant at Arms.

**SERGEANT AT ARMS:** Mr. Speaker, your committee now escorting Treasurer Lorelee Byrd.

**SPEAKER BROMM:** I would ask if the Escort Committee of Senators Preister, Engel, and Vrtiska would retire to the rear of the Chamber to escort the Secretary of State. Madam Sergeant at Arms.

**SERGEANT AT ARMS:** Mr. Speaker, your committee now escorting Secretary of State John Gale.

**SPEAKER BROMM:** Would the Escort Committee of Senators Beutler, Byars, Brashear, Jones, and Janssen please retire to the rear of the Chamber to escort the members of the Nebraska Supreme Court. Madam Sergeant at Arms.

**SERGEANT AT ARMS:** Mr. Speaker, your committee now escorting the Chief Justice, John Hendry, and members of the Nebraska Supreme