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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 Calvin Kroeker from the Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne, Nebraska, Senator Engel's district. Pastor Cal, please.

PASTOR KROEKER: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Pastor Cal, for being with us this morning. I call the fiftieth day of the Ninety-Ninth Legislature, First Session, to order. Senators, please record your presence.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: Mr. President, no corrections this morning.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Any reports, messages or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 664 and LB 664A to Select File, one of which has Enrollment and Review amendments attached. And two reports received in the Clerk's Office, one from the Department of Education, one from the Property Assessment and Taxation; those will be on file in the Clerk's Office, Mr. President, and that's all that I have. (Legislative Journal pages 995-996.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We now go to General File, 2005 committee first priority bills. Mr. Clerk, LB 739.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 739 was the bill originally introduced by Senator Cunningham. (Read title.) The bill was introduced in January, has been discussed on the floor on three separate occasions. Committee amendments have been divided. Pending, Mr. President, is committee amendment component FA109, and pending to that is Senator Chambers' floor amendment FA115.