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SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Our acting chaplain this morning is Senator Engel, who represents the 17th District. Senator Engel.

SENATOR ENGEL: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Engel, thank you very much for doing that for us. We appreciate it. I call the third day of the Ninety-Ninth Legislature, Second Session, to order. Senators, please record your presence. (Visitors introduced.) Record please, Mr. Clerk.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: Mr. Clerk, any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Any reports, messages, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have the report of...well, a series of reports received in the Clerk's Office from the Public Counsel's Office, from the Legislative Research Division, the Department of Revenue, and Southeast Community College. In addition, Mr. President, a series of interim study resolution reports received by various...by the various standing committees. Communication from the city of Ralston; that will be on file and acknowledged. And an Attorney General's Opinion to Senator Dwite Pedersen. And that's all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 183-198.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We will now go to introduction of new bills. Members, please bring your bills forward so the Clerk's Office may get them recorded. (Visitors and doctor of the day introduced.) Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: Mr. President, the Retirement...or, I'm sorry, the Rules Committee, Rules Committee will meet underneath the north balcony immediately; Rules Committee, north balcony, right now.