

January 20, 1989

LB 1-6, 8-12, 14-17, 158A, 690, 760, 781

law? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, please.

CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 385-86 of the Legislative Journal.) 45 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 16 passes. LB 17.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 17 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 17 pass? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 386 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 43 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 17 passes. That completes Final Reading. The call is raised. The Chair thanks you for your cooperation during Final Reading. Announcements and messages, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Appropriations whose Chair is Senator Warner, offers a hearing notice for Friday, March 3. Mr. President, I have a new A bill. (Read LB 158A by title for the first time. See page 387 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, Senator Hefner would like to add his name to LB 781 as co-introducer; and Senator Conway to LB 760 as co-introducer. Senator Crosby would like to ask unanimous consent to withdraw her name from LB 690 as co-introducer.

SPEAKER BARRETT: If there are no objections, so ordered.

CLERK: That's all that I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and I do sign LB 1, LB 2, LB 3, LB 4, LB 5, LB 6, LB 8, LB 9, LB 10, LB 11, LB 12, LB 14, LB 15, LB 16, and LB 17. Senator Korshoj, would you care to adjourn the body.

SENATOR KORSHOJ: Mr. Speaker, I move we adjourn until Monday morning at nine o'clock.

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LB 92A, 158A, 175A

92A.

PRESIDENT: LB 92A is advanced. LB 198A (sic). LB 158A, excuse me.

CLERK: Mr. President, 158A by Senator Labedz. (Title read.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Labedz, please.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Mr. President. This is bill is a companion bill to LB 158 which allows seven characters to be used on personalized license plates instead of the currently allowed six characters. LB 158 appropriates 50,000 to provide the tooling necessary to produce the seven letters. This is a one-time expenditure and I anticipate that increased funds will be generated as more individual...more individuals purchase the license plates. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: And thank you. And further discussion? If not, the question is the the advancement of 158A. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 158A.

PRESIDENT: LB 158A advances. LB 175A.

CLERK: Mr. President, 175A by Senator McFarland. (Title read.)

PRESIDENT: Senator McFarland, please.

SENATOR MCFARLAND: Yes, Mr. President, this A bill appropriates funds for carrying out of the protocol act. I think it is an \$80,000 amount. I would ask for it to be advanced. Thank you. Excuse me.

PRESIDENT: Yeah. Okay, 175.

SENATOR MCFARLAND: That is coming up next. This...okay...have to regather my thoughts. I think this is the bill to authorize funds for increasing the salary of the NEOC commission members. It is a very minor amount. I think it comes to a little over \$1,000. I would ask that that be advanced. Thank you.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion? If not, the question is the

February 8, 1989

LB 43, 80, 82, 92, 92A, 106, 113
116, 158A, 165, 166, 171, 172, 175A
177A, 177, 194, 200, 208, 238, 261A
267, 277A, 284A, 296, 312A, 312, 321
322, 353, 357, 369, 458, 459

PRESIDENT: Senator Nelson, would you object to the bracketing?

SENATOR NELSON: No. I just tried to get some attention on my mike. I didn't run up there at the front and no one asked me. I didn't say yes, I didn't say no, and it is all right with me to pass over the bill until February 22. As I've said many times, I'm willing to listen, I'm willing to learn, I'm willing to amend the bill as it is, but we're talking about a serious thing so I'm very willing.

PRESIDENT: May I ask, are there any objections to bracketing this bill until February 22? If so, now is the time to say so. If not, the bill is bracketed until February 22. Do you have anything for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do, thank you. Your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined and reviewed LB 92 and recommend that same be placed on Select File; LB 459 Select File; LB 458 Select File; LB 116 Select File; LB 267, LB 208, LB 92A, LB 158A, LB 175A, LB 177A, LB 261A, LB 277A, LB 284A, LB 312A, all on Select File. Those are signed by Senator Lindsay. (See pages 647-51 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, your committee on Transportation whose Chair is Senator Lamb reports LB 369 to General File with amendments. That is signed by Senator Lamb. Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 43, LB 80, LB 82, LB 106, LB 113, LB 165, LB 166, LB 171, LB 172, LB 177, LB 194, LB 200, LB 296, LB 312, LB 321, LB 322 and LB 353 all are reported correctly engrossed, Mr. President. That is all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (See page 651 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Very good. We'll move on then LB 238.

CLERK: Mr. President, 238 was a bill that was introduced by Senator Hall. (Title read.) The bill was introduced on January 9, referred to Business and Labor, advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments pending by the Business and Labor Committee, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Coordsen, are you going to handle those committee amendments?

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LB 43, 80, 82, 106, 113, 158A, 166
171, 172, 194, 197, 200, 260, 263
296, 321, 322, 332, 340, 353, 433
481, 717, 729, 731, 772, 773, 804
LR 15

SPEAKER BARRETT: Shall LB 263 be advanced? Those in favor say aye. Opposed no. Ayes have it, carried, the bill is advanced. For the record, Mr. Clerk, on the President's desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Revenue, whose Chair is Senator Hall, to whom was referred LB 260, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File with amendments; LB 332, General File with amendments; LB 729, General File with amendments; LB 197, indefinitely postponed; LB 433, indefinitely postponed; LB 481, indefinitely postponed; LB 717, indefinitely postponed; LB 731, indefinitely postponed; LB 804, indefinitely postponed; and LR 15CA, indefinitely postponed. Those signed by Senator Hall as Chair. (See pages 724-26 of the Legislative Journal.)

Urban Affairs Committee, whose Chair is Senator Hartnett, reports LB 772 and LB 773 as indefinitely postponed, both signed by Senator Hartnett. Your Enrolling Clerk did present to the Governor, as of ten forty-five, bills read on Final Reading, Mr. President. (Re. LB 43, LB 80, LB 82, LB 106, LB 113, LB 166, LB 171, LB 172, LB 194, LB 200, LB 296, LB 321, LB 322, and LB 353.)

Senator Warner has amendments to be printed to LB 340; and Senator Labedz to LB 158A. Mr. President, that's all that I have. (See pages 727-28 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, sir. Senator Robak, please.

SENATOR ROBAK: Mr. President, I move we adjourn until tomorrow at nine o'clock.

SPEAKER BARRETT: You've heard the motion to adjourn until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. All in favor say aye. Opposed no. Ayes have it, motion carried, we are adjourned.

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Chamber. The house is under call. Mr. Clerk, as far as I can see I think we're all here. Would you proceed with the roll call vote in reverse order.

CLERK (Roll call vote taken. See page 806 of the Legislative Journal.) 30 ayes, 16 nays, Mr. President, Madam President, on the advancement of LB 48.

SENATOR LABEDZ: LB 48 is advanced. Do you have anything to read in, Mr. Clerk, before we proceed to the next bill and before Senator Barrett returns to the Chair?

CLERK: Madam President, actually I can...I'll defer for a moment, thank you.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Okay, Senator Lamb, just a moment.

SENATOR LAMB PRESIDING

SENATOR LAMB: The call is raised. Next bill, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 158A, I have no E & R amendments. I do have an amendment to the bill from Senator Labedz. The amendment is found on page 728 of the Journal.

SENATOR LAMB: Senator Labedz.

SENATOR LABEDZ: Thank you, Senator Lamb. This amendment was brought to my attention by the Fiscal Office after Douglas County informed them that there may be an increased cost to the county. The additional cost would be to accommodate seven digits in the county's data processing system for motor vehicle registrations and motor vehicle tickets and warrants. The Supreme Court is required to share the cost which the county may incur. The estimated cost is \$10,000 so I am offering this amendment to LB 158A. Thank you.

SENATOR LAMB: The Chair recognizes Senator Moore. Is there any discussion on the amendment by Senator Labedz? If not, is there any close, Senator Labedz?

SENATOR LABEDZ: Senator Lamb, I waive closing. I urge the advancement of the amendment to LB 158A.

SENATOR LAMB: The motion is the adoption of the amendment by

Senator Labedz to 158A. We will have a roll call.

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

CLERK: (Roll call vote taken. See page 807 of the Legislative Journal.) 35 ayes, 0 nays on adoption of Senator Labedz's amendment to LB 158A. Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The amendment is adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay, are you there? I can't see you. On the advancement of the bill.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President...

CLERK: 158A, Senator.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 158A as amended be advanced.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 227A.

CLERK: Senator, 227A, I have no amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay, please.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Can I clarify, is that 227 or 277?

CLERK: LB 277, excuse me, Senator.

SENATOR LINDSAY: I move that LB 277A be advanced.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 312A.

CLERK: 312A, Senator, I have no amendments to the bill.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 312A be advanced.

February 22, 1989 LB 48, 56, 127, 158A, 165, 167, 184
185, 195, 277A, 298, 366
LR 31, 33

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning as our chaplain Reverend Harlan Johnson. Would you please rise for the invocation.

REVEREND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Reverend Johnson. I was waiting for the line, on time to be here for the morning invocation. Thank you very much for being with us and your thoughtful prayer. Roll call, please. Record, Mr. Clerk. please.

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

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any corrections this morning?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have no corrections.

PRESIDENT: Do you have any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 48 as correctly engrossed; LB 158A, correctly engrossed; LB 277A, correctly engrossed; and LB 298, correctly engrossed, those signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair. (See pages 817-18 of the Legislative Journal.)

Notice of hearing, Mr. President, from the Transportation Committee, that's offered by Senator Lamb as Chair. Communication from the Governor to the Clerk. (Read communication regarding LB 56, LB 127, LB 167, LB 184, LB 185, LB 366, LB 195, and LB 165. See page 819 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, that's all that I have.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LR 31.

CLERK: Mr. President, I do have another item, forgive me. LR 33, offered by Senator Beyer. (Read brief synopsis of the resolution. See pages 818-19 of the Journal.) That will be laid over.

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LB 158, 158A, 162A, 162

been complied with, the question is, shall LB 158 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See page 2463 of the Legislative Journal.) 35 ayes, 10 nays, 1 present and voting, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 158 passes. LB 158A.

CLERK: (Read LB 158 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 158A pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See page 2464 of the Legislative Journal.) 33 ayes, 9 nays, 2 present and not voting, 5 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 158A passes. LB 162, please.

CLERK: (Read LB 162 on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 162 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See page 2465 of the Legislative Journal.) 32 ayes, 10 nays, 3 present and not voting, 4 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 162 passes. LB 162A.

CLERK: (Read LB 162A on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 162A pass? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: (Record vote read. See pages 2465-66 of the Legislative Journal.) 33 ayes, 9 nays, 3 present and not voting, 4 excused

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LB 44, 44A, 49, 49A, 134, 137A, 158
158A, 162, 162A, 175, 175A, 182, 182A
198, 228, 228A, 305, 815, 816, 816A

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 228 pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on pages 2473-74 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 47 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 228 passes. LB 228A.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 228A on Final Reading.)

PRESIDENT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 228A pass? All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2474 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 45 ayes, 1 nay, 2 present and not voting, 1 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 228A passes. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LB 44, LB 44A, LB 49, LB 49A, LB 134 with the emergency clause attached, LB 158, LB 158A, LB 162, LB 162A, LB 175, LB 175A, LB 182, LB 182A, LB 198, LB 228, and LB 228A. Anything for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, yes, thank you. Your Committee on Enrollment and Review reports LB 305, LB 815, LB 816, and LB 816A as correctly engrossed, all signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair of Enrollment and Review. (See pages 2475-76 of the Journal.)

I have a confirmation hearing report from Health and Human Services Committee signed by Senator Wesely as Chair. That's all that I have, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: We'll move on to LB 137A.

CLERK: Mr. President, 137A is a bill introduced by Senator Warner. (Read title.)

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LB 44, 44A, 49, 49A, 134, 158, 158A
162, 162A, 175, 175A, 182, 182A, 198
211, 228, 228A, 308, 309, 309A, 362
377, 429
LR 88

Mr. President, bills read on Final Reading today have been presented to the Governor. (Re: LB 44, LB 44A, LB 49, LB 49A, LB 134, LB 158, LB 158A, LB 162, LB 162A, LB 175, LB 175A, LB 182, LB 182A, LB 198, LB 228 and LB 228A. See page 2482 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, amendments to be printed, Senator Hall to LB 211, Senator Ashford to LB 362, Senator Weihing to LB 377, Senator Lynch to LB 377. (See pages 2482-88 of the Legislative Journal.)

Enrollment and Review reports LB 308 as correctly engrossed, LB 309 and LB 309A as correctly engrossed.

And, Mr. President, I have a communication from the Chair of the Reference Committee rereferring study resolution LR 88 from the Banking Committee to the General Affairs Committee. That is signed by Senator Labedz as Chair. And that is all that I have, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: We'll go to Final Reading on number 9. We'll start with LB 429, but we need to get into our seats and get ready for Final Reading, please. Mr. Clerk, LB 429.

CLERK: The first motion...I have motions on 429, the first is by Senator Wesely. Senator Wesely would move to return the bill, the purpose being to strike the enacting clause.

PRESIDENT: Senator Wesely, please.

SENATOR WESELY: I will withdraw that amendment at this time.

PRESIDENT: All right, it is withdrawn.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Moore and Lindsay would move to return the bill for a specific amendment. (Moore-Lindsay amendment appears on page 2489 of the Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Moore, please.

SENATOR MOORE: Well, it's another one of those cows to the ring and see who bought her this time. This time it's one of my old rangy old cow. This one I believe in. This is the Bergan Mercy amendment. Now 429 is a bill dealing with certificate of need, 429 introduced by Senator Baack and the intention of this bill I

May 24, 1989 LB 95, 132, 134, 158, 158A, 175, 175A, 182, 182A
183, 183A, 198, 228A, 228, 261, 261A, 280, 283
285, 285A, 302, 303, 303A, 305, 309, 309A, 310
312, 312A, 335, 335A, 340, 340A, 469, 525, 566
588, 651, 651A, 695, 706, 727, 781, 816, 816A

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us on our closing day as our Chaplain, Reverend Harland Johnson. Would you please rise for the invocation.

REVEREND HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

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

PRESIDENT: Do we have any corrections this morning?

CLERK: Mr. President, one small correction. (Read correction found on page 2719 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Okay, do you have any messages, reports, or announcements today?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do. I have a series of communications from the Governor. First of all, Mr. President, the last few bills read on Final Reading yesterday afternoon have been presented to the Governor as of 2:48 p.m., yesterday. (Re: LB 525, LB 566, LB 588, LB 651, LB 651A, LB 695, LB 706, LB 781. See page 2720 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, a series of communications from the Governor. (Read. Re: LB 228A.) A second communication to the Clerk. (Read. Re: LB 134, LB 158, LB 158A, LB 175, LB 175A, LB 182, LB 182A, LB 198.) A third communication. (Read. Re: LB 95, LB 261, LB 261A, LB 280, LB 283, LB 303, LB 303A, LB 312, LB 312A.) A fourth communication, Mr. President, to Mr. President, and Senators. (Read. Re: LB 183, LB 183A.) A fourth, Mr. President, to the Clerk. (Read. Re: LB 132, LB 285, LB 285A, LB 302, LB 305, LB 309, LB 309A, LB 310, LB 335, LB 335A, LB 340, LB 340A, LB 469, LB 727, LB 816, LB 816A.) The last letter I have received, Mr. President, with respect to signing of bills. (Read. Re: LB 228. See pages 2720-22 of the Legislative Journal.)