

will meet for a brief Executive Session, in Room 1003, upon recess to select a Vice-Chair. Appropriations Committee upon recess in Room 1003 by the Appropriations Committee.

Mr. President, I also have the Committee on Committees report as offered by Senator Lowell Johnson and the Committee on Committees. Also an acknowledgment, Mr. President, that Senator Beyer has been selected...Senator Emil Beyer has been selected as Vice-Chair of the Committee on Committees.

PRESIDENT: The Chair recognizes Senator Lowell Johnson. Could we have your attention for just a moment, please. (Gavel.) Could we have your attention just a moment, ladies and gentlemen. If we could have your attention just a moment, we won't request your attention too long today, but Senator Lowell Johnson has an announcement.

SENATOR L. JOHNSON: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, your Committee on Committees met yesterday, and after careful deliberations completed the committee roster, which you find on your desks, which has been placed there by the Clerk. The report was unanimously adopted by the Committee on Committees, and I, therefore, move at this time that it be accepted and approved by the Legislature.

PRESIDENT: Is there any discussion? If not, the question is the adoption of the report. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the Committee on Committees report.

PRESIDENT: The report is adopted. Back to you, Mr. Clerk. We're ready for the introduction of new bills. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 1-80 by title for the first time. See pages 44-61 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: If I could have your attention just a moment, please, we'll introduce a couple of guests. Over under the north balcony, our first doctor of the day for this year is Dr. Dale Michaels of Lincoln, Nebraska. He's from Senator Warner's district. He's here to take care of us on behalf of the Nebraska Academy of Family Physicians. So would you welcome Dr. Michaels. Would you please stand, Doctor. Thank you for

January 11, 1989

LB 22, 23, 24

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 22 makes numerous internal changes. I ask you to advance this bill to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 22.

PRESIDENT: LB 22 advances to E & R Initial. LB 23.

CLERK: LB 23, Mr. President, by Senator Labeledz as Chair of the Board. (Read title.) Introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Richard Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 23, this bill makes internal changes by eliminating duplicative and inconsistent language and by harmonizing certain provisions. I move that this bill be advanced to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the explanation. The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 26 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of LB 23, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 23 advances. LB 24.

CLERK: LB 24 offered by Senator Labeledz as Chair of the Board. (Read title.) It was introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 24, this is a very simple bill which harmonizes provisions relating to the election of a Register of Deeds. I move that LB 24 be advanced to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the explanation. The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

January 11, 1989 LB 24-27

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 24.

PRESIDENT: LB 24 is advanced. LB 25, please.

CLERK: LB 25 offered by Senator Labeledz as Chair of the Board. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Richard Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 25 is a bill which eliminates language that is no longer needed and that repeals three obsolete sections. I urge you to advance LB 25 to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 32 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of LB 25, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: LB 25 advances. LB 26, please.

CLERK: LB 26 offered by Senator Labeledz. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 5, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Peterson, please.

SENATOR PETERSON: Mr. President, LB 26, this bill simply corrects an internal reference. I ask you to advance it to E & R Initial.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the explanation. The question is the advancement of the bill. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of LB 26.

PRESIDENT: LB 26 advances. LB 27.

January 12, 1989

LB 18-29, 54, 374-388
LR 4

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. You have heard the closing and the question is the adoption of LR 4 introduced by Senator Bernard-Stevens. Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Voting on the adoption of LR 4. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 34 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the adoption of LR 4.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LR 4 is adopted. Further bill introductions, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LBs 374-388 for the first time by title. See pages 200-203 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, in addition to those items, I have some Select File reports. Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports we have carefully examined and reviewed LB 18 and recommend that same be placed on Select File with E & R amendments attached, LB 19 Select File, LB 20 Select File, LB 21 Select File, LB 22 Select File with E & R amendments attached, LB 23 Select File, LB 24 Select File, LB 25 Select File with E & R amendments attached, LB 26 Select File with E & R amendments attached, LB 27 Select File, LB 28 and LB 29 to Select File, as well, Mr. President, all signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair of the Enrollment and Review Committee. (See pages 204-205 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Proceeding to item number six on today's agenda, a motion to rerefer. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Weihing moves to rerefer LB 54 from the Agriculture Committee to the Health and Human Services Committee. Senator Weihing offered his motion yesterday. It is found on page 194.

SPEAKER BARRETT: For purposes of objecting to the referencing of a bill, the Chair recognizes Senator Weihing. (Gavel.)

SENATOR WEIHING: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I request to move this bill because I feel it is much more in the medical area, the health area, and, therefore, it should be first heard, if it is heard at all, in the Health and Human Services Committee. This bill is one which deals with cholesterol. Cholesterol has become a daily word within our

January 17, 1989

LB 21-25

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move the advancement of LB 21 to E & R Final.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 22.

CLERK: LB 22, Senator, I do have E & R, Senator, 22.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move the...I move for the adoption of the amendments, E & R amendments to LB 22.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. They are adopted.

CLERK: I have nothing further on that bill, Senator.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 22 be advanced to E & R Final.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. The bill is advanced. LB 23.

CLERK: On 23, Senator, no amendments.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 23 be advanced to E & R Final.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 24.

CLERK: LB 24, Senator, no amendments pending.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move LB 24 be advanced to E & R Final.

PRESIDENT: You've heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed nay. It is advanced. LB 25.

CLERK: LB 25, Senator, I do have E & R amendments pending.

January 18, 1989

LB 18-34, 180, 190, 357

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning, as our Chaplain of the day, Evangelist Tim Woodroof of the Church of Christ in Lincoln. Would you please rise.

REVEREND TIM WOODROOF: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Thank you, Reverend Woodroof, appreciate it. Roll call, please.

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

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Do you have any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: This would be a good day to have some. Do you have any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined engrossed LB 18 and find the same correctly Engrossed; LB 19, LB 20, LB 21, LB 22, LB 23, LB 24, LB 25, LB 26, LB 27, LB 28, LB 29, LB 30, LB 31, LB 32, LB 33, and LB 34, all reported correctly Engrossed, all signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair.

Mr. President, your Committee on Education, whose Chair is Senator Withem, to whom was referred LB 180, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File, and LB 190 to General File, both signed by Senator Withem as Chair.

Mr. President, hearing notices from the Revenue Committee for Wednesday, January 25; Judiciary for January 27; Government Committee for Wednesday, January 25; and the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee for Wednesday, January 25, all signed by their respective Chairs.

Mr. President, Senator Crosby would like to add her name to LB 357 as co-introducer.

PRESIDENT: No objections, so ordered. We will stand at ease

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 430 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 45 ayes, 0 nays, 4 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 22 passes. LB 23.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 23 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 23 become law? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 431 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 45 ayes, 0 nays, 4 excused and not voting.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 23 passes. LB 24.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 24 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 24 pass? All in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record, please.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 432 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 46 ayes, 0 nays, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 24 passes. LB 25.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 25 on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BARRETT: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 25 pass? Those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Please record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 433 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 45 ayes, 0 nays, 1 present and not voting, 3 excused and not voting, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 25 passes. LB 26, please.

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LB 13, 18, 19-32, 58, 62, 70, 115
128, 134, 142, 156, 255, 279, 283
284, 296, 298, 312, 321, 322

SPEAKER BARRETT: Thank you. You have heard the closing on the advancement of 134. Those in favor of the motion to advance the bill please vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted on the advancement of LB 134? Record, please.

CLERK: 32 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on the advancement of 134.

SPEAKER BARRETT: LB 134 is advanced to E & R. Anything for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Mr. President, I do. Thank you. Your Committee on Transportation, whose Chair is Senator Lamb, to whom was referred LB 115, instructs me to report the same back to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File; LB 283, General File; LB 284, General File; LB 58, General File with amendments; LB 142, General File with amendments; LB 156, General File with amendments; and LB 128 indefinitely postponed. Those are signed by Senator Lamb. (See pages 439-41 of the Legislative Journal.)

General Affairs Committee, whose Chair is Senator Smith, reports LB 298 to General File, LB 70 to General File with amendments, and LB 62 indefinitely postponed. Those signed by Senator Smith as Chair. (See page 441 of the Legislative Journal.)

Your Committee on Education, whose Chair is Senator Withem, reports LB 312 to General File with amendments. That is signed by Senator Withem. Banking, Commerce and Insurance reports LB 279 to General File; LB 296, General File; LB 321, General File; LB 322, General File; those signed by Senator Landis as Chair. (See page 442 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, I have hearing notices from the Natural Resources Committee, signed by Senator Schmit; Health and Human Services, signed by Senator Wesely. 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 13, LB 18, LB 19, LB 20, LB 21, LB 22, LB 23, LB 24, LB 25, LB 26, LB 27, and LB 28, and LB 29, LB 30, LB 31, and LB 32. The next bill, Mr. Clerk, LB 255.

January 25, 1989

LB 13, 18, 19-32, 89, 114, 122, 165
168, 169, 177, 221, 254, 646, 742

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 168 be advanced as amended.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Shall 168 be advanced? Those in favor say aye. Opposed no. Carried. The bill is advanced. LB 169.

CLERK: LB 169, Senator, I have no amendments to the bill.

SPEAKER BARRETT: Senator Lindsay.

SENATOR LINDSAY: Mr. President, I move that LB 169 be advanced.

SPEAKER BARRETT: You have heard the motion to advance 169. Those in favor say aye. Opposed no. Carried. The bill is advanced. Thank you. Messages on the President's desk.

CLERK: Mr. President, your Enrolling Clerk has presented to the Governor bills read on Final Reading this morning as of 11:11 a.m. (Re: LB 13, LB 18, LB 19, LB 20, LB 21, LB 22, LB 23, LB 24, LB 25, LB 26, LB 27, LB 28, LB 29, LB 30, LB 31, and LB 32. See page 445 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, your Committee on Government, Military and Veterans Affairs reports LB 165 to General File with amendments; LB 177 to General File with amendments; LB 254 General File with amendments, all signed by Senator Baack as Chair. Banking Committee reports LB 221 to General File with amendments, that is signed by Senator Landis. Transportation Committee reports LB 114 to General File with amendments; and LB 122 as indefinitely postponed. Those are all signed by Senator Lamb as Chair. (See pages 445-446 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, I have a hearing notice from the Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee. That is signed by Senator Baack.

Mr. President, Senator Hartnett would like to have an Executive Session I believe in the Senators Lounge upon adjournment; Urban Affairs Committee, Senators Lounge upon adjournment.

Mr. President, Senator Crosby would like to add her name to LB 89; Senator Smith to LB 646; and Senator Labeledz to LB 742. That is all that I have, Mr. President.

February 1, 1989

LB 13, 18, 19-32, 43, 80, 82, 106
113, 114, 166, 171, 172, 194, 200
238, 254, 353

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. We have with us this morning Reverend David Lux of the St. Paul Methodist Church in Lincoln, Nebraska. Would you please rise for the invocation.

REVEREND LUX: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT: Roll call, please.

CLERK: Quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: No corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports they have carefully examined and reviewed LB 254 and recommend that same be placed on Select File; LB 114, Select File; LB 43, Select File; LB 113, Select File; LB 171, Select File with amendments; LB 172, Select File with amendments; LB 80, Select File; LB 82, Select File; LB 200, Select File; LB 106, Select File with amendments; LB 194, Select File with amendments; LB 353, Select File, those all signed by Senator Lindsay as Chair. (Journal shows LB 166, Select File with amendments. See pages 527-28 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, your Committee on Business and Labor, whose Chair is Senator Coordsen, reports LB 238 to General File with committee amendments attached, signed by Senator Coordsen. (See page 529 of the Journal.)

Mr. President, communication regarding the signing of LB 13, LB 18, LB 19, LB 20, LB 21, LB 22, LB 23, LB 24, LB 25, LB 26, LB 27, LB 28, LB 29, LB 30, LB 31, and LB 32. The bills were signed on January 27 and delivered to the Secretary of State.

Mr. President, an Attorney General's Opinion addressed to Senator Hall. I have a hearing notice from the Natural Resources Committee that is signed by Senator Schmit.

Mr. President, a series of reports. Report from the Department