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SENATOR CARLSON PRESIDING

SENATOR CARLSON: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the eighth day of the One Hundred Third Legislature, First Session. Our chaplain for today is Pastor Matt Rappley of Judson Baptist Church in La Vista, Senator Smith's district. Please rise.

PASTOR RAPPLEY: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you, Pastor Rappley. I call to order the eighth day of the One Hundred Third Legislature, First Session. Senators, please record your presence. Mr. Clerk, please record.

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

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you. Are there any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: I have a Reference report referring LB239 through LB297; that is signed by Senator Wightman, as Chair of Reference. An appointment from the Executive Board to the Homeland Security Policy Group; Senator Kintner has been selected to serve on that group. I have hearing notices from the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee; General Affairs; Agriculture; Transportation; and Education Committees, all signed by their respective Chairpersons. Agency reports filed, available on the legislative Web site, Mr. President. I have the lobby report for this week to be inserted in the Journal as well. The Performance Audit Committee has selected Senator Harms as the Chair of the committee and Senator Watermeier as the Vice Chair. And finally, Mr. President, there is an announcement: There will be a meeting of the Planning Committee, the Planning Committee, at 10:30 this morning in Room 2022. That's all that I have. (Legislative Journal pages 197- 201.)

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Mr. Clerk, report on new bills.

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CLERK: Mr. President, thank you, new bills. (Read LB340-356 by title for the first time.) And, Mr. President, I have nothing further at this time. (Legislative Journal pages 201-205.) [LB340 LB341 LB342 LB343 LB344 LB345 LB346 LB347 LB348 LB349 LB350 LB351 LB352 LB353 LB354 LB355 LB356]

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. (Doctor of the day introduced.) Mr. Clerk, new bills.

CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB357-371 by title for the first time.) And that is all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 205-207.) [LB357 LB358 LB359 LB360 LB361 LB362 LB363 LB364 LB365 LB366 LB367 LB368 LB369 LB370 LB371]

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Mr. Clerk, new bills.

CLERK: Thank you, Mr. President. (Read LB372-401 by title for the first time.) Mr. President, a series of new resolutions: LR25, LR26, LR27, and LR28 are by Senator McCoy. Those are congratulatory resolutions in nature and will be laid over. Senator Adams offers LR29CA; it proposes an amendment to Article VIII, Section 12, of the Nebraska Constitution. Senator Nelson offers LR30; Senator Campbell, LR31; Senator Janssen, LR32; Senator Bloomfield, LR33. And pursuant to that offer, I then have a communication from the Speaker directing that LR31 be sent to Reference Committee for referral to the appropriate standing committee. I have hearing notices from the Business and Labor Committee, and the Executive Board. A conflict of interest statement filed by Senator Nordquist; that will be on file in the Clerk's Office. I have a name add: Senator Mello would like to add his name to LB224. (Legislative Journal pages 207-219.) [LB372 LB373 LB374 LB375 LB376 LB377 LB378 LB379 LB380 LB381 LB382 LB383 LB384 LB385 LB386 LB387 LB388 LB389 LB390 LB391 LB392 LB393 LB394 LB395 LB396 LB397 LB398 LB399 LB400 LB401 LR25 LR26 LR27 LR28 LR29CA LR30 LR31 LR32 LR33 LB224]

And, Mr. President, I have a priority motion. Senator Lautenbaugh would move to adjourn the body until Tuesday morning, January 22, at 10:00 a.m.

SENATOR CARLSON: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Members, you have heard the motion. All in favor say aye. Opposed, nay. Thank you, we are adjourned until Tuesday morning, January 22, at 10:00 a.m.