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Nebraska.

PRESIDENT: Please rise. The Chair recognizes the Honorable Supreme Court Chief Justice, Norman Krivosha, for the administration of oaths.

CHIEF JUSTICE NORMAN KRIVOSHA: (Oath of Office administered to the following: Mr. William Marshall III, Russell W. Worthman, Thelma L. Lang and William C. Ramsey as members of the State Board of Education; Don Blank and John W. Payne as Regents of the University of Nebraska; Eric Rasmussen and Daniel G. Urwiller as Public Service Commissioners; Michael P. Cavel as Judge of the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court; C. Thomas White, D. Nick Caporale, Thomas M. Shanahan, John T. Grant as Justices of the Supreme Court; Robert M. Spire as Attorney General; Frank Marsh as State Treasurer; Ray A. C. Johnson as Auditor of Public Accounts; Allen J. Beermann as Secretary of State; Bill Nichol as Lieutenant Governor.)

PRESIDENT NICHOL PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Please stay here a minute, Mr. McGinley, Lieutenant Governor McGinley. Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, Mr. Chief Justice, members of the court, special guests, and fellow Nebraskans, I would just take a minute to pay a little tribute to Don McGinley for his work in the past, and too often we hear when things go wrong, we don't hear when we might say "thank you" to somebody who has done a great deal for the state during the past several years. It has certainly been a pleasure of mine to work with Don McGinley the last four years and we have gotten along so well that it made it very difficult for me to campaign in the last campaign because I couldn't find anything bad to say about him. But we do want to say "thank you" to you, Don, publicly. As perhaps most of you don't know, Don McGinley served in this Legislature in 1955 and again in 1957 and again in 1963. During his first year here, he was Chairman of the Enrollment and Review and I don't know if it was true then as it is now that the youngest member of the Legislature also served as the Chairman of Enrollment and Review. Then the second two terms he was here, he served as Chairman of Judiciary, and having been Chairman of Judiciary, I know what he has gone through, but I have heard many compliments from members of the Legislature as to Don's fairness, his delightful sense of humor, and I have never heard any complaint about him. So, Don, it is with great pleasure that we bid you farewell for awhile and hope you come back and see us often. So