

January 25, 1996 LB 645, 681, 700A, 754

SENATOR CROSBY PRESIDING

SENATOR CROSBY: Good morning and welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Our chaplain for the day is Dr. Robert Kunz, the First Christian Church in Lincoln. Pastor.

DR. KUNZ: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Dr. Kunz. I now open the fifteenth legislative day of the Ninety-Fourth Legislature, Second Session. Roll call, will the senators please record your presence.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Madam President.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you. Do you have any corrections to the Journal, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Madam President.

SENATOR CROSBY: Any messages or reports and announcements?

CLERK: Madam President, priority bill designations, Senator Witek has selected 645; Senator Kristensen, 681; and Senator Hilgert has selected 754 as their personal priority bills for this session. Gubernatorial appointments to the Public Employees Retirement Board and the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, those will be referred to Reference for referral for a confirmation hearing. (See pages 603-04 of the Legislative Journal.) That's all that I have, Madam President.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you. We will proceed to General File. LB 700A, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Madam President, 700A is a bill introduced by Senator Wickersham. (Read title.) I do have an amendment from Senator Wickersham, the amendment's found on page 561 of the Journal. (AI.2852)

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Wickersham.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Thank you, Madam President. If we could adopt the amendment, then that will conform LB 700A in the manner that it needs to be discussed. And I would just ask the