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PRESIDENT MAURSTAD PRESIDING

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber for the sixth day of the Ninety-Sixth Legislature, Second Session. Our prayer this morning will be by Pastor Edward Price of the All Nations Church of the Lord Jesus Christ, here in Lincoln, Nebraska, in Senator Landis' district. Pastor Price.

PASTOR PRICE: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Pastor Price. Call business to order. Members, would you please record your presence.

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

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Mr. Clerk, do you have any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Any messages, reports or announcements?

CLERK: I do, thank you. Reference report referring LB 1067 through LB 1173, as well as certain constitutional amendments; an appointment letter from the Governor appointing Chris Peterson as Health and Human Services Policy Secretary, will be referred to Reference Committee. Senator Kristensen, an amendment to LB 534 to be printed. Hearing notices from the Health and Human Services Committee, and from the Judiciary Committee. That's all that I had, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 247-251.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senators, if I could have your attention. (Doctor of the day introduced.) Mr. Clerk, items for the record.

CLERK: Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 1198-1209 by title for the first time.) That's all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 251-253.)

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Members, we will