

January 8, 1979

PRESIDENT LUEDTKE PRESIDING

PRESIDENT: Prayer by the Chaplain, Dr. Robert Palmer.

CHAPLAIN: Prayer offered.

PRESIDENT: The Legislature will come to order. Roll call.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Venditte would like to be excused until he arrives. Senator Kelly would like to be excused until two p.m. this afternoon. Senator Merz would like to be excused for the balance of the day.

PRESIDENT: Have you all registered your presence? Record the roll call, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: A quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: A quorum being present, are there any corrections to the Journal? There is a motion on the desk.

CLERK: Read Senator Fowler's motion. (See page 108, Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Is there any discussion? A motion to adopt the Rules of the Legislature for this legislative day only. All those in favor will vote aye. All those opposed vote nay. It requires 30 votes. Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 35 ayes, 0 nays on Senator Fowler's motion, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: The Fowler motion is adopted. The rules are extended for this legislative day only. Any corrections to the Journal, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Read corrections for the Journal found on page 108.

PRESIDENT: Any other corrections? If not, it will stand. Any notices, reports or announcements, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have a letter addressed to Governor Elect Charles Thone from Senator Rasmussen. Read. (See page 108, Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, I have from the Secretary of State's Office a communication addressed to the Clerk of the Legislature. (See pages 108 and 109, Legislative Journal.) Read.