

EIGHTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

AUGUST 16, 1984

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

SPEAKER NICHOL: With fear and trembling we start into this session but to calm our unsteady nerves we have with us our Chaplain this morning, Dr. Robert Palmer. Dr. Palmer.

DR. ROBERT PALMER: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Thank you, Dr. Palmer. Sergeant-at-Arms, are you prepared to present the colors?

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS: Yes, Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker, the color guard is sponsored by the Nebraska Air National Guard of Lincoln, Nebraska. The color guard will now advance and post colors.

(Presentation of colors.)

SPEAKER NICHOL: Thank you. We will have roll call please. Ladies and gentlemen, if you would please record your presence, we could continue. Please record your presence. Since your presence will be recorded individually this morning, so I ask that you please do record your presence. Senator Kahle, Senator Schmit. Record, Mr. Clerk. May I please have your attention. Your presence will be recorded individually this morning. Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, here and accounted for are...(read list as found pages 1-2 of the Legislative Journal.) Excused until they arrive, Mr. President, are Senators Abboud, Beutler, Goll, Haberman, Hoagland, Vard Johnson, Landis, Newell, and Pirsch. We have a quorum, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Thank you. Ladies and gentlemen, if I could have your attention again please. As most of you know, we have a new member with us starting this morning, Mr. Tim Hall who has been appointed, and, Tim, would you