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SPEAKER BAACK PRESIDING

SPEAKER BAACK: Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. For the prayer this morning we have Chaplain Harland Johnson.

HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Harland. I now call to order the twelfth day of the Ninety-Third Legislature, First Session. Roll call.

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

SPEAKER BAACK: Are there any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: No corrections, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Do you have items for the record?

CLERK: Mr. President, I have received a reference report from Reference Committee signed by Senator Hall as Chair referring legislative bills 564-656 as well as six constitutional amendments introduced by the membership. I have a report from the Executive Board regarding the appointments to the Education Commission of the state and the Program Evaluation Committee. And, finally, a note from Senator Hall regarding the appointment of Mr. Marshall Lux to a new six-year term as public counsel. That will be laid over. (See pages 363-366 of the Legislative Journal.) That's all that I have, Mr. President.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We will now proceed to Item 5 on the agenda and the motion by the Executive Board.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Hall as Chair of the Reference Committee and Executive Board offers reports found on page 305 of the Legislative Journal. There are two reports, Senator. The first one I have is a report regarding the election contest of Mr. Michael Avery and Ms. Lynda Thorpe.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Hall.

SENATOR HALL: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, members. As the Clerk mentioned there are two separate reports here in terms of the election contest. Although the contests were dealt with pretty