

January 8, 1996

PRESIDENT ROBAK PRESIDING

PRESIDENT ROBAK: (Microphone not activated.) ...Norris Legislative Chamber. Our chaplain for the day is Pastor Jane Heenan from the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, here in Lincoln. Pastor Heenan.

PASTOR HEENAN: (Prayer offered.)

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Pastor Heenan. I now call the fourth legislative day to order. Will senators please record their presence.

CLERK: I have a quorum present, Madam President.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Chair recognizes Senator Will.

SENATOR WILL: President, I move that the rules as now in our possession be adopted for today only, Monday, January 8, 1996.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Question before the body is the adoption of temporary rules. All those in favor say aye. All those opposed nay. The temporary rules are adopted. Mr. Clerk, are there any corrections to the Journal?

CLERK: Madam President, I have no corrections to the Journal.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Any messages, reports, and announcements?

CLERK: Madam President, I have no messages, reports, or announcements at this time.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The Chair now recognizes the Speaker to make a motion regarding the election of the Executive Board Chair.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Madam Chair, members of the body, I would move that we proceed to the election of the chairperson of the Executive Board of the Legislature for the second and any subsequent ballots needed to choose between those two candidates nominated on...on Thursday of last week.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: The motion before the body is to move to the second ballot and any subsequent ballots for the election of the Executive Board Chair. All those in favor say aye. All those