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SPEAKER WITHEM PRESIDING

SPEAKER WITHEM: Good morning, ladies and gentlemen. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Pleased this morning to have with us our Chaplain Coordinator, Harland Johnson, who will deliver the morning prayer.

HARLAND JOHNSON: (Prayer offered.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you very much. Members, would you please report to the Chamber and report your presence. Record.

ASSISTANT CLERK: There's a quorum present, Mr. President.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Mr. Clerk, are there any corrections to the Journal?

ASSISTANT CLERK: No corrections this morning.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Are there any messages, reports, or announcements?

ASSISTANT CLERK: One item. Senator Beutler has an amendment to LB 882 to be printed in the Journal. (See page 1422 of the Legislative Journal.) That's all I have.

SPEAKER WITHEM: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We'll proceed, then, to the first bill on consent calendar, which is LB 173A. Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, LB 173A was introduced by Senator Beutler. (Read title.)

SPEAKER WITHEM: Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Senator Withem, members of the Legislature, (LB) 173A, of course, is an A bill that goes along with 173. (LB) 173 was the federally mandated program relating to Game and Parks and their national program for keeping track of migratory birds. This is the funding portion of that. As you can see, it would appropriate \$75,000 from the State Game Fund for the first year and 70,000 from the same cash fund for the second year.