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SENATOR CUDABACK PRESIDING

SENATOR CUDABACK: Good morning. Welcome to the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber. Our acting chaplain this morning is Senator Redfield. Senator Redfield.

SENATOR REDFIELD: (Prayer offered.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Senator Redfield, for doing that for us. We appreciate it. I call the fifteenth day, Ninety-Eighth Legislature, Second Session, to order. Senators, please check in. (Visitor introduced.) Record please, Mr. Clerk.

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

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Are there any corrections for the Journal?

CLERK: I have no corrections.

SENATOR CUDABACK: Any messages, reports, or announcements?

CLERK: Health and Human Services offers notice of hearing. And I have an appointment letter from the Governor. That's all that I have at this time, Mr. President. (Legislative Journal pages 429-430.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. We now go to General File. Mr. Clerk, first legislative bill.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 270, a bill by Senator Brashear. (Read title.) The bill has been discussed on General File, Mr. President, as of January 14. At that time, Senator Brashear had presented to the Legislature AM2019 as an amendment to the bill. (Legislative Journal page 1991, First Session, 2003.)

SENATOR CUDABACK: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. Senator Brashear, to open on the advancement of LB 270.

SENATOR BRASHEAR: Thank you, Mr. President, members of the