

Second Day of Legislative Organizational Session

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Bismarck, December 4, 1996

The Senate convened at 9:00 a.m., with President Myrdal presiding.

The prayer was offered by Sister Agatha Muggli, Annunciation Priory, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Schobinger, Tomac, and Wogsland.

A quorum was declared by the President.

MOTION

SEN. GOETZ MOVED that the Senate stand in recess until 9:10 a.m., at which time there will be a Joint Session in the House after which the Senate will stand in recess until 1:15 p.m., which motion prevailed.

THE SENATE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with President Myrdal presiding.

ANNOUNCEMENT

PRESIDENT MYRDAL ANNOUNCED a presentation on legislative ethics and laws and rules governing the activities and conduct of public officials by Jay E. Buringrud, Assistant Director of the Legislative Council.

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PRESIDENT MYRDAL ANNOUNCED remarks would be made by Senator G. Nelson, Majority Leader, and Senator Mathern, Minority Leader.

MOTION

SEN. GOETZ MOVED that the absent members from Tuesday, December 3, and Wednesday, December 4, be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. GOETZ MOVED that the Senate be on the Seventeenth order of business and at the conclusion of that order, the Senate stand adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Thursday, December 5, 1996, which motion prevailed.

The Senate stood adjourned pursuant to Senator Goetz's motion.

William C. Parker, Secretary