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Bismarck, January 7, 2009

The Senate convened at 12:30 p.m., with President Dalrymple presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Stephen Wisthoff, First Baptist Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Taylor and Wanzek.

A quorum was declared by the President.

CORRECTION AND REVISION OF THE JOURNAL

MR. PRESIDENT: Your Committee on Correction and Revision of the Journal (Sen. Andrist, Chairman) has carefully examined the Journal of the First Day and recommends that it be corrected as follows and when so corrected, recommends that it be approved:

Page 13, line 16, replace "Monday" with "Wednesday"

SEN. ANDRIST MOVED that the report be adopted, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

SEN. CHRISTMANN MOVED that the Senate be on the Ninth order of business and at the conclusion of that order, the Senate stand in recess until 1:15 p.m., at which time it will meet in the House Chamber for a Joint Session, and after the Joint Session the Senate stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m., Thursday, January 8, 2009, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

SB 2045: Human Services Committee (Sen. J. Lee, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (6 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). SB 2045 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

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

Fran A. Gronberg, Secretary