SPECIAL SESSION

Journal of the Senate

TENTH DAY

SENATE CHAMBER, TOPEKA, KANSAS Saturday, July 2, 2005—11:00 a.m.

The Senate was called to order by President Stephen Morris.

The roll was called with thirty senators present.

Senators Allen, Barnett, Betts, Brownlee, Brungardt, Emler, Palmer, Steineger, Wagle and Wysong were excused.

Invocation by Chaplain Fred S. Hollomon:

Heavenly Father,

At the beginning of almost every annual session legislators have approached me shaking their heads and saying, "This is really going to be a tough one."

Personally, I have thought that they weren't much different from the previous sessions. But, I have to admit this one is unique. I've been through two special sessions, but I don't recall anything like this one, Lord.

"Politics is the art of compromise" has, as long as I remember, been a recognized legislative maxim. But you know, Lord, that in my prayers I have insisted that there are some issues on which people draw the line, saying, "This is a far as I will go."

The obvious problem has been that there are people on the opposite sides drawing the line, and so we are still here and crossing the line the Supreme Court has drawn

Let me humbly repeat, Lord, that if You have a solution please reveal it to the leadership on both sides. I have a feeling that all of them would say, "Amen."

And I close by thanking You in advance for however You choose to end this session, and praying in the Name of Jesus Christ,

AMEN

On motion of Senator D. Schmidt, the Senate recessed until 5:00 p.m.

EVENING SESSION

The Senate met pursuant to recess with President Morris in the chair.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

Announcing the House adopts the Conference Committee Report to agree to disagree on **House Substitute for SB 3** and has appointed Representatives Decker, O'Neal and Larkin as second conferees on the part of the House.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President and Mr. Speaker: Your committee on conference on House amendments to ${\bf SB}$ 3, submits the following report:

Your committee on conference agrees to disagree and recommends that a new conference committee be appointed;

And your committee on conference recommends the adoption of this report.

KATHE DECKER
MICHAEL O'NEAL
Conferees on part of House
JEAN KURTIS SCHODORF
JOHN VRATIL
JANIS K. LEE
Conferees on part of Senate

On motion of Senator Schodorf, the Senate adopted the conference committee report on ${\bf H}$ Sub for SB 3, and requested a new conference committee be appointed.

The President appointed Senators Schodorf, Vratil and Lee as a second Conference Committee on the part of the Senate on **H Sub for SB 3**.

On motion of Senator D. Schmidt the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 6, 2005.

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