

ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2014
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB705

Hearing Date: Friday January 31, 2014
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: Coash
One Liner: Change personal needs allowance under medicaid

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:
Aye: 7 Senators Campbell, Cook, Crawford, Gloor, Howard, Krist, Watermeier
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Proponents: Senator Colby Coash Keith Fickenshcer Nick Fuastman Kent Rogert Brad Meurrens	Representing: District 27 Lancaster Rehabilitation Center Nebraska Nursing Facility Association, Nebraska Assisted Living Association Leading Age Nebraska Disability Rights of Nebraska
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Opponents:	Representing:
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Neutral:	Representing:
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Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 705 (Coash): to amend section 68-1006.01, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change the personal needs allowance under medicaid; and to repeal the original section.

The purpose of LB 705 is to increase for Medicaid eligible aged, blind and disabled persons, who reside in an alternative living arrangement, the personal needs allowance from fifty to seventy-five dollars.

Kathy Campbell, Chairperson