

ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 227

Introduced by Haar, 21; Howard, 9; Watermeier, 1.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to study issues surrounding midwifery credentialing and safety measures. The study shall include, but not be limited to, an examination of the following:

(1) Other states' requirements for midwifery credentialing required to perform home births;

(2) Other states' requirements for midwifery homebirth safety measures;

(3) Other states' requirements for emergency response plans; and

(4) Any other issues that the study committee deems relevant.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.