

ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 553

Introduced by Ashford, 20.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to study the issue of drivers' licenses for young Nebraskans who have been granted Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) by the Department of Homeland Security. The study shall include the following:

(1) A review of state and federal policies related to the provision of drivers' licenses for various categories of immigrants who are lawfully present in the United States;

(2) Inquiry into the effect the current practice of denying licenses to DACA recipients by the Department of Motor Vehicles has on community members and their ability to work and attend college; and

(3) Research concerning the public safety implications of denying licenses to Nebraskans who are lawfully present, including risks pertaining to untrained and uninsured drivers.

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

1. That the Judiciary 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.