ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2016 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB840

Hearing Date: Tuesday January 26, 2016 **Committee On:** Banking, Commerce and Insurance Introducer: Fox One Liner: Change provisions relating to the time allowed for certain internal grievances under the Health Carrier External Review Act **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:** Advanced to General File **Vote Results:** Senators Campbell, Craighead, Fox, Gloor, Lindstrom, Scheer, Williams Aye: 7 Nay: Absent: 1 Senator Schumacher **Present Not Voting: Verbal Testimony: Proponents:** Representing: Senator Nicole Fox Introducer Nebraska Department of Insurance Bruce Ramge Opponents: Representing: Neutral: Representing: Summary of purpose and/or changes: LB840, introduced at the request of the Director of Insurance, would amend sections 44-1305 and 44-1307 of the Health Carrier External Review Act to change the time allowed for a health carrier to act upon an internal grievance from thirty days to fifteen days.

Jim Scheer, Chairperson