

AMENDMENTS TO LB 986

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1998)

Introduced by Louden, 49.

1 1. Insert the following new sections:

2 Sec. 7. On or before January 31, 2009, and each January
3 31 thereafter, an electronic device retailer shall remit to the
4 department a recycling fee equal to two dollars per electronic
5 device sold by the retailer in the previous calendar year.

6 Sec. 13. Section 81-1504.01, Revised Statutes Supplement,
7 2007, is amended to read:

8 81-1504.01 The Department of Environmental Quality shall
9 provide the following information to the Governor and to the Clerk
10 of the Legislature by December 1 of each year:

11 (1) A report by type of service or aid provided by the
12 use and distribution of federal funds received by the department.
13 The report shall also include user fees, permit fees, license
14 fees, and application fees authorized by the federal Environmental
15 Protection Agency as follows:

16 (a) Actual expenditure of each grant or authorized fees
17 for the most recently completed state fiscal year, including state
18 matching funds;

19 (b) Current budget and planned use and distribution of
20 each grant and authorized fees for the current state fiscal year,
21 including state matching funds;

22 (c) A summary of the projected funding level of each

1 grant and authorized fees and the impact of federal mandates and
2 regulations upon the future use of each grant and authorized fees;
3 and

4 (d) Program summaries including statistical summaries
5 when applicable for the most recently completed state fiscal year
6 and program activity goals for the current state fiscal year;

7 (2) A summary of regulations of the federal Environmental
8 Protection Agency which the department is required to implement and
9 which do not include federal funding assistance and the possible
10 financial impact to the state and political subdivisions;

11 (3) A report by type of service or aid provided by the
12 use and distribution of state general and cash funds, including
13 user fees, permit fees, license fees, and application fees, to
14 carry out activities that are not funded by federal grants as
15 follows:

16 (a) Actual expenditure of state funds, by agency
17 sections, for the most recently completed state fiscal year,
18 including a breakdown of expenditures by personal services,
19 operations, travel, capital outlay, and consulting and contractual
20 services;

21 (b) Current budget and planned use and distribution of
22 state funds, by agency sections, for the current state fiscal
23 year, including a breakdown of expenditures for personal services,
24 operations, travel, capital outlay, and consulting and contractual
25 services;

26 (c) A summary of projected program funding needs based
27 upon the statutory requirements and public demand for services and

1 the department's assessment of anticipated needs statewide; and

2 (d) Program summaries including statistical summaries
3 when applicable for the most recently completed state fiscal year
4 and program activity goals for the current state fiscal year;

5 (4) A report regarding staff turnover by job class and
6 the department's assessment of its ability to hire and retain
7 qualified staff considering the state's personnel pay plan;

8 (5) A report listing the method used by each new or
9 existing licensee, permittee, or other person who is required by
10 the department to establish proof of financial responsibility; and

11 (6) A report for the previous state fiscal year relating
12 to the purpose of the Nebraska Litter Reduction and Recycling
13 Act and of funds credited to the Nebraska Litter Reduction and
14 Recycling Fund; and -

15 (7) A report for the previous state fiscal year relating
16 to the funds credited to the Waste Reduction and Recycling
17 Incentive Fund pursuant to sections 6 and 7 of this act.

18 2. On page 1, line 3, strike "11" and insert "12".

19 3. On page 2, after line 14 insert the following new
20 subdivision:

21 "(4) Electronic device retailer means a person who sells
22 electronic devices in this state under a brand or label that is not
23 owned by the retailer;"; and renumber the remaining subdivisions
24 accordingly.

25 4. On page 4, lines 10 and 12, after "manufacturer"
26 insert "or electronic device retailer".

27 5. On page 5, line 18, strike "section 6" and insert

1 "sections 6 and 7".

2 6. Renumber the remaining sections and correct the

3 repealer accordingly.