

FOURTH DAY - JANUARY 14, 2008

LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL

**ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE
SECOND SESSION**

FOURTH DAY

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Monday, January 14, 2008

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Pastor Wayne Hayward, Seventh Day Adventist Churches of Alliance, Hemingford, and Hyannis.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 10:00 a.m., President Sheehy presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senator Harms who was excused; and Senators Dierks, Dubas, McDonald, and Pedersen who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the third day was approved.

REFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Legislative Council Executive Board submits the following report:

LB/LR	Committee
LB771	Appropriations (referred)
LB796	Health and Human Services
LB797	Health and Human Services
LB798	Natural Resources
LB799	Natural Resources
LB800	Natural Resources
LB801	Natural Resources
LB802	Natural Resources
LB803	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB804	Judiciary
LB805	Natural Resources
LB806	Health and Human Services
LB807	Health and Human Services
LB808	Judiciary

LB809	Health and Human Services
LB810	Judiciary
LB811	Appropriations
LB812	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB813	Urban Affairs
LB814	Revenue
LB815	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB816	Judiciary
LB817	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB818	Health and Human Services
LB819	Business and Labor
LB820	Business and Labor
LB821	Business and Labor
LB822	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB823	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB824	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB825	Banking, Commerce and Insurance
LB826	Judiciary
LB827	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB828	Judiciary
LB829	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB830	Health and Human Services
LB831	Banking, Commerce and Insurance
LB832	Judiciary
LB833	Business and Labor
LB834	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB835	Health and Human Services
LB836	Health and Human Services
LB837	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB838	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB839	Judiciary
LB840	Judiciary
LB841	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB842	Appropriations
LB843	Judiciary
LB844	Judiciary
LB845	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB846	Revenue
LB847	Judiciary
LB848	Banking, Commerce and Insurance
LB849	Education
LB850	Education

(Signed) L. Patrick Engel, Chairperson
Legislative Council, Executive Board

ANNOUNCEMENT

Senator Nantkes designates LB235 as her priority bill.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING

Agriculture

Room 1524

Tuesday, January 22, 2008 1:30 p.m.

LB729

LB788

LB790

LB791

(Signed) Philip Erdman, Chairperson

REPORT OF REGISTERED LOBBYISTS

Following is a list of all lobbyists who have registered as of January 11, 2008, in accordance with Section 49-1481, Revised Statutes of Nebraska. Additional lobbyists who have registered will be filed weekly.

(Signed) Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature

Abboud, Chris, Public Affairs Group
Agri-Business Association, Nebraska
Brain Injury Association of America
Manheims Omaha Auto Auction
Monsanto
Omaha Police Union, Local 101

Adair, Peggy
CASA for Douglas County
League of Women Voters of Nebraska

Adams, Donald D., Jr.
Nebraskans First, Inc.

Adams, John H.
International Gamco, Inc.

Adams, Robert P.
Alliance for Marriage Foundation

Alberts, Dan
Third Planet Windpower

American Communications Group, Inc.
American Cancer Society

American Heart Association
 Amputee Coalition of Nebraska
 Behavioral Health Organizations, Nebraska Association of
 Center for Rural Affairs
 City of Lincoln
 Emergency Medical Service Association, Nebraska
 Engineers and Architects, Nebraska Board of
 Girl Scout Legislative Monitoring Network, Nebraska
 Goodwill Industries, Nebraska
 Iowa/Nebraska Primary Care Association
 Nebraskans for Research
 Pappio-Missouri Natural Resources District, Nebraska
 Physical Therapy Association, Nebraska Chapter of American
 Physician Assistants, Nebraska Academy of
 Psychological Association, Nebraska
 Public Employees, AFSCME Local 61, Nebraska Association of
 Public Health, Friends of in Nebraska
 Research Nebraska!
 Respiratory Care, Nebraska Society for
 Speech, Language, & Hearing Association, Nebraska
 Teamsters Local Union 554
 YMCA of Nebraska

Andersen, Robert C.
 Cooperative Council, Nebraska

Anderson, Robert L.
 Agri-Business Association, Nebraska
 Anderson Management Services, Inc.

Anderson, Shannon M.
 Alegent Health

Anderson, Tim W.
 Central Nebraska Public Power & Irrigation District

Ashburn, Bill
 ALLTEL Communications

Austin, Jordan
 National Rifle Association Institute for Legislative Action

Baack, Dennis G.
 Community College Association, Nebraska

Bailey, Jon M.
 Center for Rural Affairs

Baker, R.J.

Elkhorn Valley Economic Development Council

- Barrett, John
Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC
- Bateman, Joseph R.
Union Pacific Railroad
- Beattie, George
Bankers Association, Nebraska
- Beck, Curt
General Contractors of America, NE Chapter, Associated
- Becker, Jill
Aquila
- Beermann, Allen J.
Press Association, Nebraska
- Belcher, Barbara N.
Merck & Company
- Bell, David
Loup River Public Power District
- Berryman, Scott
Interior Design Coalition of Nebraska
- Boehm, John M.
Mortgage Association, Nebraska
- Bohrer, Bruce J.
Lincoln Chamber of Commerce
- Bonaiuto, John A.
School Boards, Nebraska Association of
- Boryca, Kelly J.
Pfizer, Inc.
- Boucher, Richard
Sheriffs Association, Nebraska
- Boyer, Steve
Third Planet Windpower
- Brady, Justin J.
Radcliffe, Walter H. of Radcliffe & Associates

- Brandt, Horan, Hallstrom and Stilmock
Bankers Association, Nebraska
Bankers Insurance and Services Company, Nebraska (NBISCO)
Firefighters Association, Nebraska State Volunteer
National Federation of Independent Business
Nebraskans For Workers Compensation Equity
NETWORKS, Inc.
Pharmacists Association, Nebraska
- Brashear, Kermit A.
Metro Student Achievement Steering Committee
- Bromm, Curt
AFLAC
Cable Communications Association, Nebraska
Verizon Wireless
- Brown, Margaret S.
League of Women Voters of Nebraska
- Bruning, Deonne L.
Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC
Embarq Corp.
Northern Natural Gas
U. S. Cellular
- Buntain, David R.
Medical Association, Nebraska
- Burroughs, Sheila K.
Certified Public Accountants, Nebraska Society of
- Burson, Kathleen
PRIDE-Omaha, Inc.
- Campbell, Mary M./Campbell & Associates
AIA Nebraska
Beverage Distributors of Nebraska, Associated
Cable Communications Association, Nebraska
Columbus Public Schools
Conservation Voters, Nebraska League of
Educational Service Units Administrators Association
Friends of Nebraska Nonprofit Hospitals
Industrial Energy Users of Nebraska
Lincoln Public Schools
Marriage and Family Therapy, The Nebraska Association for
Nature Conservancy Action Fund, The
Region II and V Services

State Troopers Association of Nebraska, Inc.
University of Nebraska
Waste Management
Wholesale Liquor Distributors Association, Nebraska

Carmody, Patrick L.
Land America Financial Group

Carstenson, Eric B.
Telecommunications Association, Nebraska

Carter, Jennifer
Appleseed Center for Law in the Public Interest, Nebraska

Cavanaugh Law Firm, PC, LLO
Creighton University
Explore Information Services, LLC
Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska
National Confectioners Association
Tenet Health System

Cavanaugh, James P.
Cavanaugh Law Firm PC, LLO

Cavanaugh, Patrick B.
Cavanaugh Law Firm PC, LLO

Cheloha, John A. 'Jack'
City of Omaha

Christiansen, Craig R.
Education Association, Nebraska State

Clark, Douglas R.
Metropolitan Utilities District

Clayburn, Neal
Education Association, Nebraska State

Connealy, Matt
Democratic Party, Nebraska

Courtney, Robert
AARP

Cover, Joni R.
Pharmacists Association, Nebraska

Crawford, Kristin Lawson

Kissel/E&S Associates, LLC

Cunningham, Douglas
Affiliated Foods Midwest

Cunningham, James R.
Catholic Conference, Nebraska

Curtis, Carol A.
AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals

Cutshall & Nowka
BryanLGH Health System
Chief Probation Officers Coalition
College Systems, Board of Trustees of Nebraska State
Community Lottery System, Inc.
County Attorneys Association, Nebraska
Credit Advisors
Dietetic Association, Nebraska
Elkhorn Public Schools
Family Physicians, Nebraska Academy of
Funeral Directors Association, Nebraska
Home & Community Health Agencies, Nebraska Association of
Lincoln Medical Education Partnership
Metropolitan Utilities District
Nebraska Public Power District
NET Foundation for Television
Peetz & Company
Pfizer, Inc.
Police Officers' Association of Nebraska
Pork Producers Association, Nebraska
Poultry Industries, Inc., Nebraska
Radiologic Technologists, Nebraska Society of
Resources Districts, Nebraska Association of
Rural Community School Association, Nebraska
Southern Public Power District
Trucking Association, Nebraska
Union Pacific Railroad
Water Coalition, Nebraska

Cutshall, Bruce A.
Cutshall & Nowka

DeCamp, John W.
Chiropractic Physicians Association, Nebraska

DeMay, James
Citigroup Management Corp.

- Dibbern, Chris M.
Nebraska Municipal Power Pool
- Dittmer, Judy
AARP
- Dix, Larry
County Officials, Nebraska Association of
- Dobler, James B.
Farmers Mutual of Nebraska
- Dudley, William H.
AFLAC
- Dulaney, Michael S.
School Administrators, Nebraska Council of
- Eckel, Gene
Slusky Public Affairs
TixCap, Inc.
- Edson, Dean E.
Resources Districts, Nebraska Association of
- Edwards, Jon
County Officials, Nebraska Association of
- Eklund, Carrie
Medical Association, Nebraska
- Elliott, Joseph W.
Professional Insurance Agents of Nebraska
- Engle, Erin
State Farm Insurance Companies
- Eret, Don
Tractor Testing Laboratory, Supporters of Nebraska
- Erickson, Julie S.
American Communications Group, Inc.
- Ernst, Dan E.
School Administrators, Nebraska Council of
- Evans, Eric A.
Advocacy Services, Inc., Nebraska

- Ferdinand, Betty
Health Care Association, Nebraska
- Ferrell, Beth Bazyn
County Officials, Nebraska Association of
- Festersen, Pete
Omaha Chamber of Commerce, Greater
- Fraizer & Fraizer
AFLAC
Insurance Association, American
Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company
- Fraizer, Ted J.
Fraizer & Fraizer Law Office
- Fraizer, Theodore D. (Tad)
Fraizer & Fraizer Law Office
- Funk, Christine
Planned Parenthood of Nebraska & Council Bluffs
- Gangwish, Duane
Cattlemen, Inc., Nebraska
- Genrich, Richard L.
Eagles, Fraternal Order of, NE State Aerie
Veterans & Social Societies, Inc., Nebraska Council of Fraternal
- Gilbertson, Korby M.
Radcliffe, Walter H. of Radcliffe & Associates
Wildlife Protectors Association, Inc./Operation Game Thief, Nebraska
- Giles, Elizabeth L.
Philip Morris USA, Inc. - Altria Corporate Services, Inc.
- Goc, John J.
Metropolitan Utilities District
- Gordon, James E.
DeHart & Darr Associates
- Gossman, Abigail
MedImmune, Inc.
- Gottschalk, Kristen
Rural Electric Association, Nebraska

- Gould, John 'Jack'
Common Cause National
Common Cause Nebraska
- Grotirian, James
Metropolitan Community College
- Hale, Brian R.
School Boards, Nebraska Association of
- Hale, Susan
Center For People In Need
- Hallstrom, Robert J.
Brandt, Horan, Hallstrom and Stilmock
- Hansen, John K.
Farmers Union, Nebraska
- Hartmann, William
One-Call Notification Center, Nebraska Statewide
- Harvey, William F.
EHPV (Big Red) Lottery Services, LLC d/b/a Big Red Keno
Vigilnet America Inc.
- Hassebrook, Charles, Jr.
Center for Rural Affairs
- Haubensak, Richard
Constellation NewEnergy Gas Division (formerly Cornerstone Energy,
Inc.)
- Head, Craig J.
Farm Bureau Federation, Nebraska
- Hedberg, Matthew
Schering-Plough External Affairs, Inc.
- Hedman, Gary
Southern Public Power District
- Henry, Patrick
AARP
- Hernandez, Jennifer
Children & Families Foundation, Nebraska
- Higgins, Shirley

Nebraska Public Power District

Hoffman, Jerry
Education Association, Nebraska State

Holmquist, David W.
American Cancer Society

Holmquist, Jay
Rural Electric Association, Nebraska

Hood, Jane Renner
Humanities Council, Nebraska

Horn, Ryan
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.

Horne, Virgil L.
Lincoln Public Schools

Intermill, Mark
AARP

Jaeschke, Ronda
SourceGas Distribution, LLC

Jeffers, Thomas E.
Cooperative Council, Nebraska

Jensen, Ronald L./Jensen Associates, Inc.
Counseling Association, Nebraska
Dental Hygienists Association, Nebraska
Eli Lilly and Company
Homes & Services for the Aging, Nebraska Association of
Johnson, DeMaris/The Johnson Group
Magellan Health Services, Inc.
Nurse Anesthetists, Nebraska Association of
Optometric Association, Nebraska
Philip Morris USA, Inc. - Altria Corporate Services, Inc.
Podiatric Medical Association, Nebraska
Radcliffe, Walter H. of Radcliffe & Associates
Service Providers, Nebraska Association of
Sportsmen's Alliance, U.S.

Jensen, S. Michael
Great Plains Communications

Johnson, DeMaris/The Johnson Group
Cable Communications Association, Nebraska

Check Cashers, Nebraska Association of
County Attorneys Association, Nebraska
Geologists, Board of
Jensen, Ronald/Jensen & Associates
Water Resources Association, Nebraska

Johnson, Dick
Builders and Contractors, Inc., Associated

Johnson, Kimberly
United Parcel Service

Johnson, Larry A.
Trucking Association, Nebraska

Johnson, Mary A.
Ruth Mueller Robak LLC

Jones, Randall S.
American Red Cross

Jordison, John C.
Great Plains Communications

Jun, Michelle
Consumers Union

Kamm, Richard D.
Grand Island Northwest Public Schools

Karl, Jamie T.
Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Nebraska

Karnes, David
EHPV (Big Red) Lottery Services, LLC d/b/a Big Red Keno
Southern Wine & Spirits of Nebraska, Inc.
Vigilnet America Inc.

Katzberg, Alan
Rural Community School Association, Nebraska

Kay, Sara A.
AIA Nebraska

Keigher, Timothy P.
Keigher/Rasmussen & Associates, LLC
Petroleum Marketers & Convenience Store Assn., Nebraska

Keigher/Rasmussen & Associates, LLC

Credit Management
Iowa/Nebraska Equipment Dealers Association
Land Improvement Contractors Association, Nebraska
LensCrafters
Miller Brewing Company
National Guard Assn. of Nebraska
Philip Morris USA, Inc. - Altria Corporate Services, Inc.
SouthWestern Association

Kelley & Lehan, P.C.
ABATE of Nebraska, Inc.
Beverage Operators of Nebraska, Responsible
Douglas County, Nebraska
Eastern Nebraska Human Services Agency
Fraternal Order of Police, Nebraska
Johnson Brothers/Finocchiaro, LLC
Metro Area Transit
Omaha Airport Authority
Omaha Exposition & Racing, Inc.
Ralston Public School District
Sarpy County, United Cities of

Kelley, Michael, of Kelley & Lehan, PC
Kelley & Lehan, PC

Kelsey, Michael D.
Cattlemen, Inc., Nebraska

Kennedy, Barry L.
Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Nebraska

Kenny, Timothy R.
Investment Finance Authority, Nebraska

Kevil, G. Bruce
Home Builders Association, Nebraska State

Kierstead, Roberta
Planned Parenthood of Nebraska & Council Bluffs

Kilgarin, Karen
Education Association, Nebraska State

Kissel, Gordon
Kissel/E&S Associates, LLC

Kissel/Erickson & Sederstrom Associates, LLC
Alegent Health
American Petroleum Institute

Ameristar Casinos, Inc.
Anheuser-Busch Companies
CASA Association, Nebraska
Cooperative Council, Nebraska
Engineers, Nebraska Society of Professional
Erickson & Sederstrom, PC
Hearing Society, Nebraska
Historical Society, Nebraska State
Investment Finance Authority, Nebraska
Lancaster County Board of Commissioners
Lancaster Event Center
Lincoln Electric System
March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation
Nebraska Municipal Power Pool
Professional Engineers Coalition
Telecommunications Business Users Coalition, Nebraska
TransCanada Pipelines Limited
West Corporation

Kohout, Joseph D.
Kelley & Lehan, PC

Kolterman, Jessica A.
Farm Bureau Federation, Nebraska

Krannawitter, Brian
American Heart Association

Krumland, Gary G.
League of Nebraska Municipalities

Kruse, Dacia D.
Omaha Chamber of Commerce, Greater

Kruse, Larry D.
Glaxo Smith Kline

Kulesher, Kate M.
Brain Injury Group of Nebraska (BIG-N)
Wyeth

Lamb, Amy
Occupational Therapy Association, Nebraska

Lange, Robert G.
Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation

Larsen, Neal Roper
Verizon Communications, Inc.

- Lemon, Greg
Tax Research Council, Inc., Nebraska
- Lengel, Patricia
Wineries and Grape Growers Association, Nebraska
- Lewis, Sarah Ann
Voices for Children
- Libsack, Fiona
Regional West Health Services
- Licht, Alice L.
Agri-Business Association, Nebraska
Anderson Management Services, Inc.
Auctioneers Association, Nebraska
Automotive Recycling Industry of Nebraska
Aviation Trade Association, Nebraska
Hotel & Motel Association, Inc., Nebraska
Pest Control Association, Nebraska State
- Licht, Andrew W.
Anderson Management Services, Inc.
- Lightner, Patricia
HSBC GR Corp.
- Lindsay, John
O'Hara, Lindsay & Associates, Inc.
- Lineweber, Ray L.
United Transportation Union
- Loeffler, Michael T.
Northern Natural Gas
- Logsdon, Robert R.
Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC
- Lombardi, Richard A.
American Communications Group, Inc.
- Lowrey, Lon
Novartis Pharmaceuticals Corporation
- Luetkenhaus, Brandon M.
Credit Union League and Affiliates, Nebraska

- Mahlman, Dale L.
Medical Association, Nebraska
- Mainwaring, Brenda
Union Pacific Railroad
- Marsh, Laurel S.
ACLU Nebraska
- Marvin, Mike
Public Employees, AFSCME Local 61, Nebraska Association of
- Mass, Ken E.
AFL-CIO, Nebraska State
- Mauk, Daniel S.
Norfolk Area Chamber of Commerce
- McBride, David S.
Health Underwriters, Nebraska Association of
Insurance and Financial Advisors, National Association of
Optometric Association, Nebraska
- McClure, Jeanne L.
Campbell, Mary M./Campbell & Associates
- McClure, John
Nebraska Public Power District
- McClymont, Pete
Cattlemen, Inc., Nebraska
- McCullough, Jacqueline K.
Engineering Companies/Nebraska, American Council of
- McGuire, Mark D.
Cameco (formerly Crow Butte) Resources, Inc.
Education Association, Nebraska State
- McHugh, Jim
Regional West Health Services
- McKenzie, Janis M.
Gifted, Nebraska Association For The
Independent Colleges & Universities of Nebraska (AICUN), Association
of
Insurance Federation, Nebraska
- Meek, Randy D.

Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Nebraska State Legislative Board

Menzel, Elaine

County Officials, Nebraska Association of

Meradith, Steve

Windstream

Merritt, Gary James

Auto Dealers Association, Nebraska Independent

Meurrens, Bradley A.

Advocacy Services, Inc., Nebraska

Mikkelsen, Brian

Education Association, Nebraska State

Miller, Amy

ACLU Nebraska

Mills, Jack D.

Risk Management Association, Nebraska Intergovernmental

Mines, Mick

Interior Design Coalition of Nebraska

Mischo, Craig

Bayer Health Care

Miya, Pamela A.

March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation

Mize, William L. (Len)

SourceGas Distribution, LLC

Moors, H. Jack

3M Traffic Safety Systems

Cameco (formerly Crow Butte) Resources, Inc.

Cargill Inc.

Corn Growers Association, Nebraska

Johnson & Johnson

Syngenta

Tobacco & Candy Distributors, Nebraska Association of

Moul, Maxine

Endow Nebraska

Moylan, James H.

Beverage Association, Nebraska Licensed

Reynolds American (formerly RJ Reynolds Tobacco)

Mueller, William J.
Ruth Mueller Robak LLC

Munguia, Roberto F.
Burlington Northern Santa Fe

Murphy, Jeremy P.
Catholic Conference, Nebraska

Nabb, Douglas
Fremont Public Schools

Napp, Jaimee
Identity Theft Action Council of Nebraska (iTAC)

Nathan, Robbie
AARP

Neville, Brennan S.
National Indemnity Company

Nielsen, Coleen J.
American International Group (AIG)
Criminal Defense Attorneys Association, Nebraska
Insurance Information Service, Nebraska
Medco Health Solutions, Inc.
Merck & Company
State Farm Insurance Companies

Nowka, Trent P.
Cutshall & Nowka

Obst, Robert E.
Qwest Communications

O'Hara, Lindsay & Associates, Inc.
Ambulatory Centers, Nebraska Association of Independent
American Cancer Society
Aquila
Automobile Manufacturers, Alliance of
Beverage Association, Nebraska
Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Nebraska
City of Lincoln
City of Norfolk
City of Omaha
County Judges Association, Nebraska
Endow Nebraska

First National of Nebraska, Inc.
Hall County Livestock Improvement Association
Housing & Redevelopment Officials, Nebraska Chapter of the National
Association of
Humanities Council, Nebraska
Nebraskans Against the Death Penalty
Nucor Corporation
Omaha Public Power District
Omaha Public Schools
Peru State College Foundation
SourceGas Distribution, LLC
TicketMaster
TracFone Wireless, Inc.
Trial Attorneys, Nebraska Association of
Valmont Industries, Inc.
Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska

O'Hara, Paul V.
O'Hara, Lindsay & Associates, Inc.

Olsen, Keith R.
Farm Bureau Federation, Nebraska

O'Neill, Thomas J., Jr.
Independent Colleges & Universities of Nebraska (AICUN), Association
of

Orton, Leroy
Irrigation Association, Nebraska State
Waste Water Assn., Nebraska On-Site
Well Drillers Association, Nebraska

Othmer, Mark F.
Iowa/Nebraska Equipment Dealers Association

Otto, James A.
Restaurant Association, Nebraska
Retail Federation, Nebraska

Ozanne, Colleen K.
Center For People In Need

Pack, Mary M.
Radcliffe, Walter H. of Radcliffe & Associates

Paden, Nicholas
Cambridge Telephone Company
Clarks Telecommunications Co.
Consolidated Telephone Company

Great Plains Communications
Hamilton Telecommunications
Hartington Telecommunications, Inc.
Hershey Coop Telephone Co.
HunTel Systems, Inc.
Ignition Interlock Systems of IA, Inc.
K & M Telephone Company
Nebraska Central Telephone Company
Northeast Nebraska Telephone Co.
Stanton Telecom, Inc.
Three River Telco

Pallesen, Charles M., Jr.
Medical Association, Nebraska

Pappas, James E.
Independent Cattlemen of Nebraska
League of Human Dignity

Parker, David R.
Great West Casualty Company

Partington, Jim
Restaurant Association, Nebraska

Passarelli, Angelo D.
Millard Public Schools

Pearce, Denise K.
City of Lincoln

Peck, Kristin
Cox Nebraska Telcom, LLC

Peetz, Natalie, Peetz & Company
Apollo Group, Inc./Univ. of Phoenix
Children & Families Foundation, Nebraska
Cutshall & Nowka
Gamebird and Hunting Association, Nebraska
GWR Wealth Management
Kiewit Corporation
Metropolitan Entertainment & Convention Authority (Qwest Center
Omaha)
Omaha Community Playhouse
Pathologists, College of American
Pathologists, Nebraska Association of

Pence, Jeanne M.
Civil Air Patrol, NE Wing HQ

- Peters, William E.
Burlington Northern Santa Fe
Cigar Association of America, Inc.
- Peterson, Alan E.
Media of Nebraska, Inc.
- Peterson, Patricia Schuett
Investment Finance Authority, Nebraska
- Petsch, Jean M.
General Contractors, Associated (NE Building Chapter)
- Pieper, James S.
Metro Student Achievement Steering Committee
- Pierson, Darwin R.
Oil & Gas Association, Nebraska Independent
- Pollock, Andy
Gottsch Enterprises
NorthWestern Energy
Papio Valley Preservation Association
- Pillen, Jim
- Polt, Brendon A.
Health Care Association, Nebraska
- Popken, Kent T.
Qwest Communications
- Potter, Cara E.
National Association of Chain Drug Stores
- Ptacek, Patrick J.
Grain and Feed Association, Nebraska
- Purcell, Adam
Progressive Insurance
- Quandahl, Mark
Republican Party, Nebraska
- Radcliffe, Walter H. of Radcliffe & Associates
ALLTEL Communications
Bellevue Public Schools
Broadcasters Association, Nebraska
Cable Communications Association, Nebraska

Cemetery Association, Nebraska State
Certified Public Accountants, Nebraska Society of
Community Financial Services of America (CFSA) c/o MultiStates
Associates Inc.
Compensation Insurance, National Council on (NCCI)
Fair Board, Nebraska State
Father Flanagans Boys Home aka Girls and Boys Town
Father Flanagans Boys Home d/b/a Boys Town National Research
Hospital
Financial Services Coalition, Nebraska
Health Care Association, Nebraska
Home Builders Association, Nebraska State
Horsemen's Benevolent & Protective Association
INTRALOT USA
League of Nebraska Municipalities
Lincoln Public Schools
Media of Nebraska, Inc.
Medical Center, Nebraska
Motion Picture Association of America
Omaha Landlords Association (formerly Omaha Property Owners
Association)
Optometric Association, Nebraska
Pinnacle Bancorp, Inc.
Property Casualty Insurers Association of America
Public Health Funding, Nebraskans for
Pyrotechnics Association, Nebraska
Realtors Association, Nebraska
Research and Development Foundation, Nebraska
Small Smiles of Nebraska c/o Multistate Associates Inc.
State Troopers Association of Nebraska, Inc.
Tyson Foods, Inc.
University of Nebraska
UST Public Affairs, Inc.
Waste Connections, Inc.
Wholesale Liquor Distributors Association, Nebraska
Windstream

Rasmussen, Dennis
Keigher/Rasmussen & Associates, LLC

Rea, James M.
Lincoln Education Association

Redoutey, Laura J.
Hospital Association, Nebraska

Reiman, Charlene
SourceGas Distribution, LLC

Rempe, Jay E.

Farm Bureau Federation, Nebraska

Renner, Shawn D.

Media of Nebraska, Inc.

Rex, L. Lynn

League of Nebraska Municipalities

Richards, Thomas

Omaha Public Power District

Rieker, Bruce R.

Hospital Association, Nebraska

Riibe, Diane

Project Extra Mile

Ring, Kenneth T.

AARP

Robak, Kim M.

Ruth Mueller Robak LLC

Robertson, Rob J.

Farm Bureau Federation, Nebraska

Roland, Gene

SourceGas Distribution, LLC

Root, David

Medco Health Solutions, Inc.

Ruth Mueller Robak LLC

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Airport Officials, Nebraska Association of
American Express Travel Related Services, Inc.

Ash Grove Cement Co.

AT&T Corporation

Bankers Association, Heartland Community

Better Nebraska Association

Chief Industries, Inc.

Children and Family Coalition of Nebraska

Collectors Association, Nebraska

Commercial Property Owners, Nebraska Association of

Constellation NewEnergy Gas Division (formerly Cornerstone Energy,
Inc.)

Copic Companies

Court Reporters Association, Nebraska

Dental Association, Nebraska
Dermatology Society, Nebraska
District Court Judges Association, Nebraska
Duncan Aviation
Eastern Nebraska Development Council
eBay, Inc.
EHPV (Big Red) Lottery Services, LLC d/b/a Big Red Keno
Electrical Contractors Association, National
Engineers, American Society of Civil
Eye Physicians and Surgeons, Nebraska Academy of
First Data Corporation
General Contractors of America, NE Chapter, Associated
Independent Accountants, Nebraska Society of
Johnson Controls, Inc.
Kearney Area Chamber of Commerce
Lamar Advertising Company
Land Title Association, Nebraska
Lincoln Airport Authority
Lower Republican NRD
Lyman-Richey Corporation
Machinery Company, Nebraska
Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital
MDS Pharma Services (US), Inc.
MedImmune Incorporated
Methodist Health Systems, Nebraska
Millard Public Schools
Nebraska Interactive
Nebraska State Bar Association
Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America
Press Association, Nebraska
Sanofi Pasteur, (MultiState Associates, Inc on behalf of)
Southern Wine & Spirits of Nebraska, Inc.
Viaero Wireless
Vigilnet America Inc.

Ruth, Larry L.
Ruth Mueller Robak LLC

Ryan, Beth
Cutshall & Nowka

Sahling-Zart, Shelley R.
Lincoln Electric System

Schafer, Andrea R.
Norris Public Power District

Scherer, Larry
Education Association, Nebraska State

- Schimek, Herbert H.
Education Association, Nebraska State
- Schleppenbach, Greg
Catholic Conference, Nebraska
- Schmit Industries, Inc.
Advanced Bioenergy, LLC
Ag Processing, Inc.
Chiropractic Physicians Association, Nebraska
Husker Ag, LLC
KAPPA Ethanol, LLC
Moylan, James
NEDAK Ethanol LLC
US Bio Platte Valley, LLC
- Schmit-Albin, Julie
Nebraska Right to Life
- Schuller, Lynne
Horsemen's Benevolent & Protective Association
- Schultz, William E.
Marksmanship Association, Nebraska
- Seacrest, Kent
2015 Vision
- Sedlacek, Ronald J.
Chamber of Commerce & Industry, Nebraska
MoneyGram International (MoneyGram Payment Systems, Inc.)
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.
- Setzepfandt, Scott
HLR Service Corporation
- Sheard, James W., Jr.
Nebraska Change to Win Coalition c/o Teamsters Local 554
- Sher, Bradley L.
BryanLGH Health System
- Shultz, Jack L.
Motorcycle Industry Council, Inc.
- Siefken, Kathy
Grocery Industry Association, Nebraska
Shazam

- Skinner, Debra J.
Nebraska Travel Association
- Slusky Public Affairs LLC
Omaha Tribe of Nebraska
- Smith, Steve
Water Claim
- Snyder, Patricia
Health Care Association, Nebraska
- Sobotta, Russell
Sanofi-Aventis Group (Aventis, Inc.)
- Stilmock, Gerald M.
Brandt, Horan, Hallstrom and Stilmock
- Stremming, Troy A.
Ameristar Casinos, Inc.
- Sullivan, J. Scott
Credit Union League and Affiliates, Nebraska
- Swertzic, Michelle
Propane Gas Association, Nebraska
- Thompson, Ben
Slusky Public Affairs
- Todd, A. Loy, Jr.
Car & Truck Dealers Association, Nebraska New
- Trent-Vilim, Cathy
Berkshire Hathaway Homestate Companies
- Troutman, Gary
City of Bellevue
- Uhe, Fred J.
Sarpy County Board of Commissioners
- Ullstrom, Galen F.
Mutual of Omaha Insurance Company
- Valentin, Michaela L.
Blue Cross & Blue Shield of Nebraska

Vasina, Mark A.

Nebraskans for Peace, Inc.

Veak, Becky

Children & Families Foundation, Nebraska

Vickers, Tom

Community College Association, Nebraska

Educational Lands and Funds, Board of

Nurses Association, Nebraska

Propane Gas Association, Nebraska

Westside Community Schools

Vodvarka, Dan

Certified Public Accountants, Nebraska Society of

Wagner, Connie

Licensed Practical Nurse Association of Nebraska

Warth, Terry

Nebraska Public Power District

Watson, James S.

United Healthcare

Weber, Rocky

Cooperative Council, Nebraska

Werner, Terry

Social Workers, Nebraska Chapter, National Association of

Wesely, Don

City of Norfolk

Downtown Lincoln Association

Humane Society of the United States, The

Motorola, Inc.

Weston, Deborah L.

ARC of Nebraska

White, Rosemary

AAA Nebraska and The Auto Club Group

Wickman-Byrd, Barbara J.

Metro Omaha Builders Association

Wightman, Anna Castner

First National of Nebraska, Inc.

- Williams, David M.
Ameritas Life Insurance Corporation
- Wimmer, J. Kent
Western Sugar Cooperative (CO)
- Wininger, Dwight
Rural Telecommunications Coalition, Nebraska
- Winston, Ken
Library Association, Nebraska
Sierra Club, Nebraska
- Withem, Ron
University of Nebraska
- Wolf, Jesse
Education Association, Nebraska State
- Woythaler-Runestad, Carly
Hospital Association, Nebraska
- Wurster, Donald F.
National Indemnity Company
- Yost, Kurt T.
Bankers, Nebraska Independent Community
Central Nebraska Public Power & Irrigation District
Midwest Check Cashiers, Inc.
- Zaenglein, Norbert
Autobody Association, Nebraska
- Zumwinkle, Mike
Cargill Inc.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 901. Introduced by Johnson, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to liability limitations; to provide immunity for emergency management workers as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 902. Introduced by Pankonin, 2.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Uniform Controlled Substances Act; to amend section 28-410, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006,

and section 28-405, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to controlled substances; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 903. Introduced by Lathrop, 12; Adams, 24; Ashford, 20; Carlson, 38; Karpisek, 32; Louden, 49.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 77-3443, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 77-3442, 77-3444, 79-1028, 79-1073.01, 79-10,120, and 79-2111, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to adopt the Nebraska Elementary Attendance Region Act; to provide for tax levies as prescribed; to change provisions relating to applicable allowable growth rate; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 904. Introduced by Lautenbaugh, 18.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to veterans aid; to amend section 80-403, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to an application for relief; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 905. Introduced by Avery, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Commission; to amend sections 79-1312 and 79-1320, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 84-612 and 84-613, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to state intent; to create funds; to provide for funding for programming and operational costs; to change provisions relating to the Cash Reserve Fund; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 906. Introduced by Pankonin, 2.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Department of Health and Human Services; to amend sections 71-2619, 71-2620, 71-2621, and 71-5306, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to laboratories; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

MOTION - Withdraw LB740

Senator Fulton renewed his motion, MO104, found on page 168, to withdraw LB740.

The Fulton motion to withdraw prevailed with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 204. Senator Synowiecki renewed his amendment, AM845, found on page 968, First Session, 2007.

Senator Synowiecki moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 33 ayes, 0 nays, and 16 not voting.

The Synowiecki amendment was adopted with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 17 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

Senator Stuthman offered the following amendment:
AM1497

- 1 1. On page 2, line 27, strike "one full-time employee"
- 2 and insert "four full-time employees".

Senator Stuthman withdrew his amendment.

Senator Burling withdrew his amendments, AM274, AM273, and AM346, found on pages 523, 564, and 567, First Session, 2007.

Senator Burling offered the following amendment:
AM1552

- 1 1. Insert the following new section:
- 2 Sec. 2. Section 48-2103, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 3 Nebraska, is amended to read:
- 4 48-2103 For purposes of the Contractor Registration Act:
- 5 (1) Commissioner ~~shall mean~~ means the Commissioner of
- 6 Labor;
- 7 (2) Construction ~~shall mean~~ means work on real property
- 8 and annexations, including new work, additions, alterations,
- 9 reconstruction, installations, and repairs performed at one or more
- 10 different sites which may be dispersed geographically;
- 11 (3) Contractor ~~shall mean~~ means a person who engages
- 12 in the business of construction and ~~shall include~~ includes a
- 13 subcontractor, a general contractor, and any other person arranging
- 14 for the performance of construction. A person who earns less than
- 15 ~~one five~~ one thousand dollars annually or who performs work or has work
- 16 performed on ~~the person's his or her~~ his or her own property is not ~~shall not~~
- 17 ~~be a contractor; for purposes of the act;~~
- 18 (4) Department ~~shall mean~~ means the Department of Labor;
- 19 and
- 20 (5) Working days ~~shall mean~~ means Mondays through Fridays
- 21 but ~~shall does~~ does not include Saturdays, Sundays, or federal or state
- 22 holidays. In computing fifteen working days, the day of receipt of
- 23 any notice ~~shall not be~~ is not included and the last day of the
- 1 fifteen working days ~~shall be~~ is included.

- 2 2. On page 4, line 11, after "48-2102," insert
- 3 "48-2103,".
- 4 3. Renumber the remaining sections accordingly.

The Burling amendment was adopted with 35 ayes, 0 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Senator Synowiecki offered the following amendment:
AM1559

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM167)

- 1 1. On page 1, line 10, strike "2008" and insert "2009".

The Synowiecki amendment was adopted with 40 ayes, 0 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Senator Erdman requested a machine vote on the advancement of the bill.

Senator Synowiecki moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 41 ayes, 0 nays, and 8 not voting.

Senator Synowiecki requested a roll call vote on the advancement of the bill.

Voting in the affirmative, 25:

Adams	Engel	Kruse	Pankonin	Rogert
Ashford	Fulton	Lathrop	Pedersen	Schimek
Avery	Howard	McGill	Pirsch	Synowiecki
Chambers	Janssen	Nantkes	Preister	Wallman
Cornett	Kopplin	Pahls	Raikes	White

Voting in the negative, 20:

Burling	Erdman	Hansen	Karpisek	McDonald
Carlson	Fischer	Heidemann	Langemeier	Nelson
Christensen	Flood	Hudkins	Lautenbaugh	Stuthman
Dubas	Gay	Johnson	Louden	Wightman

Present and not voting, 2:

Aguilar	Friend
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Excused and not voting, 2:

Dierks	Harms
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Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment with 25 ayes, 20 nays, 2 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 204A. Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 171. ER8124, found on page 1864, First Session, 2007, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 171A. Senator Kopplin offered the following amendment:

AM1560

- 1 1. Strike original section 1 and insert the following new
- 2 section:
- 3 Section 1. There is hereby appropriated \$27,500 from the
- 4 General Fund and \$27,500 from federal funds for FY2008-09 to the
- 5 Department of Health and Human Services, for Program 33, to aid in
- 6 carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 171, One Hundredth
- 7 Legislature, Second Session, 2008.
- 8 Total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries
- 9 and per diems from funds appropriated in this section shall not
- 10 exceed \$40,000 for FY2008-09.

The Kopplin amendment was adopted with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 177. ER8125, found on page 1869, First Session, 2007, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 246. ER8126, found on page 1875, First Session, 2007, was adopted.

Senator Johnson renewed his amendment, AM1519, found on page 121.

The Johnson amendment was adopted with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 907. Introduced by Pirsch, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to corporations and other companies; to amend sections 21-1905, 21-2604, and 21-2611, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 21-2005, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to fees and names and certain limited liability company performance failures; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 908. Introduced by Pirsch, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to license plates; to amend sections 60-3,123 and 60-3,124, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to provide for issuance of certain veterans license plates for multiple vehicles as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 909. Introduced by Pirsch, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-603 and 28-604, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to provide for the aggregation of amounts in determining the classification of offenses for forgery in the second degree and criminal possession of a forged instrument; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 910. Introduced by Pirsch, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to government; to amend sections 37-1201 and 83-123, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 18-1214, 23-186, 60-111, and 60-320, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and section 60-101, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to require that titling and registration of vehicles and motorboats be performed by county treasurers as prescribed; to provide powers and duties for the Director of Motor Vehicles; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 911. Introduced by Hudkins, 21.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act; to amend sections 60-479, 60-495, 60-498, 60-4,113, 60-4,114, 60-4,117, 60-4,118.05, 60-4,121, 60-4,122, 60-4,126, 60-4,127, 60-4,148, 60-4,149, 60-4,151, 60-4,156, 60-4,157, and 60-4,181, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 60-484, 60-484.01, 60-490, 60-4,115, 60-4,118, 60-4,119, 60-4,120, 60-4,141, 60-4,142, 60-4,144, 60-4,145, 60-4,149.01, 60-4,150, and 60-1515, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and sections 60-462, 60-463, 60-493, 60-4,120.01, 60-4,123, and 60-4,124, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to define a term; to provide powers for the Department of Motor Vehicles regarding the design, production, issuance, payment, and renewal of operators' licenses and state identification cards; to eliminate county issuance of such licenses and cards; to change fees; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 912. Introduced by Avery, 28; Ashford, 20; Cornett, 45; Flood, 19; Fulton, 29; Hudkins, 21; McGill, 26; Nantkes, 46; Preister, 5; Schimek, 27; Wallman, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Convention Center Facility Financing Assistance Act; to amend section 13-2603, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to redefine terms as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 913. Introduced by Wightman, 36.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-2005 and 77-2040, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change inheritance tax provisions; to provide for applicability; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 914. Introduced by Revenue Committee: Janssen, 15, Chairperson; Burling, 33; Cornett, 45; Dierks, 40; Langemeier, 23; Preister, 5; Raikes, 25; White, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 66-723, 77-2709, 77-2777, 77-2778, 77-2780, 77-2792, 77-2793, 77-2796, 77-27,100, 77-4104, 77-4928, 77-5405, 77-5534, and 79-1034, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 21-2612, 66-720, 66-722, 66-1344, 77-2775, 77-5723, and 77-5726, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and sections 77-2711 and 77-27,187.02, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to limited liability companies, timeframes for certain filings and protests, interest and delinquent taxes, and a report; to eliminate funds; to create a fund; to provide operative dates; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 77-5732, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 915. Introduced by Revenue Committee: Janssen, 15, Chairperson; Burling, 33; Cornett, 45; Dierks, 40; Langemeier, 23; Preister, 5; Raikes, 25; White, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2769, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 77-2727, 77-2734.01, 77-2794, and 77-27,119, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and section 77-2717, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to income tax and disclosure of information; to provide operative dates; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 916. Introduced by Revenue Committee: Janssen, 15, Chairperson; Burling, 33; Cornett, 45; Dierks, 40; Langemeier, 23; Preister, 5; Raikes, 25; White, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-2701.32, 77-2704.26, 77-2704.45, and 77-2705, Reissue Revised

Statutes of Nebraska, section 77-2708, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and sections 77-2701, 77-2701.04, 77-2701.16, 77-2703, 77-2703.01, and 77-2704.09, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to sales and use tax exemptions and refund claims; to provide for sales tax treatment of digital works; to eliminate obsolete provisions; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 917. Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Rules of the Road; to amend sections 60-601, 60-605, and 60-6,294, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to define a term; to provide an exception to vehicle weight limits for idle reduction technology; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 918. Introduced by Pahls, 31.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the bank holding companies; to amend section 8-2106, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 8-910, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change provisions relating to bank holding company ownership limitations and interstate mergers; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 919. Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend section 60-3,198, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change provisions relating to the Motor Vehicle Registration Act; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 920. Introduced by Langemeier, 23.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to amend section 44-354, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to authorize insurance producers to charge incidental fees as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 921. Introduced by Dubas, 34; Schimek, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to energy; to amend sections 13-1205, 57-705, 58-221, 66-1004, 66-1009, 66-1337, 66-1701, 70-1003, 81-1108.55, 81-1601, 81-1602, 81-1603, 81-1606, 81-1607.01, 81-1626, 81-1635, 81-1636, 81-1637, 81-1638, 81-1639, 81-1640, 81-1641, and 84-166, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 2-5302, 72-804, 72-805, 81-1608, 81-1609, 81-1611, 81-1612, 81-1613, 81-1614, 81-1615, 81-1616, 81-1617, 81-1618, 81-1620, 81-1622, 81-1625, and 81-1634, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and sections 81-1201.04 and 81-1316, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to adopt the Nebraska Energy Independence Act; to create the Nebraska Energy Council; to rename the

State Energy Office; to transfer powers and duties to the Nebraska Office of Energy Independence; to harmonize provisions; to provide operative dates; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal sections 81-1605, 81-1607, and 81-1623, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 922. Introduced by Dubas, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 57-703, 57-705, 74-1320, and 74-1321, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Cellulosic Biomass Renewable Energy Initiative; to provide incentives for ethanol production; to impose an excise tax on natural gas; to change taxes on railroads and oil severed from land in Nebraska; to provide a penalty; to provide operative dates; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 923. Introduced by Dubas, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to energy; to amend sections 66-902, 66-910, and 66-911.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to leases and easements relating to wind energy and solar power; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 924. Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to water; to amend sections 37-807 and 46-2,110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 46-713, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to provide for offsets to streamflow depletions as prescribed; to change provisions relating to the Nongame and Endangered Species Conservation Act, instream flow appropriations, and evaluation of water supplies under the Nebraska Ground Water Management and Protection Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 925. Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to livestock; to amend sections 54-401 and 54-415, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to estrays; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 926. Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state employees; to prohibit mandatory overtime for certain employees as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 927. Introduced by Johnson, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to counties; to amend section 13-2801, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to provide factors favoring

the change of county boundaries as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 928. Introduced by Johnson, 37; McDonald, 41.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to repeal the Hepatitis C Education and Prevention Act; and to outright repeal sections 71-545, 71-546, 71-547, 71-548, 71-549, and 71-550, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 929. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to animals; to prohibit hunting, trapping, and fishing; and to provide penalties.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 930. Introduced by Cornett, 45.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to dangerous sex offender evaluations; to amend section 83-174.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to require an opinion on appropriate treatment as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 931. Introduced by Cornett, 45.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-1248, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to taxation of air carriers; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 932. Introduced by Ashford, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to correctional services; to create the Aging Prison Population Task Force; to provide powers and duties; and to provide a termination date.

RESOLUTIONS

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 226. Introduced by Fulton, 29.

WHEREAS, the State of Nebraska holds a great interest in the health and care of its citizens and its elder citizens in particular; and

WHEREAS, the state seeks to foster innovation in the care of its elder citizens; and

WHEREAS, the Coalition for Older Adult Health Promotion has achieved great success in promoting communication and coordination among elder care providers in southeast Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, the coalition exemplifies the innovative approach to elder care necessary to ensure the well-being of Nebraska's elder citizens.

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

1. That the Legislature recognizes the Coalition for Older Adult Health Promotion for its achievements.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Coalition for Older Adult Health Promotion.

Laid over.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 227. Introduced by Fulton, 29.

WHEREAS, the physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual health needs of Nebraska's infirm and elder residents are often met by family caregivers; and

WHEREAS, family caregivers often lack adequate community resources to optimize the health management of their family members; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Suzy Campbell, Ms. Jan Henderson, Ms. Pat Jarecke, Ms. Judy Smith, Ms. Virdalia Yazzie, and Ms. Marilyn Shaw, officially organized as "The Caregiver Chicks", have provided Nebraska family caregivers with a needed resource for optimal health management in a document known as the Caregiver Organizer; and

WHEREAS, the Coalition for Older Adult Health Promotion has recognized "The Caregiver Chicks" with its volunteers of the year award; and

WHEREAS, "The Caregiver Chicks" continue to work tirelessly in support of Nebraska's family caregivers.

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

1. That the Legislature recognizes "The Caregiver Chicks" for their dedication and achievements.

2. That a copy of this resolution be delivered to the members of "The Caregiver Chicks".

Laid over.

VISITORS

Visitors to the Chamber were Senator Pedersen's wife, daughter, son-in-law, and granddaughter, Priscilla Pedersen, and Megan, Michael, and Priscilla Catherine Nelson.

RECESS

At 11:56 a.m., on a motion by Speaker Flood, the Legislature recessed until 1:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Legislature reconvened at 1:30 p.m., President Sheehy presiding.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Harms and Preister who were excused; and Senators Carlson, Cornett, Dierks, and Loudon who were excused until they arrive.

REFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Legislative Council Executive Board submits the following report:

LB/LR	Committee
LB851	Banking, Commerce and Insurance
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LB856	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB857	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB858	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
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LB861	Agriculture
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LB865	Natural Resources
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LB868	Judiciary
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 LB889 Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
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 LB895 Revenue
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 LB897 Revenue
 LB898 Revenue
 LB899 Urban Affairs
 LB900 Banking, Commerce and Insurance
 LR223 Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
 LR224 Judiciary
 LR225CA Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

(Signed) L. Patrick Engel, Chairperson
 Legislative Council, Executive Board

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 253. Title read. Considered.

Senator Rogert asked unanimous consent to withdraw his amendment, AM1525, found on page 121, and replace it with his substitute amendment, AM1551. No objections. So ordered.

AM1551

- 1 1. On page 3, line 25; page 4, line 3; and page 6, lines
- 2 20 and 21, strike "2007" and insert "2008".
- 3 2. On page 4, lines 4 and 7; page 7, lines 6 and 11; page
- 4 11, lines 20 and 22; page 12, lines 18 and 20; page 16, lines 14,
- 5 16, and 24; and page 21, line 16, strike "2008" and insert "2009".
- 6 3. On page 16, line 23, strike "1987" and insert "1988".
- 7 4. On page 22, strike beginning with "to" in line 3
- 8 through the comma in line 5 and show the old matter as stricken;
- 9 and strike beginning with "(4)" in line 23 through line 25 and show
- 10 the old matter as stricken.
- 11 5. On page 23, strike beginning with the first "the" in
- 12 line 1 through the semicolon in line 4 and show the old matter as
- 13 stricken; and in line 4 strike "(5)" and insert "(4)".
- 14 6. On page 26, line 14, strike "2008" and insert "2009".

Pending.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 933. Introduced by Ashford, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to amend section 24-508, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to clerk magistrates; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 934. Introduced by Ashford, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-1206, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to possession of a deadly weapon by a felon; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 935. Introduced by Ashford, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to amend section 25-534, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 84-917 and 86-2,107, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change provisions relating to service of documents other than summons; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 936. Introduced by Friend, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to labor; to amend section 48-219, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for a fair share representation contribution by employees who are not members of certain labor organizations for representation provided by the labor organization; to eliminate provisions; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original section; and to outright repeal sections 48-217 and 48-218, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 937. Introduced by Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee: Synowiecki, 7, Chairperson; Erdman, 47; Heidemann, 1; Karpisek, 32; Loudon, 49; White, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to retirement; to amend sections 23-2306 and 84-1307, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and sections 23-2320 and 84-1322, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change contribution requirements under the County Employees Retirement Act and the State Employee Retirement Act; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 938. Introduced by Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee: Synowiecki, 7, Chairperson; Erdman, 47; Heidemann, 1; Karpisek, 32; Loudon, 49; White, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to retirement; to amend sections 23-2309.01, 23-2310.05, 84-1310.01, and 84-1311.03, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change contribution allocation provisions relating to the County Employees Retirement Act and the State Employees Retirement Act; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 939. Introduced by Heidemann, 1; Carlson, 38; Christensen, 44; Dubas, 34; Fischer, 43; Hudkins, 21; Kopplin, 3; Louden, 49; Wallman, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public lettings; to amend sections 13-824.01, 18-2442, and 70-637, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change bidding requirements; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 940. Introduced by Kruse, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to medical assistance program; to state intent relating to pharmacy reimbursements for dispensing fees.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 941. Introduced by Stuthman, 22.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend section 60-3,134, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and section 60-301, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to provide for use of historical license plates on historical vehicles registered for general purposes; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 942. Introduced by Pedersen, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to parole; to amend section 83-1,121, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to revocation of parole; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 943. Introduced by Pedersen, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicle operators' licenses; to amend section 60-484.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to provide for release of digital images by the Department of Motor Vehicles to parole and probation officers; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 944. Introduced by Synowiecki, 7; Adams, 24; Cornett, 45; Johnson, 37; McGill, 26; Nelson, 6; Preister, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2704.56, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to exempt purchases by museums of items for live production of performing arts; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 945. Introduced by Pedersen, 39; Hudkins, 21;

Lautenbaugh, 18; Preister, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to natural resources districts; to amend section 2-3235, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to limit the authority of districts as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 946. Introduced by Burling, 33.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to ethanol; to amend sections 61-218, 66-1345, 66-1345.01, and 66-1345.02, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to impose a tax on ethanol production and provide for its use; to provide a penalty; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 947. Introduced by Friend, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to cities and villages; to amend sections 16-321 and 17-568.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to increase minimum bidding amount requirements for cities of the first and second class and villages as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 948. Introduced by Karpisek, 32; Carlson, 38; Dubas, 34; Rogert, 16; Stuthman, 22; Wallman, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to volunteer emergency responders; to adopt the Volunteer Emergency Responders Job Protection Act.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 949. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2704.12, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change a sales tax exemption for health clinics; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 950. Introduced by Pirsch, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend sections 60-697, 60-698, and 60-6,198, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change provisions relating to the duty to stop in the event of an accident and driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 951. Introduced by Kopplin, 3.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to umbilical cord blood; to state intent; to define terms; to provide for pamphlets; and to provide duties for the Department of Health and Human Services and physicians.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 253. The Rogert amendment, AM1551, found in this day's Journal, was renewed.

Senator Erdman moved the previous question. The question is, "Shall the debate now close?" The motion prevailed with 28 ayes, 3 nays, and 18 not voting.

The Rogert amendment was adopted with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

Senator Rogert renewed his amendment, AM1535, found on page 122.

Senator Erdman moved the previous question. The question is, "Shall the debate now close?" The motion prevailed with 26 ayes, 4 nays, and 19 not voting.

The Rogert amendment was adopted with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Rogert offered the following amendment:

AM1547

- 1 1. Insert the following new sections:
- 2 Sec. 2. Section 60-387, Revised Statutes Supplement,
- 3 2007, is amended to read:
- 4 60-387 (1) An application for registration of a motor
- 5 vehicle shall be accompanied by proof of financial responsibility
- 6 or evidence of insurance covering the motor vehicle. Proof of
- 7 financial responsibility shall be evidenced by a copy of proof of
- 8 financial responsibility filed pursuant to subdivision (2), (3), or
- 9 (4) of section 60-528 bearing the seal of the department. Evidence
- 10 of insurance shall give the effective dates of the automobile
- 11 liability policy, which dates shall be evidence that the coverage
- 12 is in effect on and following the date of registration, and shall
- 13 designate, by explicit description or by appropriate reference,
- 14 all motor vehicles covered. Evidence of insurance in the form of
- 15 a certificate of insurance for fleet vehicles may include, as an
- 16 appropriate reference, a designation that the insurance coverage is
- 17 applicable to all vehicles owned by the named insured, or wording
- 18 of similar effect, in lieu of an explicit description. Proof of
- 19 financial responsibility also may be evidenced by ~~(4)~~(a) a check
- 20 by the department or its agents of the motor vehicle insurance data
- 21 base created under section 60-3,136 or ~~(2)~~(b) any other automated
- 22 or electronic means as prescribed or developed by the department.
- 23 For purposes of this section, fleet means a group of at least five
- 1 vehicles that belong to the same owner.
- 2 (2) If a motorcycle is being registered, an application
- 3 for registration of the motorcycle shall be accompanied by, in

4 addition to the requirements of subsection (1) of this section,
5 proof of current and effective medical reimbursement insurance
6 coverage of no less than one million dollars.

7 Sec. 3. Section 60-390, Revised Statutes Cumulative
8 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:

9 60-390 The certificate of registration shall contain upon
10 the face thereof the name of the registered owner of the motor
11 vehicle or trailer, his or her residential mailing address, a
12 description of the motor vehicle or trailer as set forth in the
13 application for registration, and whether alternative fuel was used
14 to propel the motor vehicle and, if so, the type of fuel. The
15 certificate of registration shall have and contain the identical
16 registration number denoted on the license plate in connection
17 with which such certificate of registration is issued and shall
18 be valid only for the registration period for which it is issued.
19 On the back of the certificate, the certificate of registration
20 shall include a statement in boldface print that an automobile
21 liability policy or proof of financial responsibility is required
22 in Nebraska. On the back of the certificate for a motorcycle, the
23 certificate of registration shall include a statement in boldface
24 print that an automobile liability policy or proof of financial
25 responsibility and proof of insurance as provided in subsection
26 (2) of section 60-387 is required in Nebraska. By paying the
required registration fees, every person whose name appears on
1 the registration of the motor vehicle or trailer certifies that
2 a current and effective automobile liability policy or proof of
3 financial responsibility will be maintained for the motor vehicle
4 or trailer at the time of registration and while the motor vehicle
5 or trailer is operated on a highway of this state and that he or
6 she will also provide a current and effective automobile liability
7 policy, evidence of insurance, or proof of financial responsibility
8 for the motor vehicle or trailer upon demand. By paying the
9 required registration fees, every person whose name appears on the
10 registration of a motorcycle certifies that a current and effective
11 automobile liability policy or proof of financial responsibility
12 and proof of insurance as provided in subsection (2) of section
13 60-387 will be maintained for the motor vehicle or trailer at
14 the time of registration and while the motor vehicle or trailer
15 is operated on a highway of this state and that he or she will
16 also provide a current and effective automobile liability policy,
17 evidence of insurance, or proof of financial responsibility and
18 proof of insurance as provided in subsection (2) of section 60-387
19 for the motorcycle upon demand.

20 Sec. 5. Section 60-3,167, Revised Statutes Cumulative
21 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:

22 60-3,167 (1) It shall be unlawful for any owner of a
23 motor vehicle or trailer which is being operated or towed with
24 In Transit stickers pursuant to section 60-376, which is being
25 operated or towed pursuant to section 60-365 or 60-369, or which

26 is required to be registered in this state and which is operated
27 or towed on a public highway of this state to allow the operation
1 or towing of the motor vehicle or trailer on a public highway
2 of this state without having a current and effective automobile
3 liability policy, evidence of insurance, or proof of financial
4 responsibility. With respect to the operation of a motorcycle under
5 this subsection, the owner shall also be required to have insurance
6 coverage as provided in subsection (2) of section 60-387. The owner
7 shall be presumed to know of the operation or towing of his or her
8 motor vehicle or trailer on a highway of this state in violation of
9 this section when the motor vehicle or trailer is being operated or
10 towed by a person other than the owner.

11 (2) An owner of a motor vehicle or trailer who operates
12 or tows the motor vehicle or trailer or allows the operation or
13 towing of the motor vehicle or trailer in violation of this section
14 shall be guilty of a Class II misdemeanor and shall be advised by
15 the court that his or her motor vehicle operator's license, motor
16 vehicle certificate of registration, and license plates will be
17 suspended by the department until he or she complies with sections
18 60-505.02 and 60-528. Upon conviction the owner shall have his
19 or her motor vehicle operator's license, motor vehicle certificate
20 of registration, and license plates suspended by the department
21 until he or she complies with sections 60-505.02 and 60-528.
22 The owner shall also be required to comply with section 60-528
23 for a continuous period of three years after the violation. This
24 subsection shall not apply to motor vehicles or trailers registered
25 in another state.

26 ~~(2)-(3)~~ An owner who is unable to produce a current
27 and effective automobile liability policy, evidence of insurance,
1 or proof of financial responsibility upon the request of a law
2 enforcement officer shall be allowed ten days after the date of
3 the request to produce proof to the appropriate prosecutor or
4 county attorney that a current and effective automobile liability
5 policy or proof of financial responsibility was in existence
6 for the motor vehicle or trailer at the time of such request.
7 An owner of a motorcycle who is unable to produce a current
8 and effective automobile liability policy, evidence of insurance,
9 or proof of financial responsibility and proof of insurance as
10 provided in subsection (2) of section 60-387 upon the request of a
11 law enforcement officer shall be allowed ten days after the date
12 of the request to produce proof to the appropriate prosecutor or
13 county attorney that a current and effective automobile liability
14 policy or proof of financial responsibility and proof of insurance
15 as provided in subsection (2) of section 60-387 was in existence
16 for the motor vehicle or trailer at the time of such request. Upon
17 presentation of such proof, the citation shall be dismissed by the
18 prosecutor or county attorney without cost to the owner and no
19 prosecution for the offense cited shall occur.

20 ~~(3)-(4)~~ The department shall, for any person convicted

21 for a violation of this section, reinstate such person's operator's
 22 license, motor vehicle certificate of registration, and license
 23 plates and rescind any order requiring such person to comply with
 24 section 60-528 without cost to such person upon presentation to the
 25 director that, at the time such person was cited for a violation of
 26 this section, a current and effective automobile liability policy
 27 or proof of financial responsibility or proof of insurance as
 1 provided in subsection (2) of section 60-387 was in existence for
 2 the motor vehicle or trailer at the time the citation was issued.
 3 2. Renumber the remaining sections and correct internal
 4 references accordingly, and correct the operative date provision
 5 so that the sections added by this amendment become operative on
 6 January 1, 2009.

Senator Nantkes moved the previous question. The question is, "Shall the debate now close?" The motion prevailed with 25 ayes, 6 nays, and 18 not voting.

Senator Rogert moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 29 ayes, 0 nays, and 20 not voting.

The Rogert amendment was adopted with 25 ayes, 12 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

Pending.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 952. Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state administrative departments; to amend section 81-119, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 86-2,106, 86-2,107, and 86-2,108, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006; to change and eliminate provisions relating to administrative subpoena powers; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 953. Introduced by Nelson, 6.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to liens; to amend section 60-107, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and sections 60-137, 60-147, and 60-164, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to mobile homes and manufactured homes; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 954. Introduced by Dierks, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to amend section 71-531, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to human immunodeficiency virus testing; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 955. Introduced by Dierks, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Liquor Control Act; to amend section 53-169.01, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change provisions relating to a manufacturer's interest in a licensed wholesaler; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 956. Introduced by Schimek, 27; Ashford, 20; Dubas, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Job Training Cash Fund; to amend sections 81-1202 and 81-1205, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 81-1201.21, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to provide for small and rural employer grants; to change provisions relating to job training grants; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 957. Introduced by Ashford, 20; Aguilar, 35; Flood, 19; Friend, 10; Fulton, 29; Gay, 14; Pirsch, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to criminal procedure; to amend sections 29-2264, 29-4001, 29-4003, 29-4004, 29-4005, 29-4006, 29-4007, 29-4009, 29-4011, 29-4016, and 83-174.03, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and section 29-4013, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to change and eliminate provisions relating to the Sex Offender Registration Act; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 29-4010, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 253. Senator Johnson offered the following motion:
MO105
Bracket until March 15, 2008.

Senator Johnson withdrew his motion to bracket.

Senator Chambers offered the following motion:
MO106
Indefinitely postpone.

Laid over.

BILL ON FIRST READING

The following bill was read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 958. Introduced by Ashford, 20; Avery, 28; Howard, 9; Kruse, 13; McGill, 26; Pedersen, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to firearms; to amend sections 28-1201, 28-1205, 69-2409.01, and 69-2426, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, section 69-2404, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, and section 28-101, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2007; to require reporting of lost or stolen firearms; to provide duties for retail sellers of firearms; to create the Gun Violence Commission and provide powers and duties; to require the tracing of certain firearms by law enforcement agencies as prescribed; to authorize the Nebraska State Patrol to conduct certain firearm public awareness activities; to provide other duties for the patrol; to change provisions relating to handgun purchase certificates; to change provisions relating to firearms information; to change and provide penalties; to harmonize provisions; to provide a termination date; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

AMENDMENTS - Print in Journal

Senator Rogert filed the following amendment to LB253A:
AM1543

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following
2 new sections:

3 Section 1. There is hereby appropriated \$34,125 from
4 the Department of Motor Vehicles Cash Fund for FY2008-09 to
5 the Department of Motor Vehicles, for Program 70, to aid in
6 carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 253, One Hundredth
7 Legislature, Second Session, 2008.

8 No expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and
9 per diems for state employees shall be made from funds appropriated
10 in this section.

11 Sec. 2. There is hereby appropriated (1) \$66,213 from the
12 Motorcycle Safety Education Fund and \$47,295 from the Motorcycle
13 Safety and Training Fund for FY2008-09 and (2) \$195,269 from the
14 Motorcycle Safety and Training Fund for FY2009-10 to the Department
15 of Motor Vehicles, for Program 644, to aid in carrying out the
16 provisions of Legislative Bill 253, One Hundredth Legislature,
17 Second Session, 2008.

18 Total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries
19 and per diems from funds appropriated in this section shall not
20 exceed \$24,265 for FY2008-09 or \$33,162 for FY2009-10.

Senator Howard filed the following amendment to LB205:
AM1563

1 1. On page 2, line 12, strike "2007" and insert "2009".

Senator Rogert filed the following amendment to LB253:
 FA152
 Strike section 21.

Senator Hudkins filed the following amendment to LB663A:
 AM1561

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following
- 2 new sections:
- 3 Section 1. There is hereby appropriated (1) \$208,000 from
- 4 the General Fund for FY2008-09 and (2) \$251,000 from the General
- 5 Fund for FY2009-10 to the Department of Revenue, for Program 112,
- 6 to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 663, One
- 7 Hundredth Legislature, Second Session, 2008.
- 8 Sec. 2. There is hereby appropriated \$4,500,000 from the
- 9 General Fund for FY2009-10 to the State Department of Education,
- 10 for Program 158, to aid in carrying out the provisions of
- 11 Legislative Bill 663, One Hundredth Legislature, Second Session,
- 12 2008.
- 13 There is included in the amount shown for FY2009-10
- 14 \$4,500,000 General Funds which are hereby appropriated to the Tax
- 15 Equity and Educational Opportunities Fund, which fund is hereby
- 16 appropriated to provide state aid to public school districts
- 17 pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support
- 18 Act.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducers

Senator Pedersen asked unanimous consent to add his name as cointroducer to LB743. No objections. So ordered.

Senators Hansen and Karpisek asked unanimous consent to add their names as cointroducers to LB770. No objections. So ordered.

Senator Kopplin asked unanimous consent to add his name as cointroducer to LB807. No objections. So ordered.

Senators Raikes, Rogert, and Schimek asked unanimous consent to add their names as cointroducers to LB843. No objections. So ordered.

Senator Synowiecki asked unanimous consent to add his name as cointroducer to LB943. No objections. So ordered.

VISITORS

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Glenn Hurst from Omaha.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:44 p.m., on a motion by Speaker Flood, the Legislature adjourned until 9:45 a.m., Tuesday, January 15, 2008.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature