ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2010 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB935

Hearing Date: Tuesday January 26, 2010

Committee On: Appropriations **Introducer:** Speaker Flood

One Liner: Provide for deficit appropriations and change certain appropriations

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye: 9 Senators Conrad, Fulton, Hansen, Harms, Heidemann, Mello, Nelson,

Nordquist, Wightman

Nay:

Absent:

Present Not Voting:

Proponents: Representing:

Gerry Oligmueller Introducer - Governor's Budget Office

Opponents: Representing:

John Childears Self

Neutral: Representing:

Steve Sorum Nebraska Ethanol Board

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 935, introduced by the Speaker at the request of the Governor, represents the Governor's mid-biennium budget recommendations. This bill increases or decreases specific appropriations and reappropriations for the current fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, as well as for the next fiscal year July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011, increases transfers from the Securities Act Cash Fund to the General Fund, and modifies intent language and earmarks accompanying appropriations approved by the 101st Legislature. The changes to appropriations are made due to circumstances that were unforeseen when the budget bills were enacted during the 2009 regular session and 2009 special session of the Legislature.

Explanation of amendments:

The amendment becomes the bill. The amendment contains the Appropriations Committee's recommendation adjustments to appropriations and transfers to be in effect during the budget biennium for state operations and state aid.

Please refer to "Appropriations Committee Budget Recommendations, Mid-Biennium Budget Adjustments FY 2009-10 and FY 2010-11," published March, 2010, for specific details of the Committee recommendation.

Lavon Heidemann, Chairperson