

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

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LEGISLATIVE BILL 770

FINAL READING

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Committee: Executive Board

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to state government; to amend sections
2 49-501.01 and 49-508, Reissue Revised Statutes of
3 Nebraska, and section 49-617, Revised Statutes Cumulative
4 Supplement, 2008; to change provisions relating to the
5 distribution of the session laws and journal of the
6 Legislature and copies of the statutes; to repeal the
7 original sections; and to declare an emergency.
8 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 49-501.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of
2 Nebraska, is amended to read:

3 49-501.01 The session laws and journal of the Legislature
4 shall be compiled and published by the Clerk of the Legislature
5 after each regular session of the Legislature. The session laws
6 and journal may be published in print or electronic format or in
7 both formats. The session laws shall contain all the laws passed by
8 the preceding session as well as those passed during any special
9 session since the last regular session. The clerk shall distribute
10 ~~two copies~~ one copy of the session laws and journal to each person
11 who was a member of the Legislature by which the laws were enacted
12 and shall distribute a second copy to any such person upon his or
13 her request. The clerk shall provide the session laws and journals
14 to the Secretary of State for distribution pursuant to sections
15 49-501 to 49-509.01.

16 Sec. 2. Section 49-508, Reissue Revised Statutes of
17 Nebraska, is amended to read:

18 49-508 The new members of each Legislature shall be
19 furnished by the State Librarian or his or her designee, at the
20 commencement of the first session for which they are elected, with
21 ~~two copies~~ one copy of each of the session laws and journals of the
22 preceding session, with a second copy furnished to any such member
23 upon his or her request.

24 Sec. 3. Section 49-617, Revised Statutes Cumulative
25 Supplement, 2008, is amended to read:

1 49-617 The Revisor of Statutes shall cause the statutes
2 to be printed. The printer shall deliver all completed copies to
3 the Supreme Court. These copies shall be held and disposed of
4 by the court as follows: Sixty copies to the State Library to
5 exchange for statutes of other states; five copies to the State
6 Library to keep for daily use; not to exceed twenty-five copies
7 to the Legislative Council for bill drafting and related services
8 to the Legislature and executive state officers; as many copies
9 to the Attorney General as he or she has attorneys on his or her
10 staff; as many copies to the Commission on Public Advocacy as it
11 has attorneys on its staff; up to sixteen copies to the State
12 Court Administrator; thirteen copies to the Tax Commissioner; eight
13 copies to the Nebraska Publications Clearinghouse; six copies to
14 the Public Service Commission; four copies to the Secretary of
15 State; four copies to the Tax Equalization and Review Commission;
16 four copies to the Clerk of the Legislature for use in his or
17 her office and three copies to be maintained in the legislative
18 chamber, one copy on each side of the chamber and one copy at
19 the desk of the Clerk of the Legislature, under control of the
20 sergeant at arms; ~~three copies to the Auditor of Public Accounts;~~
21 three copies to the Department of Health and Human Services; two
22 copies each to the Governor of the state, the Chief Justice and
23 each judge of the Supreme Court, each judge of the Court of
24 Appeals, the Clerk of the Supreme Court, the Reporter of the
25 Supreme Court and Court of Appeals, the Commissioner of Labor,

1 the Auditor of Public Accounts, and the Revisor of Statutes;
2 one copy each to the Secretary of State of the United States,
3 each Indian tribal court located in the State of Nebraska, the
4 library of the Supreme Court of the United States, the Adjutant
5 General, the Air National Guard, the Commissioner of Education,
6 the State Treasurer, the Board of Educational Lands and Funds, the
7 Director of Agriculture, the Director of Administrative Services,
8 the Director of Aeronautics, the Director of Economic Development,
9 the director of the Nebraska Public Employees Retirement Board,
10 Systems, the Director-State Engineer, the Director of Banking
11 and Finance, the Director of Insurance, the Director of Motor
12 Vehicles, the Director of Veterans' Affairs, the Director of
13 Natural Resources, the Director of Correctional Services, the
14 Nebraska Emergency Operating Center, each judge of the Nebraska
15 Workers' Compensation Court, each commissioner of the Commission
16 of Industrial Relations, the Nebraska Liquor Control Commission,
17 the State Real Estate Commission, the secretary of the Game and
18 Parks Commission, the Board of Pardons, each state institution
19 under the Department of Health and Human Services, each state
20 institution under the State Department of Education, the State
21 Surveyor, the Nebraska State Patrol, the materiel division of
22 the Department of Administrative Services, the personnel division
23 of the Department of Administrative Services, the Nebraska Motor
24 Vehicle Industry Licensing Board, the Board of Trustees of the
25 Nebraska State Colleges, each of the Nebraska state colleges, each

1 district judge of the State of Nebraska, each judge of the county
2 court, each judge of a separate juvenile court, the Lieutenant
3 Governor, each United States Senator from Nebraska, each United
4 States Representative from Nebraska, each clerk of the district
5 court for the use of the district court, the clerk of the Nebraska
6 Workers' Compensation Court, each clerk of the county court, each
7 county attorney, each county public defender, each county law
8 library, and the inmate library at all state penal and correctional
9 institutions, and each member of the Legislature shall be entitled
10 to two complete sets, and two complete sets of such volumes as are
11 necessary to update previously issued volumes, but each member of
12 the Legislature and each judge of any court referred to in this
13 section shall be entitled, on request, to an additional complete
14 set. Copies of the statutes distributed without charge, as listed
15 in this section, shall be the property of the state or governmental
16 subdivision of the state and not the personal property of the
17 particular person receiving a copy. Distribution of statutes to the
18 library of the College of Law of the University of Nebraska shall
19 be as provided in sections 85-176 and 85-177.

20 Sec. 4. Original sections 49-501.01 and 49-508, Reissue
21 Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 49-617, Revised Statutes
22 Cumulative Supplement, 2008, are repealed.

23 Sec. 5. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect
24 when passed and approved according to law.