SEVENTY-SIXTH DAY - MAY 11, 2009

LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL

ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE FIRST SESSION

SEVENTY-SIXTH DAY

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska Monday, May 11, 2009

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Pastor Perry Gauthier, Capitol Ministries, Lincoln.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 10:00 a.m., Speaker Flood presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Cornett, Giese, and Wallman who were excused; and Senators Carlson, Gloor, Rogert, and Stuthman who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the seventy-fifth day was approved.

RESOLUTION

Pursuant to Rule 4, Sec. 5(b), LR105 was adopted.

SPEAKER SIGNED

While the Legislature was in session and capable of transacting business, the Speaker signed the following: LR105.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545. ER8108, found on page 1289, was adopted.

Senator Louden asked unanimous consent to withdraw his amendment, AM1172, found on page 1162, and replace it with his substitute amendment, AM1347, found on page 1385. No objections. So ordered.

The Louden amendment was adopted with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

Senator Adams asked unanimous consent to withdraw his amendment, AM1327, found on page 1384, and replace it with his substitute amendment, AM1370. No objections. So ordered.

AM1370 is available in the Bill Room.

SENATOR FRIEND PRESIDING

Pending.

AMENDMENT - Print in Journal

Senator Langemeier filed the following amendment to <u>LB503</u>: AM1367

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1080)

- 1. On page 2, line 27, after "standards" insert "and
- 2 applicable building and safety codes".

RESOLUTIONS

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 113. Introduced by McGill, 26.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine whether Nebraska should update provisions of the Nebraska Criminal Code relating to the degrees and types of homicides that may be charged under Nebraska law. In order to carry out the purpose of this resolution, the committee should seek and consider the input of interested persons as the committee deems necessary and beneficial.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

- 1. That the Judiciary Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.
- 2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.

Referred to the Executive Board.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 114. Introduced by McGill, 26.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to study whether Nebraska should amend the Delayed Deposit Services Licensing Act, sections 45-901 to 45-929, to provide for greater consumer protections for customers of "payday lenders." The study should include an examination of issues raised during consideration of LB431 (McGill), which was introduced in 2009 and which was referenced to and is pending in the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee. In order to carry out the purpose of this resolution, the study committee should seek the assistance of the Department of

Banking and Finance and should consider the input of interested persons as the committee deems necessary and beneficial.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

- 1. That the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.
- 2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.

Referred to the Executive Board.

VISITORS

Visitors to the Chamber were Roland and Adelyne Koranda from Wahoo and Janet Koranda from Fremont; Senator Utter's wife, Kathy Utter, and Ron and Delores Michalek from Hastings; members of PEO-Chapter G to Z from Hastings; 50 fourth-grade students, teachers, and sponsors from Florence Elementary, Omaha; 36 fourth-grade students from Centennial Elementary, Utica; 40 sixth-grade students from Doniphan/Trumball, Doniphan; and 17 adult English students from Omaha.

RECESS

At 11:58 a.m., on a motion by Senator Nantkes, the Legislature recessed until 1:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Legislature reconvened at 1:30 p.m., Senator Langemeier presiding.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Cornett, Giese, and Wallman who were excused; and Senators Carlson, Christensen, Coash, Dierks, and Schilz who were excused until they arrive.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 311. Placed on Final Reading. **LEGISLATIVE BILL 312.** Placed on Final Reading. **LEGISLATIVE BILL 313.** Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 314. Placed on Final Reading.

ST9041

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

- 1. In the Standing Committee amendments, AM888:
- a. On page 26, line 3, the period has been struck; and b. On page 27, line 15, "Programs" has been struck and "Program" inserted.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 315. Placed on Final Reading.

ST9037

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

- 1. In the Standing Committee amendments, AM889:
- a. On page 39, line 10, "FY2009-11" has been struck and "2009-11" inserted: and
 - b. On page 123, line 18, "total of" has been struck and "of total" inserted.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 316. Placed on Final Reading.

ST9038

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

- 1. In the Standing Committee amendments, AM890, on page 2, line 24, "(2)(j)" has been struck and "(2)(k)" inserted.
- 2. In the E & R amendments, ER8115, on page 1, line 9, "and 85-415" has been struck and "85-415, and 85-421" inserted; and in line 10 "and 71-8805" has been struck and "71-8805, and 77-2602.04" inserted.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 318. Placed on Final Reading.

ST9040

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. On page 1, line 4, "to provide an operative date;" has been inserted after the semicolon; and in line 5 "to provide an operative date;" has been struck.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 414. Placed on Final Reading.

ST9039

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the E & R amendments, ER8114, on page 3, line 25, "and" has been inserted after the second comma.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 414A. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 456. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 628. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 629. Placed on Final Reading.

(Signed) Jeremy Nordquist, Chairperson

RESOLUTION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 115. Introduced by Langemeier, 23.

PURPOSE: To investigate and review matters and issues arising during the interim which are within the jurisdiction of the Natural Resources Committee of the Legislature.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

- 1. That the Natural Resources Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.
- 2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.

Referred to the Executive Board.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545. The Adams amendment, AM1370, found in this day's Journal, was renewed.

Senator Dubas moved the previous question. The question is, "Shall the debate now close?" The motion prevailed with 32 ayes, 1 nay, and 16 not voting.

The Adams amendment was adopted with 40 ayes, 0 nays, 5 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Senator Adams renewed his amendment, AM1357, found on page 1384.

The Adams amendment was adopted with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545A. ER8127, found on page 1390, was adopted.

Senator Adams offered the following amendment: AM1369

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following
- 2 new sections:
- 3 Section 1. Section 49, Legislative Bill 315, One Hundred
- 4 First Legislature, First Session, 2009, is amended to read:
- 5 Sec. 49. AGENCY NO. 13 STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
- 6 Program No. 158 Education Aid
- 7 FY2009-10 FY2010-11

8	GENERAL FUND	1,035,897,500	1,036,675,660
9	GENERAL FUND	1,034,708,390	1,035,716,478
10	CASH FUND	3,290,938	3,290,938
11	FEDERAL FUND est.	364,083,935	440,776,314
12	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,403,272,373	1,480,742,912
13	FEDERAL FUND est.	<u>373,683,935</u>	<u>431,176,314</u>
14	PROGRAM TOTAL	1,411,683,263	1,470,183,730
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There is included in the appropriation to this program 15

16 for FY2009-10 \$1,035,897,500 \$1,034,708,390 General Funds,

- \$3,290,938 Cash Funds, and \$364,083,935 \$373,683,935 Federal
- 18 Funds estimate for state aid, which shall only be used for such
- 19 purpose. There is included in the appropriation to this program for
- 20 FY2010-11 \$1,036,675,660 \$1,035,716,478 General Funds, \$3,290,938
- 21 Cash Funds, and \$440,776,314 \$431,176,314 Federal Funds estimate
- 22 for state aid, which shall only be used for such purpose.
- 23 There is included in the amount shown for FY2009-10
- 24 \$826,149,269 \$824,960,159 General Funds which are hereby
 - appropriated to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities 1
 - Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated to provide state aid to
 - public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational
 - 4 Opportunities Support Act. There is included in the amount shown
 - for FY2010-11 \$826,887,980 \$825,928,798 General Funds which are
 - hereby appropriated to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities
 - Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated to provide state aid to
- 8 public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational
- 9 Opportunities Support Act.
- 10 There is included in the amount shown for FY2009-10
- 11 \$84,068,750 \$93,668,750 Federal Funds estimate pursuant to the
- 12 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 which are hereby
- 13 appropriated to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Fund,
- 14 which fund is hereby appropriated to provide state aid to public
- 15 school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and Educational
- 16 Opportunities Support Act. There is included in the amount shown
- 17 for FY2010-11 \$149,887,176 \$140,287,176 Federal Funds estimate
- 18 pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009
- 19 which are hereby appropriated to the Tax Equity and Educational
- 20 Opportunities Fund, which fund is hereby appropriated to provide
- 21 state aid to public school districts pursuant to the Tax Equity and
- 22 Educational Opportunities Support Act.

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- 23 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 24 \$184,893,842 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 for
- 25 special education reimbursement. There is included in the amount
- shown for this program \$184,893,842 General Funds provided as state
- 27 aid for FY2010-11 for special education reimbursement.
 - There is included in the amount shown for this program
 - \$500,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- 3 \$500,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 to carry
- 4 out the provisions of subsection (2) of section 79-734.

- There is included in the amount shown for this program
- \$3,615,426 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- \$3,615,426 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for 8 early childhood education projects.
- 9 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 10 \$11,858,793 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- \$11,858,793 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for 11
- 12 core services for educational service units.
- There is included in the amount shown for this program 13
- 14 \$3,700,477 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- 15 \$3,700,477 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for
- technology infrastructure for educational service units. 16
- 17 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 18 \$328,300 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- 19 \$328,300 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for
- 20 distance education aid to educational service units.
- 21 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 22 \$2,336,921 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- \$2,336,921 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for
- 24 programs for learners with high ability.
- 25 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 26 \$412,811 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- 27 \$427,260 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for the school breakfast program.
 - 2 There is included in the amount shown for this program
 - 3 \$421,087 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
 - \$421,087 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for the
 - 5 school lunch program.
 - 6 There is included in the amount shown for this program
 - 7 \$230,574 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- 8 \$230,574 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for
- 9 adult basic education programs.
- 10 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 11 \$450,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- 12 \$450,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for the
- 13 Career Education Partnership Act.
- 14 There is included in the amount shown for this program
- 15 \$1,000,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2009-10 and
- \$1,025,000 General Funds provided as state aid for FY2010-11 for 16
- 17 learning community aid.
- 18 On or before October 1 of each year, the Department of
- 19 Health and Human Services and the State Department of Education
- 20 shall jointly certify to the budget administrator of the budget
- 21 division of the Department of Administrative Services the amount
- 22 of federal medicaid funds paid to school districts pursuant to
- 23 the Early Intervention Act for special education services for
- 24 children age five years and older. The General Fund appropriation
- to the State Department of Education, Program 158, for state
- special education aid shall be decreased by an amount equal to

- 27 the amount that would have been reimbursed with state General
- 1 Funds to the school districts through the special education
- 2 reimbursement process for special education services for children
- 3 age five years and older that was paid to school districts or
- 4 approved cooperatives with federal medicaid funds. There is hereby
- 5 appropriated from the General Fund an amount equal to the amount
- 6 certified to the budget administrator for FY2009-10 and FY2010-11
- 7 to the Department of Health and Human Services to aid in carrying
- 8 out the provisions of Laws 1991, LB 701. The budget administrator
- 9 shall distribute the amount appropriated between budget programs
- 10 according to percentages certified by the Department of Health and
- 11 Human Services.
- 12 Notwithstanding other provisions of this act, all
- 13 appropriations within this program existing on June 30, 2009, in
- 14 excess of expended or encumbered amounts are hereby lapsed.
- 15 Sec. 2. Original section 49, Legislative Bill 315, One
- 16 Hundred First Legislature, First Session, 2009, is repealed.
- 17 Sec. 3. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect
- 18 when passed and approved according to law.

The Adams amendment was adopted with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Expedite LB545

Senator Flood asked unanimous consent to expedite LB545. No objections. So ordered.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 160. ER8101, found on page 1263, was adopted.

Senator Lautenbaugh withdrew his amendment, FA35, found on page 1384.

Senator Gay renewed his amendment, AM1361, found on page 1397.

SENATOR CARLSON PRESIDING

Senator Gay asked unanimous consent to withdraw his amendment, AM1361, found on page 1397, and replace it with his substitute amendment, AM1382. No objections. So ordered. AM1382

(Amendments to E & R amendments, ER8101)

- 1 1. On page 2, strike beginning with "Proceeds" in line
- 2 18 through line 27 and insert "(a) Prior to the issuing of bonds
- 3 pursuant to section 1 of this act or expending funds of a natural
- 4 resources district encompassing a city of the metropolitan class to

- pay costs of a reservoir or water quality basin project or projects
- 6 greater than twenty surface acres, a county board of the affected
- county may pass a resolution stating that it does not approve of
- 8 the construction of such reservoir or water quality basin project
- 9 or projects within its exclusive zoning jurisdiction. The county
- 10 board shall hold a public hearing and shall vote on the resolution
- within ninety days after notice from the board of directors of the 11
- 12 natural resources district of its intent to issue bonds.
- (b) No proceeds from bonds issued pursuant to section 1 13
- 14 of this act or funds of a natural resources district encompassing
- 15 a city of the metropolitan class may be used to pay costs of a
- reservoir or water quality basin project or projects greater than 16
- 17 twenty surface acres if the county board of the affected county
- 18 passes such a resolution.
- 19 (c) Sections 1 to 5 of this act do not (i) limit
- 20 the authority of a natural resources district with regard to
- 21 reservoirs, water quality basin projects, or other projects of
- 22 less than twenty surface acres or (ii) prohibit use of funds of
- a natural resources district for preliminary studies or reports
- necessary, in the discretion of the board of directors of the
- 3 natural resources district, to determine whether a reservoir or
- 4 water quality basin project should be presented to a county board
- pursuant to this section.".
- 2. On page 3, strike lines 1 through 4.

The Gay amendment was adopted with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 14 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Lautenbaugh offered the following amendment: AM1375

(Amendments to E & R amendments, ER8101)

- 1. On page 2, strike lines 13 through 17 and insert:
- "(2) A district shall only convey real property that
- is acquired for a project described in subsection (1) of this
- section by eminent domain proceedings pursuant to sections 76-704
- to 76-724 to a political subdivision or an agency of state or
- federal government.".
- 7 2. On page 3, after line 12 insert:
- 8 "(5) A natural resources district encompassing a city
- 9 of the metropolitan class shall only issue bonds for projects
- 10 in cities and counties that have adopted zoning regulations or
- 11 ordinances that comply with state and federal floodplain management
- 12 rules and regulations.".

The Lautenbaugh amendment was adopted with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 14 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 633. ER8102, found on page 1260, was adopted.

Senator Mello renewed his amendment, AM1331, found on page 1397.

The Mello amendment was adopted with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 14 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Utter offered the following amendment: AM1371

(Amendments to E & R amendments, ER8102)

- 1 1. On page 2, strike lines 2 and 3 and insert:
- 2 "(1) Center means the Center for Rural Research and
- 3 Development of the University of Nebraska at Kearney;"; and in line
- 4 17 strike "college" and insert "center".
- 5 2. On page 3, lines 2 and 4; $\overline{\text{page 4}}$, line 22; and page 5,
- 6 lines 13 and 15, strike "college" and insert "center".

Senator Utter withdrew his amendment.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 633A. Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 568. ER8105, found on page 1274, was adopted.

Senator Dubas renewed her amendment, AM1302, found on page 1385.

The Dubas amendment was adopted with 29 ayes, 0 nays, 14 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

Senator Karpisek offered the following amendment: AM1373

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM732)

- 1. On page 1, line 21; and page 2, line 10, strike
- 2 "fifty" and insert "forty".

The Karpisek amendment was adopted with 29 ayes, 0 nays, 15 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Senator Dierks withdrew his amendment, AM1156, found on page 1162.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

AMENDMENT - Print in Journal

Senator Gay filed the following amendment to <u>LB288A</u>: AM1368

- 1 1. Insert the following new sections:
- 2 Sec. 2. The General Fund appropriation for FY2009-10 to
- 3 the Department of Health and Human Services, for Program 347, is
- 4 hereby reduced by \$116,064. The General Fund appropriation for
- 5 FY2010-11 to the Department of Health and Human Services, for
- 6 Program 347, is hereby reduced by \$232,128.
- 7 Sec. 3. The General Fund appropriation for FY2009-10 to
- 8 the Department of Health and Human Services, for Program 348, is
- 9 hereby reduced by \$136,970. The federal fund appropriation for
- 10 FY2009-10 to the Department of Health and Human Services, for
- 11 Program 348, is hereby reduced by \$208,130.
- 12 The General Fund appropriation for FY2010-11 to the
- 13 Department of Health and Human Services, for Program 348, is hereby
- 14 reduced by \$273,940. The federal fund appropriation for FY2010-11
- 15 to the Department of Health and Human Services, for Program 348, is
- 16 <u>hereby reduced by \$416,259.</u>
- 17 2. Renumber the remaining section accordingly.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 542. Senator Campbell renewed her amendment, AM1224, found on page 1246 and considered on pages 1347 and 1398.

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

Senator Campbell requested a roll call vote on her amendment.

Voting in the affirmative, 25:

Adams	Flood	Hadley	Lathrop	Rogert
Avery	Fulton	Hansen	Nelson	Schilz
Campbell	Gay	Harms	Nordquist	Sullivan
Coash	Gloor	Howard	Pirsch	Utter
Council	Haar	Karpisek	Price	Wightman

Voting in the negative, 1:

Louden

Present and not voting, 16:

Ashford Dubas Langemeier Nantkes Carlson Fischer Lautenbaugh Pahls Christensen Heidemann McGill Pankonin Dierks Mello White Janssen

Excused and not voting, 7:

Cook Friend McCoy Wallman
Cornett Giese Stuthman

The Campbell amendment was adopted with 25 ayes, 1 nay, 16 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

Senator Lautenbaugh renewed his amendment, AM1257, found on page 1324.

SENATOR ROGERT PRESIDING

Senator Lautenbaugh withdrew his amendment.

Senator Lautenbaugh offered the following amendment: AM1381

(Amendments to AM1224)

- 1. On page 1, line 8, after the period insert "<u>Duties</u>
- 2 listed in subdivisions (1) through (13) of section 38-1131 shall
- 3 not be performed by dental assistants.".

Senator Lautenbaugh moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 18 ayes, 0 nays, and 31 not voting.

Senator Lautenbaugh requested a roll call vote on his amendment.

Voting in the affirmative, 7:

Christensen Fischer Langemeier Pahls Coash Karpisek Lautenbaugh

Voting in the negative, 18:

Fulton Hansen Nelson Utter Avery Campbell Gay Harms Nordquist Wightman Council Gloor Schilz Lathrop Dierks Haar McGill Sullivan

Present and not voting, 15:

AdamsDubasHeidemannMelloPriceAshfordFloodHowardPankoninRogertCarlsonHadleyLoudenPirschWhite

Excused and not voting, 9:

Cook Friend Janssen Nantkes Wallman Cornett Giese McCoy Stuthman

The Lautenbaugh amendment lost with 7 ayes, 18 nays, 15 present and not voting, and 9 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

Senator Campbell moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 34 ayes, 0 nays, and 15 not voting.

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

Voting in the affirmative, 27:

Sullivan Adams Council Mello Hadlev Flood Hansen Nelson Utter Avery Wightman Campbell Fulton Harms Nordquist Carlson Gav Howard Price Christensen Gloor Lathrop Rogert

McGill

Schilz

Voting in the negative, 4:

Haar

Coash

Karpisek Lautenbaugh Louden Pahls

Present and not voting, 9:

Ashford Dubas Heidemann Pankonin White Dierks Fischer Langemeier Pirsch

Excused and not voting, 9:

Cook Friend Janssen Nantkes Wallman Cornett Giese McCoy Stuthman

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 27 ayes, 4 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 9 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 122. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 238. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 294. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 347. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 360. Placed on Final Reading. ST9046

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the Standing Committee amendments, AM913, on page 1, line 13, "act" has been struck and "Land Reutilization Act" inserted.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 372. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 441. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 446. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 500. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 524. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 533. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 537. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 562. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 587. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 598. Placed on Final Reading. ST9034

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. On page 1, line 3, "81-1839," has been inserted after the last comma.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 604. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 627. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 631. Placed on Final Reading.

(Signed) Jeremy Nordquist, Chairperson

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 503. Placed on Select File with amendment. ER8128

- 1. On page 1, line 2, strike "13-910," and the second
- 2 comma; and strike beginning with "change" in line 5 through "to" in
- 3 line 6.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 358. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 155. Placed on Select File with amendment. ER8129

- 1. In the Standing Committee amendments, AM1271:
- a. On page 1, line 6, strike "14" and insert "16"; and on
- 3 page 8, line 13 strike "subsections" and insert "subsection".
- 4 2. On page 1, strike lines 2 through 9 and insert
- 5 "28-101, 28-518, 28-603, 28-604, 28-608, 28-611, and 29-110,
- 6 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Public
- 7 Protection Act; to change provisions relating to theft offenses,
- 8 criminal impersonation, identity theft, identity fraud, forgery,
- 9 bad checks, and no-account checks; to provide a statute of
- 10 limitations; to change and provide penalties; to harmonize
- 11 provisions; to provide severability; and to repeal the original
- 12 sections.".

(Signed) Jeremy Nordquist, Chairperson

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

May 5, 2009

Mr. President, Speaker Flood and Members of the Legislature State Capitol Building Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Flood and Senators:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Public Employees Retirement Board:

Denis Blank, 2451 Winchester South, Lincoln, NE 68512 Sgt. Glenn Elwell, 3504 Hartley Circle, Lincoln, NE 68521 Mark Shepard, 7547 Exbury Road, Lincoln, NE 68516

The aforementioned appointees are respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificates and background materials are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

May 7, 2009

Mr. President, Speaker Flood and Members of the Legislature State Capitol Building Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Flood and Senators:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education:

Colleen Adam, 4900 Osborne Dr. East, Hastings, NE 68901 Ronald Hunter, 4203 470th Lane, Hay Springs, NE 69347 Eric Seacrest, 109 S. Maloney Dr., North Platte, NE 69101

The aforementioned appointees are respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificates and background materials are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

AMENDMENT - Print in Journal

Senator Ashford filed the following amendment to <u>LB63A</u>: AM1385

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following
- 2 sections:
- 3 Section 1. There is hereby appropriated (1) \$100,000
- 4 from the General Fund for FY2009-10 and (2) \$100,000 from the
- 5 General Fund for FY2010-11 to the Nebraska Commission on Law
- 6 Enforcement and Criminal Justice, for Program 204 Office of
- 7 Violence Prevention, to aid in carrying out the provisions of
- 8 Legislative Bill 63, One Hundred First Legislature, First Session,
- 9 2009.
- 10 Total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries
- 11 and per diems from funds appropriated in this section shall not
- 12 exceed \$100,000 for FY2009-10 or \$100,000 for FY2010-11.
- 13 Sec. 2. On the effective date of this act, there is
- 14 hereby appropriated \$350,000 from the Violence Prevention Cash Fund
- 15 for FY2008-09 to the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and
- 16 Criminal Justice, for Program 204, to aid in carrying out the
- 17 provisions of Legislative Bill 63, One Hundred First Legislature,
- 18 First Session, 2009.
- No expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and
- 20 per diems for state employees shall be made from funds appropriated

- 21 <u>in this section.</u>
- 22 The unexpended Cash Fund appropriation balance existing
- 23 on June 30, 2009, is hereby reappropriated for FY2009-10.
 - 1 The Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal
 - 2 <u>Justice shall distribute the funds appropriated in this section</u>
 - 3 as soon as practicable after the effective date of this act to
- 4 organizations or governmental entities that have submitted violence
- 5 prevention plans and that best meet the intent of reducing street
- 6 and gang violence and reducing homicides and injuries caused by
- 7 firearms. When the Office of Violence Prevention is operational
- 8 it shall assume responsibility for administering funding for the
- 9 program.
- Sec. 3. There is hereby appropriated \$90,000 from the
- 11 Community Corrections Uniform Data Analysis Cash Fund for FY2009-10
- 12 to the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice,
- 13 for Program 220, Community Corrections Council Office, to aid in
- 14 carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 63, One Hundred
- 15 First Legislature, First Session, 2009.
- 16 No expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and
- 17 per diems for state employees shall be made from funds appropriated
- 18 in this section.
- 19 Sec. 4. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect
- 20 when passed and approved according to law.

MOTION - Return LB545A to Select File

Senator Adams moved to return LB545A to Select File for the following specific amendment:

AM1386

- 1 1. Insert the following new section:
- 2 Sec. 2. This act becomes operative on July 1, 2009.
- 3 2. Renumber the remaining sections accordingly.

The Adams motion to return prevailed with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 9 excused and not voting.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545A. The Adams specific amendment, AM1386, found in this day's Journal, was adopted with 31 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 9 excused and not voting.

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UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Expedite LB545A

Senator Flood asked unanimous consent to expedite LB545A. No objections. So ordered.

SELECT FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 224. ER8107, found on page 1284, was adopted.

Senator Carlson withdrew his amendment, AM1295, found on page 1380.

Senator Carlson renewed his amendment, AM1365, found on page 1400.

SENATOR LANGEMEIER PRESIDING

SPEAKER FLOOD PRESIDING

Senator Carlson moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 31 ayes, 0 nays, and 18 not voting.

The Carlson amendment was adopted with 33 ayes, 2 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 11 excused and not voting.

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

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment with 33 ayes, 3 nays, 2 present and not voting, and 11 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545A. Placed on Final Reading.

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The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

- 1. On page 1, the matter beginning with "appropriate" in line 1 through line 6 and all amendments thereto have been struck and "amend section 49, Legislative Bill 315, One Hundred First Legislature, First Session, 2009; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 545, One Hundred First Legislature, First Session, 2009; to change appropriations; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency." inserted.
 - 2. The E & R amendments, ER8127, have been struck.

(Signed) Jeremy Nordquist, Chairperson

AMENDMENT - Print in Journal

Senator Langemeier filed the following amendment to <u>LB561</u>: FA37 Strike the enacting clause.

MOTION - Print in Journal

Senator Council filed the following motion to <u>LB440</u>: MO50 Suspend Rule 7, Section 3(d) to allow consideration of AM1233.

VISITORS

Visitors to the Chamber were 49 fourth-grade students from West Point; 24 students from Midland Lutheran College, Fremont; and 38 fifth-grade students from Boone Central School, Albion.

ADJOURNMENT

At 7:25 p.m., on a motion by Senator Council, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, May 12, 2009.

Patrick J. O'Donnell Clerk of the Legislature