LEGISLATIVE BILL 167

Approved by the Governor March 18, 2009

Introduced by Avery, 28; Pirsch, 4.

FOR AN ACT relating to the Department of Administrative Services; to amend section 81-1117.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for state employee participation in employee discount programs as prescribed; to change provisions relating to payments by electronic funds transfer; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any state employee may participate in an employee discount program administered by the personnel division of the Department of Administrative Services. Any such program shall be made available to all state employees.

Sec. 2. Section 81-1117.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read:

81-1117.05 The Department of Administrative Services may pay wages make payments that include, but are not limited to, wages and reimbursable expenses to state employees by electronic funds transfer or a similar means of direct deposit, if the state employee has consented in writing or electronically to this manner of payment. The department may not require a state employee to use electronic funds transfer or a similar means of direct deposit for payment of wages. For purposes of this section, state employee means any person or officer employed by the state who works a full-time or part-time schedule on an ongoing basis.

Sec. 3. Original section 81-1117.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.