

FIRST DAY - JANUARY 8, 2014**LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE
SECOND SESSION****FIRST DAY**

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Wednesday, January 8, 2014

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Senator Harms.

PRESENTATION OF COLORS

Presentation of Colors by the Nebraska Army National Guard.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to the provisions of Article III, Section 10 of the Constitution of Nebraska, the One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session of the Legislature of Nebraska, assembled in the George W. Norris Legislative Chamber of the State Capitol at the hour of 10:00 a.m., on Wednesday, January 8, 2014, and was called to order by President Heidemann.

The roll was called and the following members were present:

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| Adams, Greg L. | Gloor, Mike | McGill, Amanda M |
| Ashford, Brad | Haar, Ken | Mello, Heath |
| Avery, Bill | Hadley, Galen | Murante, John |
| Bloomfield, Dave | Hansen, Thomas F. | Nelson, John E. |
| Bolz, Kate | Harms, John N. | Nordquist, Jeremy |
| Brasch, Lydia | Harr, Burke J. | Pirsch, Pete |
| Campbell, Kathy | Howard, Sara | Scheer, Jim |
| Carlson, Tom | Janssen, Charlie | Schumacher, Paul |
| Chambers, Ernie | Johnson, Jerry | Seiler, Les |
| Christensen, Mark | Karpisek, Russ | Smith, Jim |
| Coash, Colby | Kintner, Bill | Sullivan, Kate |
| Conrad, Danielle | Kolowski, Rick | Wallman, Norman |
| Cook, Tanya | Krist, Bob | Watermeier, Dan |
| Crawford, Sue | Larson, Tyson | Wightman, John |
| Davis, Al | Lathrop, Steve | |
| Dubas, Annette M. | Lautenbaugh, Scott | |
| Garrett, Tommy L. | McCoy, Beau | |

The following member was excused:

Schilz, Ken

MOTION - Adopt Temporary Rules

Senator Adams moved that the rules, as now in our possession, be adopted until such time as the permanent rules are adopted pursuant to Rule 2, Section 1; provided that the temporary rules shall not continue after the tenth legislative day.

The motion prevailed.

RESIGNATION

October 18, 2013

The Honorable Dave Heineman
Governor of Nebraska
P.O. Box 94848
Lincoln, NE 68509-4848

Dear Governor Heineman,

Please accept this letter as notice of my intent to resign the District 3 legislative seat in the Nebraska Unicameral. Pursuant to the requirements of Nebraska Revised Statutes Section 32-562, subsection (3), the effective date of said resignation is November 1, 2013. It has truly been an honor and privilege to serve the people of the 3rd Legislative District and the State of Nebraska.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Senator Scott Price
District 3

CC: Patrick O'Donnell, Clerk of the Legislature
Senator Greg Adams, Speaker of the Legislature

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

December 10, 2013

President, Speaker Adams
and Members of the Legislature
State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

I hereby appoint Tommy Lee Garrett to fill the vacancy in the 3rd Legislative District created by the resignation of Senator Scott Price. This appointment takes effect on December 10, 2013.

thousand and fourteen.

(SEAL) (Signed) John A. Gale
Secretary of State

OFFICIAL OATH

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) ss.
County of Lancaster)

"I, Tommy Lee Garrett, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the Constitution of the State of Nebraska, and will faithfully discharge the duties of Member of the Legislature, District 3 according to the best of my ability, and that at the election at which I was chosen to fill said office, I have not improperly influenced in any way the vote of any elector, and have not accepted, nor will I accept or receive, directly or indirectly, any money or other valuable thing from any corporation, company or person, or any promise of office, for any official act or influence (for any vote may give or withhold on any bill, resolution, or appropriation)."

(Signed) Tommy Lee Garrett

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me this 11th day of December, 2013.

(SEAL) (Signed) John A. Gale
Secretary of State

*Constitution of the State of Nebraska, Article XV, Section One.
For Executive, Judicial Officers and Members of the Legislature

CERTIFICATE

State of Nebraska

United States of America,)
) ss. Department of State
State of Nebraska)

I, John A. Gale, Secretary of State of the State of Nebraska do hereby certify that the attached is a true and correct copy of the Official Roster of members of the Nebraska Unicameral Legislature elected or appointed to serve in the One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Further, I hereby certify that the members so listed on the Official Roster attached hereto are the duly elected or appointed members of the Unicameral Legislature in the State of Nebraska for the One Hundred Third

Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Finally, I hereby certify that all election returns, abstracts, canvass and appointment records with reference to said members are on file in the office of the Secretary of State and are a matter of public record.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Nebraska.

Done at Lincoln this Eighth day of January in the year of our Lord, two thousand and fourteen.

(SEAL)

(Signed) John A. Gale
Secretary of State

| DISTRICT/NAME | ELECTED |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 Dan Watermeier | November 6, 2012 |
| 2 Bill Kintner | November 6, 2012 |
| 3 Tommy Garrett | Appointed December 10, 2013 |
| 4 Pete Pirsch | November 2, 2010 |
| 5 Heath Mello | November 6, 2012 |
| 6 John E. Nelson | November 2, 2010 |
| 7 Jeremiah Nordquist | November 6, 2012 |
| 8 Burke J. Harr | November 2, 2010 |
| 9 Sara Howard | November 6, 2012 |
| 10 Bob Krist | November 2, 2010 |
| 11 Ernie Chambers | November 6, 2012 |
| 12 Steve Lathrop | November 2, 2010 |
| 13 Tanya Cook | November 6, 2012 |
| 14 Jim Smith | November 2, 2010 |
| 15 Charlie Janssen | November 6, 2012 |
| 16 Lydia Brasch | November 2, 2010 |
| 17 Dave Bloomfield | November 6, 2012 |
| 18 Scott Lautenbaugh | November 2, 2010 |
| 19 Jim Scheer | November 6, 2012 |
| 20 Brad Ashford | November 2, 2010 |
| 21 Ken Haar | November 6, 2012 |
| 22 Paul Schumacher | November 2, 2010 |
| 23 Jerry Johnson | November 6, 2012 |
| 24 Greg L. Adams | November 2, 2010 |
| 25 Kathy Campbell | November 6, 2012 |
| 26 Amanda M. McGill | November 2, 2010 |
| 27 Colby Coash | November 6, 2012 |
| 28 Bill Avery | November 2, 2010 |
| 29 Kate Bolz | November 6, 2012 |
| 30 Norman Wallman | November 2, 2010 |
| 31 Rick Kolowski | November 6, 2012 |
| 32 Russ Karpisek | November 2, 2010 |
| 33 Les Seiler | November 6, 2012 |

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| 34 | Annette M. Dubas | November 2, 2010 |
| 35 | Mike Gloor | November 6, 2012 |
| 36 | John Wightman | November 2, 2010 |
| 37 | Galen Hadley | November 6, 2012 |
| 38 | Tom Carlson | November 2, 2010 |
| 39 | Beau McCoy | November 6, 2012 |
| 40 | Tyson Larson | November 2, 2010 |
| 41 | Kate Sullivan | November 6, 2012 |
| 42 | Thomas F. Hansen | November 2, 2010 |
| 43 | Al Davis | November 6, 2012 |
| 44 | Mark Christensen | November 2, 2010 |
| 45 | Sue Crawford | November 6, 2012 |
| 46 | Danielle Conrad | November 2, 2010 |
| 47 | Ken Schilz | November 6, 2012 |
| 48 | John N. Harms | November 2, 2010 |
| 49 | John Murante | November 6, 2012 |

MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR

June 11, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Nebraska Power Review Board:

Chuck D. Haase, 3024 Colonial Lane, Grand Island, NE 68803

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

June 11, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the State Emergency Response Commission:

Sherry Blaha, 2015 Country Club Road, Gering, NE 69341
John L. Grimes, 1216 W. Nebraska Avenue, Norfolk, NE 68701

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

June 27, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Nebraska Commission on Problem Gambling:

Janelle Holt, 14234 Woolworth Circle, Omaha, NE 68144
Marla Bruder, 129 County Road 2500, Denton, NE 68339
Mark Canada, 111 E. Kent St., Hastings, NE 68901
Susan Lutz, 2301 W. Eisenhower Ave., Norfolk, NE 68701
Edward F. Hoffman, 3845 Randolph St., Lincoln, NE 68510
Terry Scoville, 409 South Ash St., North Platte, NE 69101
Paul Leckband, 1606 Skyline Dr., Norfolk NE 68701
Teresa "Teri" A. Teutsch, 9420 Woodney Cr., Omaha, NE 68122
Matthew Anselmo, 321 Fort Crook Rd., #103, Bellevue, NE 68005

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

July 1, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Nebraska Exchange Stakeholder Commission:

Sherry Wupper, 11000 N. Lakeshore Drive, Blair, NE 68008
James "JJ" Green, 3130 Brentwood Blvd., Grand Island, NE 68801
Craig D. Buescher, 15803 Middle Island Dr., South Bend, NE 68058
Britt A. Thedinger, M.D., 9968 Spring St., Omaha, NE 68124
Michael Groene, 9523 Canal Road, North Platte, NE 69101
Patrick Booth, 1120 Timberwood Drive, Ames, NE 68621
Laura S. Gyhra, 7390 W. Middle Road, Raymond, NE 68428
Kyle Kollmorgen, 8235 Eastwood Dr., Lincoln, NE 68506

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

July 8, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed as Adjutant General for the State of Nebraska:

Brigadier General Daryl L. Bohac, 2433 NW 24 Street, Lincoln, NE 68524

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,

(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

July 11, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Crime Victim's Reparations Committee:

G. Randall "Rand" Hansen, 909 North 96 St., #101, Omaha, NE 68114

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

July 12, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Board of Parole:

Esther Casmer, 11525 S. 39 St., #5, Bellevue, NE 68123

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

July 22, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Commission of Industrial Relations:

Joel Carlson, 507 Logan Street, Norfolk, NE 68701

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

August 8, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment:

Frank Harwood, 404 Dowding Court, Bellevue, NE 68005

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

August 8, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Nebraska Ethanol Board:

Paul Kenney, 10950 Elm Road, Kearney, NE 68845
Galen Frenzen, 50802 N. Edgewood Road, Fullerton, NE 68638

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

August 13, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the State Highway Commission:

Jerome Fagerland, HC 69, Box 92, Atkinson, NE 68713
Ronald Books, 219 N. Maloney Dr., North Platte, NE 69101
E.J. Militti Jr., 4720 N. 135 Avenue, Omaha, NE 68164
Doug Leafgreen, 1625 Aspen, Gering, NE 69341

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

August 29, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the State Electrical Board:

Stanley Elsasser, 4913 Glasgow Avenue, Bellevue, NE 68157
George Morrissey, 333 North 140 Street, Omaha, NE 68164

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

August 29, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Nebraska Child Abuse Prevention Fund Board:

Denise Pecha, 5803 Rees Street, Omaha, NE 68106
Brandon Verzal, 631 Sycamore Dr., Lincoln, NE 68510

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Nebraska Child Abuse Prevention Fund Board:

Trisha Crandall, 377 Valley Vista, Burwell, NE 68823
Mary Beth Hanus, 12619 Orchard Ave., Omaha, NE 68137
Lisa L. Knoche, 3440 S. 39 St., Unit B, Lincoln, NE 68506

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

included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 4, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Environmental Quality Council:

Mohamed F. Dahab, 3211 Weaver Lane, Lincoln, NE 68506

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 9, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Nebraska Exchange Stakeholder Commission:

Shari Flowers, 15822 Emiline Street, Omaha, NE 68136

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,

(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 11, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being
reappointed to the State Board of Health:

Jeromy Alan Warner, PSY.D., LP, 3111 Lake Park Lane, Hastings, NE
68901
Dr. John Tennity, 5114 Deer Ridge Drive, Eagle, NE 68347
Dr. Paul L. Salansky Jr., 2521 Whitaker Rd., Nebraska City, NE 68410
Richard Lee Robinson, P.E., 9912 Blue Water Circle, Lincoln, NE 68527

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 18, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being
reappointed to the Nebraska Rural Health Advisory Commission:

Martin Fattig, 73091 643A Avenue, Auburn, NE 68305
Dr. Brian Buhlke, 2510 18 Avenue, Central City, NE 68826

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 18, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Environmental Quality Council:

John Edward Dilsaver, 7556 Polk Street, Ralston, NE 68127

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 25, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual was appointed as the Director of the Department of Corrections:

Michael L. Kenney, 5941 Garfield, Lincoln, NE 68506

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman

Governor

Enclosures

September 27, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Nebraska Arts Council:

Mark Laughlin, 5106 California Street, Omaha, NE 68132

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Nebraska Arts Council:

Kim West Dinsdale, 1919 W. Lamar Avenue, Grand Island, NE 68803
Melissa Marvin, 15928 Lake Street, Omaha, NE 68116
Paula L. Pflueger, 1811 Koenigstein Avenue, Norfolk, NE 68701
Candy Henning, 6015 The Knolls, Lincoln, NE 68512

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 30, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Nebraska Rural Health Advisory Commission:

Jessye Goertz, 79483 Highway 2, Berwyn, NE 68814
Lisa L. Mlnarik, NP, 51415 851 Road, Clearwater, NE 68726

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

September 30, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment:

Chad W. Buckendahl, 2467 Cordoba Bluff Ct., Las Vegas, NV 89135

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 16, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission:

Tim Wistrom, 2981 W. Hwy 30, Kimball, NE 69145

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 17, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is appointed as the Tax Commissioner:

Kim Conroy, 2011 Franklin Drive, Papillion, NE 68133

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 23, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Game and Parks Commission:

Rex Fisher, 10925 Fairway Drive, Omaha, NE 68136-4057
Mark Spurgin, 55 Makochmni, Ogallala, NE 69153

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

Sincerely,

(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 25, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Board of Educational Lands and Funds:

Jim Hain, 1417 N. 11 St., David City, NE 68632

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 25, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Nebraska Oil and Gas Conservation Commission:

Robert P. Goodwin, 2115 15th Avenue, Sidney, NE 69162

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 25, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the State Board of Health:

Anthony Moravec, DVM, 3824 Browning Drive, Wahoo, NE 68066

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

October 29, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Board of Emergency Medical Services:

Charles LaFollette, 6116 S. 94 Street, Lincoln, NE 68526
Jerry Duane Holdsworth, 6815 South 51 Street, Lincoln, NE 68516

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Board of Emergency Medical Services:

Donald L. Harmon, 2309 Grant Street, Beatrice, NE 68310
Timothy Hoffman, 1708 W. 14th Street Place, Kearney, NE 68845
Troy Hiemer, 310 5th Street, Columbus, NE 68601

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

included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

November 7, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the State Emergency Response Commission:

Benjamin Salo, 21017 Lincoln Blvd., Gretna, NE 68028

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the State Emergency Response Commission:

Larry Johnson, 1729 N. 160 St., Omaha, NE 68118
John L. Grimes, 1216 W. Nebraska Ave., Norfolk, NE 68701
Sherry Blaha, 2015 Country Club Road, Gering, NE 69361

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

November 12, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Nebraska Rural Health Advisory Commission:

Dr. Noah L. Piskorski, 2006 K Street, Ord, NE 68862

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

November 15, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being appointed to the Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired:

Becky Rieken, 5805 Avenue O Place, Kearney, NE 68847
Robert L. Newman, 504 S. 57 Street, Omaha, NE 68106

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

November 15, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Nebraska Investment Council:

Gail Werner-Robertson, 1215 North 136 Street, Omaha, NE 68154

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

November 15, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Nebraska State Fair Board:

Mark Fahleson, 1045 Fall Creek Road, Lincoln, NE 68510

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

December 5, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individuals are being reappointed to the Board of Public Roads Classifications and Standards:

James Litchfield, 201 Highland Street, Wakefield, NE 68784
Barbara J. Keegan, 302 Cheyenne Avenue, Hemingford, NE 69348
Mick Syslo, 6721 LaSalle Street, Lincoln, NE 68516
Edward Wootton, 804 W. Mission Avenue, Bellevue, NE 68005

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

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

December 17, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed to the Game and Parks Commission:

Richard R. Bell, 9960 Bloomfield Drive, Omaha, NE 68114

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

December 23, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Tax Equalization and Review Commission:

Nancy Salmon, 1206 Giltner Spur, Phillips, NE 68865

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

December 23, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Public Employees Retirement Board:

Janis N. Elliott, 807 LeMay Drive, Bellevue, NE 68005

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

December 23, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being reappointed to the Nebraska Power Review Board:

Rick Morehouse, 3135 Primrose Drive, Scottsbluff, NE 69361

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman

Governor

Enclosures

December 27, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Adams and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed as the Executive Director of the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice:

Darrell E. Fisher, 510 W. Chanceler Drive, Lincoln, NE 68521

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Dave Heineman
Governor

Enclosures

MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY OF STATE

July 30, 2013

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

Dear Mr. President and Senators,

The purpose of this letter is to inform the honorable members of the Legislature that I have made the following appointment requiring Legislative confirmation:

Mr. Andrew Loudon, as a Republican and a resident of the 1st Congressional District, being an appointment to fill a vacancy with a resident of either the 1st or 3rd Congressional Districts, to the Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission, for a six-year term beginning July 1, 2013, and ending on June 30, 2019. The appointee may be a Republican, Democrat, Independent or other political affiliation. He replaces Richard Nelson, a Republican and resident of the 1st Congressional District.

The appointment is made by me pursuant to the provisions of Sections 49-14,105, 49-14,110, 49-14,112, and 49-14,114 and is respectfully submitted for your consideration.

Attached is additional background information on the qualifications of the appointment.

Sincerely,
(Signed) John A. Gale
Secretary of State

cc: Frank Daley
cc: Andrew Loudon

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REPORTS

Agency reports electronically filed with the Legislature can be found on the Nebraska Legislature's website at:
<http://www.nebraskalegislature.gov/agencies/view.php>

COMMUNICATIONS

Received a copy of H.C.R. 10 from the state of Utah relating to Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act and State Health Care Reform.

Received a copy of SR 63 from the state of Montana urging Congress to submit to states a balanced budget amendment.

Received a copy of HR 1003 from the state of Arkansas encouraging the preservation of rights guaranteed by the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution to keep and bear arms.

Received a copy of HR 1049 from the state of Arkansas affirming traditional marriage as defined in Amendment 83 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas and Federal Defense of Marriage Act and supporting the Federal Defense of Marriage Act.

COMMUNICATION

Pursuant to 84-104.05 R.R.S. of Nebraska Governor Dave Heineman issued a proclamation declaring January 5, 2014, as George W. Norris Day.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

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

LEGISLATIVE BILL 656. Introduced by Executive Board: Wightman, 36, Chairperson.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to parimutuel wagering; to amend sections 2-1203, 2-1203.01, 2-1207, 2-1208, 2-1216, 2-1221, and 2-1222, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to repeal provisions held unconstitutional by *Stenberg v. Douglas Racing Corp.* 246 Neb. 901 (1994); to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 2-1230, 2-1231, 2-1232, 2-1233, 2-1234, 2-1235, 2-1236, 2-1237, 2-1238, 2-1239, 2-1240, 2-1241, and 2-1242, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 657. Introduced by Executive Board: Wightman, 36, Chairperson.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to handicapped parking; to amend sections 18-1736 and 18-1741.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 60-331.01, 60-3,113, 60-3,113.01, 60-3,113.03, 60-3,113.06, 60-3,113.07, and 60-3,113.08, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 60-3,113.02, 60-3,113.04, and 60-3,113.05, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to eliminate obsolete provisions related to handicapped or disabled parking permits; to redefine a term; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 18-1738, 18-1738.01, 18-1738.02, 18-1739, 18-1740, 18-1741, and 18-1742, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 658. Introduced by Executive Board: Wightman, 36, Chairperson.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public power suppliers; to amend sections 86-597 and 86-598, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to repeal a provision that terminated December 31, 2007; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 86-596, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 659. Introduced by Executive Board: Wightman, 36, Chairperson.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Radiation Control Act; to repeal a section that terminated on December 1, 2008; and to outright repeal section 71-3513.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 660. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to children and families; to amend section 68-1212, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change

provisions relating to a pilot project; to provide for extension of a contract as prescribed; to provide for an evaluation; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 661. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend sections 32-204, 32-309, 32-312.05, 32-321, 32-323, 32-325, 32-902, and 60-484.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 32-312 and 32-915, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 32-101 and 60-484, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to provide for voter registration on the Secretary of State's web site; to provide for electronic transmission of certain voter registration applications; to provide for use of records of the Department of Motor Vehicles for purposes of voter registration; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 662. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend sections 32-318.01, 32-321, 32-914, 32-949, and 32-1027, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 32-329, 32-915, and 32-947, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to provide and change requirements for presentation of identification for purposes of voting; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 663. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend sections 32-952 and 32-953, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 32-960, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to elections conducted by mail; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 664. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Engineers and Architects Regulation Act; to amend section 81-3401, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to provide immunity for the provision of voluntary design professional services during an emergency; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 665. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to engineers and architects; to amend sections 81-3402, 81-3404, 81-3407, 81-3408, 81-3409, 81-3411, 81-3412, 81-3414, 81-3415, 81-3416, 81-3418, 81-3420, 81-3421, 81-3422, 81-3423, 81-3425, 81-3427, 81-3428, 81-3430, 81-3433, 81-3434, 81-3435, and 81-3438, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 81-3401, 81-3403, 81-3405.01, 81-3422.01, 81-3429, 81-3432, 81-3432.01, 81-3441, 81-3442,

81-3443, 81-3444, 81-3446, 81-3448, 81-3449, 81-3451, and 81-3453, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 81-3436, 81-3437, 81-3450, and 81-3454, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change the Engineers and Architects Regulation Act; to eliminate certain defined terms and provisions on examinations; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 81-3406, 81-3410, 81-3413, 81-3417, 81-3419, and 81-3424, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 81-3452, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 666. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend section 55-181, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change funding provisions related to the Nebraska Wing of the Civil Air Patrol; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 667. Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Rules of the Road; to amend section 60-6,229, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide an exception for motorcycles to certain vehicle light requirements; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 668. Introduced by Hadley, 37; Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to liens on personal property; to amend sections 52-603 and 54-604, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for the extinguishment of a lien or security interest as prescribed; to change provisions relating to lien proceeds and distribution; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 669. Introduced by McCoy, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Cash Reserve Fund; to amend section 84-612, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to transfer funds to the Property Tax Credit Cash Fund; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 670. Introduced by McCoy, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-201 and 77-5023, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 79-1016, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change valuation of agricultural land and horticultural land; to harmonize school aid provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 671. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Game Law; to amend sections 37-452

and 37-559, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to eliminate provisions relating to the hunting of mountain lions; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal sections 37-472 and 37-473, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 672. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to attorneys; to amend section 7-105, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide a duty for attorneys and counselors; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 673. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to prairie dogs; to amend section 81-2,236, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to repeal the Black-Tailed Prairie Dog Management Act; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original section; and to outright repeal sections 23-3801, 23-3802, 23-3803, 23-3804, 23-3805, 23-3806, 23-3807, 23-3808, 23-3809, and 23-3810, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 674. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to animal abuse; to amend section 28-1019, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to conviction orders for abandonment or cruel neglect of an animal; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 675. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-202, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 77-382, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to eliminate the property tax exemption for property owned by religious organizations; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 676. Introduced by Chambers, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Political Accountability and Disclosure Act; to amend sections 49-1446.01 and 49-1462, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 49-1446, 49-1459, and 49-14,126, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to require certain committees to file statements from financial institutions as prescribed; to prohibit candidate committees from making loans of money; to change provisions relating to campaign statements; to change the amount authorized for civil penalties; to authorize an order of restitution; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 677. Introduced by Mello, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to consumer protection; to amend section 87-302, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to adopt the Nebraska Patent Abuse Prevention Act; to harmonize provisions; to provide severability; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 678. Introduced by Mello, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Affordable Housing Trust Fund; to amend section 58-708, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change the funding allocation percentage; to eliminate an obsolete provision; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 679. Introduced by Mello, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to cities; to amend sections 14-420 and 18-2115, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change notice requirements relating to zoning and redevelopment projects and neighborhood associations; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 680. Introduced by Mello, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the State Electrical Act; to amend section 81-2104, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to update the reference to the National Electrical Code; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 681. Introduced by Mello, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 19-5217 and 77-1807, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change provisions relating to land banks and tax sales for delinquent property taxes; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 682. Introduced by Scheer, 19.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to require formation of allied systems as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 683. Introduced by Scheer, 19.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to storm water management; to amend section 46-2,139, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a reference to federal rules and regulations; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 684. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appraisal services; to amend sections 76-3201, 76-3202, 76-3203, 76-3204, 76-3206, 76-3208, 76-3213, 76-3215,

76-3216, 76-3217, and 76-3219, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to the Nebraska Appraisal Management Company Registration Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 685. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to real property appraisal; to amend sections 76-2201, 76-2203, 76-2204, 76-2205.01, 76-2215, 76-2217.02, 76-2218, 76-2219, 76-2220, 76-2222, 76-2239, 76-2242, 76-2244, 76-2245, 76-2246, and 76-2247.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 76-2202, 76-2206, 76-2213.01, 76-2216, 76-2221, 76-2223, 76-2226, 76-2228.01, 76-2230, 76-2233.01, 76-2233.02, 76-2236, 76-2237, 76-2238, 76-2241, 76-2249, and 76-3202, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change and eliminate provisions relating to the Real Property Appraiser Act; to define terms and eliminate certain terms; to provide and change provisions relating to penalties; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 76-2211.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 76-2229, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 686. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to natural resources districts; to amend section 2-3226.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a certification date relating to nonirrigated acres as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 687. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Real Estate License Act; to amend sections 81-885.11 and 81-885.13, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 81-885.17, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change procedures for application and issuance of licenses; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 688. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Director of Insurance; to amend section 44-3524, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a provision relating to cease and desist orders; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 689. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent to appropriate additional funds for the Nebraska Community Aging Services Act.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 690. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to health and human services; to provide duties for the Department of Health and Human Services; to require application for a federal grant as prescribed; to create and provide duties for a task force; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 691. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2715.07, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to increase a child and dependent care tax credit; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 692. Introduced by Sullivan, 41; Seiler, 33.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Educational Telecommunications Act; to amend sections 79-1312, 79-1313, 79-1314, 79-1317, and 79-1319, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 79-1316, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to redefine terms; to change provisions relating to broadcast and delivery, powers and duties of a commission, and fees; to eliminate a fund, powers and duties of the State Department of Education, and a director; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 79-1321, 79-1323, 79-1324, and 79-1325, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 693. Introduced by Seiler, 33.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to decedents' estates; to amend section 30-24,129, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to succession of real property for small estates; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 694. Introduced by Seiler, 33.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-1204.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to unlawful possession of a firearm at a school; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 695. Introduced by K. Haar, 21.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Child Care Licensing Act; to amend section 71-1911, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to require an affidavit relating to radon levels at the child care location as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 696. Introduced by K. Haar, 21.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health; to prohibit the use of Bisphenol A or similar substances in food or beverage containers or packaging and to require labeling of food or beverage containers or packaging containing Bisphenol A as prescribed; to define terms; and to provide a civil penalty.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 697. Introduced by Larson, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-1804, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to require publication of a list of tax-delinquent properties as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 698. Introduced by Larson, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to highways; to amend section 39-1359.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to the mowing and harvesting of hay on the right-of-way of highways; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 699. Introduced by Larson, 40; Davis, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to hunting; to amend section 37-404, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 37-413, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to authorize developmentally disabled persons to obtain hunting permits as prescribed; to change training course requirements; to combine firearm and bow hunter education programs; to define and redefine terms; to eliminate specific education program provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 37-414, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 700. Introduced by Schumacher, 22.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to adopt the Risk Management and Own Risk and Solvency Assessment Act; and to provide an operative date.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 701. Introduced by Dubas, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act; to amend section 60-173, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to salvage branded certificates of title and the acquisition of such certificates of title by insurance companies; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 702. Introduced by Johnson, 23.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to cities and villages; to amend sections 17-101, 17-201, 17-306, and 17-312, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide and change provisions relating to organization of cities of the second class and villages; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 703. Introduced by Avery, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Optometry Education Assistance Contract Program; to amend section 38-2622, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to provide for financial payments for seven students per academic year as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 704. Introduced by Avery, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to create the Nebraska Sesquicentennial Fund; and to appropriate funds.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 705. Introduced by Coash, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to social services; to amend section 68-1006.01, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change the personal needs allowance under medicaid; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 706. Introduced by B. Harr, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-320.02, 28-813.01, 28-1463.04, and 28-1463.05, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 28-101 and 28-707, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change provisions and penalties relating to sexual assault, child abuse, sexually explicit conduct, and the Child Pornography Prevention Act; to provide for forfeiture of property as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 707. Introduced by Conrad, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-311.02, 28-311.03, and 28-311.04, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 27-413, 28-311.09, 28-323, 28-1206, and 29-4103, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 28-101, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to redefine the offense of sexual assault under the Nebraska Evidence Rules; to change provisions and penalties relating to stalking and domestic assault; to create the offense of harassment; to change and provide penalties; to establish where certain offenses occur when use of an electronic communication device is involved; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 708. Introduced by Kintner, 2.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2716, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to exempt social security benefits from state income taxation; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 709. Introduced by Kintner, 2.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2716, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to exclude military retirement benefits from state income taxation; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 710. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Ground Water Management and Protection Act; to amend section 46-701, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide requirements for entering into certain augmentation projects as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 711. Introduced by Watermeier, 1.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to amend sections 71-2433 and 71-2434, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to clandestine drug labs; to provide for a hearing before the Department of Health and Human Services for the property owner; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 712. Introduced by Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to banks and banking; to amend sections 8-1,140, 8-355, and 21-17,115, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to revise powers of state-chartered banks, building and loan associations, and credit unions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 713. Introduced by Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Capital Expansion Act; to amend section 72-1263, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to time deposit open accounts; to change a limit on total deposits received; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 714. Introduced by Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Banking Act; to eliminate provisions relating to forged, altered, or raised checks; to outright repeal sections 8-155 and 8-156, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 715. Introduced by Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to amend section 44-5702, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 44-6008 and 44-6016, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to redefine terms; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 716. Introduced by Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to provide procedures for electronic delivery of notices and documents and Internet posting of property and casualty insurance policies.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 717. Introduced by Gloor, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to real property appraisal; to amend sections 76-2201, 76-2203, 76-2217.02, and 76-2227, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 76-2202, 76-2213.01, 76-2223, 76-2228.01, 76-2229.01, 76-2230, 76-2231.01, 76-2232, 76-2233, 76-2233.02, 76-2236, 76-2238, 76-2241, and 76-2249, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to the Real Property Appraiser Act; to define terms; to change provisions relating to professional qualifications; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 718. Introduced by Crawford, 45; Avery, 28; Lathrop, 12; Nordquist, 7.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; to amend sections 84-902 and 84-907.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 84-907, 84-907.09, and 84-920, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to require preparation and publication of rulemaking and regulationmaking agendas; to require web site publication fiscal impact statements; to provide duties for agencies and the Secretary of State; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 719. Introduced by Crawford, 45; Avery, 28; Lathrop, 12; Nordquist, 7.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; to amend section 84-907.04, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to require a report for each proposed rule or regulation; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 720. Introduced by Crawford, 45; Avery, 28; Krist, 10; Lathrop, 12; Nordquist, 7.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Administrative Procedure Act; to amend section 84-907.10, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide and change a complaint procedure relating to rules and regulations for

members of the Legislature, political subdivisions, and members of the public; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 721. Introduced by Janssen, 15; Kintner, 2; Larson, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-201, 77-4212, and 77-5023, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 77-367, 77-2715.03, and 79-1016, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 77-2716, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change valuation of agricultural land and horticultural land; to change provisions relating to Department of Revenue contracts for finding nonpayers of taxes; to change income tax rates; to adjust income tax brackets for inflation; to exempt social security and military retirement benefits from income taxation; to provide funding for the Property Tax Credit Act; to harmonize provisions; to provide operative dates; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 722. Introduced by Kolowski, 31.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to civil procedure; to amend section 25-1504, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Recognition and Enforcement of Tribal Court Civil Judgments Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 723. Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-1363 and 77-1371, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to valuation of irrigated cropland and comparable sales; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 724. Introduced by Lautenbaugh, 18.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-1204.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to unlawful possession of a firearm at a school; and to repeal the original section.

RESOLUTIONS

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 390. Introduced by Mello, 5.

WHEREAS, Steve Cavlovic was born and raised in South Omaha and was a renowned athlete, playing baseball and football for Omaha South High School until graduating in 1950; and

WHEREAS, Steve played baseball in the Brooklyn Dodgers organization prior to serving in the United States Army, and was a project manager for

the Nebraska Department of Roads for more than 20 years until his retirement; and

WHEREAS, Steve was a founding member of the Omaha South High Alumni Association and initiated the Omaha South High Packer Sports Greats Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, Steve spent eight years on the board of the Omaha Softball Association and began the first intramural girls softball programs in Omaha for girls ages five through eight; and

WHEREAS, Steve was an inductee in the Omaha South High Packer Sports Greats Hall of Fame, the Omaha South High School Hall of Fame, and the Omaha Oldtimers Baseball Hall of Fame; and

WHEREAS, Steve was chairman of the 1989 Omaha South High School Centennial Scholarship Program and helped found the Ritonya Buscher Poehling Scholarship Fund which raises money for, and gives college and vocational school scholarships to, graduates of Omaha South, Bryan, and Gross high schools; and

WHEREAS, Steve was vice-president and co-developer of the nonprofit Corrigan Multipurpose Senior Center and its housing units which have served South Omaha's senior citizens since 1984; and

WHEREAS, Steve received the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben Foundation Ike Friedman Leadership Award for outstanding community service, the United Way of the Midlands Volunteer of the Year Award, and the American Red Cross Heroes of the Heartland Lifetime Hero Award; and

WHEREAS, Steve Cavlovic passed away at the Nebraska Medical Center in Omaha, Nebraska, on December 17, 2013; and

WHEREAS, Steve is survived by Mary Lou Cavlovic, his wife of 58 years, three daughters, three grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

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

1. That the Legislature extends its sympathy to the family of Steve Cavlovic, and recognizes Steve for his years of service to the State of Nebraska and to our country, as well as his lifetime of service to South Omaha and its citizens.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Mary Lou Cavlovic and her family.

Laid over.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 391. Introduced by Avery, 28.

WHEREAS, childhood cancer is the leading cause of disease-related death among children in the United States; and

WHEREAS, there are approximately 13,000 new cases of childhood cancer diagnosed annually in the United States, and nearly 2,000 deaths of children and adolescents annually in the United States due to pediatric cancer; and

WHEREAS, the childhood cancer survival rate has improved from 58% thirty years ago to 83% in 2013; and

WHEREAS, about 1 in 500 young adults is a childhood cancer survivor, and nearly 2/3 of childhood cancer survivors later experience significant and chronic medical problems or develop secondary cancers as adults which result from the treatment of their original cancer; and

WHEREAS, childhood cancer does not discriminate and spares no ethnic group, socio-economic class, or geographic region; and

WHEREAS, from 1991 to 2009, 1,695 Nebraska children and adolescents have been diagnosed with cancer, and 310 Nebraska children and adolescents have died from cancer.

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

1. That the Legislature recognizes September 2014 as Pediatric Cancer Awareness Month in Nebraska.
2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Mitchell Ahlschwede.

Laid over.

AMENDMENTS - Print in Journal

Senator Mello filed the following amendment to LB371:

AM1591

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM307)

- 1 1. On page 2, line 15, strike "2014," and insert "2015";
- 2 in line 16 strike "FY2013-14" and insert "FY2014-15"; and in line
- 3 24 strike "2013," and insert "2014".
- 4 2. On page 3, line 3, strike "2013" and insert "2014".

Senator Sullivan filed the following amendment to LB438:

AM1580

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1240)

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following
- 2 new sections:
- 3 Section 1. Section 79-757, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 4 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:
- 5 79-757 Sections 79-757 to 79-762 and section 3 of this
- 6 act shall be known and may be cited as the Quality Education
- 7 Accountability Act.
- 8 Sec. 2. Section 79-760.06, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 9 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:
- 10 79-760.06 (1) On or before August 1, 2012, the State
- 11 Board of Education shall establish an accountability system to be
- 12 used to measure the performance of individual public schools and
- 13 school districts. The accountability system shall combine multiple
- 14 ~~measures, indicators,~~ including, but not limited to, graduation
- 15 rates, student growth and student improvement on the assessment
- 16 instruments provided in section 79-760.03, and other indicators
- 17 of the performance of public schools and school districts as
- 18 established by the state board.

19 (2) Beginning with the reporting of data from school
20 year 2014-15, the indicators ~~The measures~~ selected by the state
21 board for the accountability system ~~may shall~~ be combined into
22 a school performance score and district performance score. The
1 state board ~~may shall~~ establish levels of performance for the
2 indicators used in the accountability system based upon school
3 performance scores and district performance scores in order to
4 classify the performance of public schools and school districts
5 beginning with the reporting of data from school year ~~2013-14.~~
6 2014-15. The state board shall designate priority schools based on
7 such classification. Schools designated as priority schools shall
8 be at the lowest performance level at the time of the initial
9 priority school designation. Schools designated as priority schools
10 shall remain priority schools until such designation is removed by
11 the state board. No more than three schools may have a priority
12 school designation at one time. Schools designated as priority
13 schools shall be subject to the requirements of section 3 of this
14 act. Progress plans for the initial schools designated as priority
15 schools shall be approved by the state board no later than August
16 1, 2016. The State Department of Education shall annually report
17 ~~any the~~ performance levels established by the board regarding the
18 performance level of individual public schools and school districts
19 as part of the statewide assessment and reporting system.

20 Sec. 3. (1) For each school designated as a priority
21 school, the Commissioner of Education shall appoint an intervention
22 team. The intervention team shall assist the school district with
23 diagnosing issues that negatively affect student achievement in the
24 priority school, designing and implementing strategies to address
25 such issues through the progress plan, and developing measurable
26 indicators of progress.

27 (2) The intervention team shall be composed of up to
1 five people with the education and experience to carry out the
2 responsibilities of the team. Members of the intervention team may
3 receive pay for work performed in conjunction with his or her
4 duties as a member of such team. Such pay shall be determined and
5 provided (a) by the State Department of Education for any member of
6 the intervention team who is not an employee of the school district
7 containing the priority school for which such intervention team is
8 appointed or (b) by the school district containing the priority
9 school for which the intervention team is appointed for any
10 member of the intervention team who is an employee of such school
11 district. Any member of the intervention team who is eligible to
12 receive pay from the department pursuant to subdivision (a) of this
13 subsection shall also be eligible for reimbursement of actual and
14 necessary expenses incurred in carrying out his or her duties as
15 a member of such team as provided in sections 81-1174 to 81-1177.
16 Reimbursement of actual and necessary expenses for any member of
17 the intervention team who is an employee of the school district
18 containing the priority school for which the intervention team is

19 appointed shall be provided in accordance with the policies and
 20 procedures of such school district.

21 (3) The intervention team, in collaboration with the
 22 priority school staff and the administration and school board
 23 of the school district with control of the priority school,
 24 shall develop a progress plan for approval by the State Board
 25 of Education. Any progress plan shall include specific actions
 26 required by the school and the district in order to remove its
 27 classification as a priority school, including any required level
 1 of progress as indicated by the measurable indicators.

2 (4) Compliance with progress plans shall be a requirement
 3 to maintain accreditation for any school district that contains a
 4 priority school. The state board shall annually review any progress
 5 plans and determine whether any modifications are needed. If a
 6 school has been designated as a priority school for the fifth
 7 consecutive school year, the state board shall reevaluate the
 8 progress plan to determine if significant revisions or an entirely
 9 new progress plan are warranted.

10 (5) The school board of a school district containing a
 11 priority school as designated pursuant to section 79-760.06 shall
 12 provide the intervention team with full access to the priority
 13 school, priority school staff, the school district, school district
 14 staff, academic information, financial information, and any other
 15 requested information.

16 (6) The Commissioner of Education shall annually report
 17 to the Governor and electronically to the Clerk of the Legislature
 18 and the chairperson of the Education Committee of the Legislature
 19 on all schools designated as priority schools. The report shall
 20 include the name of the school, the grades included in the priority
 21 school designation, the name of the school district, the years for
 22 which the school was designated a priority school, a summary of
 23 the progress plan, and the level of progress as indicated by the
 24 measurable indicators.

25 Sec. 4. Original sections 79-757 and 79-760.06, Revised
 26 Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, are repealed.

Senator Dubas filed the following amendment to LB249:
 AM1602 is available in the Bill Room.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Committee elected Senator Murante as Vice Chairperson.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducer

Senator Kintner asked unanimous consent to add his name as cointroducer to LB381. No objections. So ordered.

VISITOR

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Ron Klutman from Columbus.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:05 a.m., on a motion by Senator Hansen, the Legislature adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Thursday, January 9, 2014.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature