## LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

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## **LEGISLATIVE BILL 216**

Introduced by Hadley, 37.

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Committee: Revenue

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section
- 2 77-2712.03, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2014; to correct
- provisions relating to the streamlined sales and use tax agreement;
- 4 and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 77-2712.03, Revised Statutes Cumulative

- 2 Supplement, 2014, is amended to read:
- 3 77-2712.03 (1) The streamlined sales and use tax agreement, as
- 4 adopted by the streamlined sales tax implementing states on November 12,
- 5 2002, including amendments through December 31, 2010, is hereby ratified
- 6 by the Legislature. The Governor shall enter into the agreement with one
- 7 or more states to simplify and modernize sales and use tax administration
- 8 in order to substantially reduce the burden of tax compliance for all
- 9 sellers and for all types of commerce. In furtherance of the agreement,
- 10 the Department of Revenue is authorized to act jointly with other states
- 11 that are members under Article Articles VII or VIII of the agreement to
- 12 establish standards for certification of a certified service provider and
- 13 certified automated system and establish performance standards for
- 14 multistate sellers. The department is further authorized to take other
- 15 actions permissible under law reasonably required to implement the
- 16 provisions set forth in the agreement. Other actions authorized by this
- 17 section include, but are not limited to, the adoption and promulgation of
- 18 rules and regulations and the joint procurement, with other member
- 19 states, of goods and services in furtherance of the agreement.
- 20 (2) The Tax Commissioner or his or her designee and two
- 21 representatives of the Legislature appointed by the Executive Board of
- 22 the Legislative Council are authorized to represent Nebraska before the
- 23 other member states under the agreement. The state also agrees to
- 24 participate in and comply with the procedures of and decisions made by
- 25 the governing board of the member states. These provisions of the
- 26 agreement include the creation of the organization as provided in Article
- 27 VII of the agreement, the requirements for state entry and withdrawal as
- 28 provided in Article VIII of the agreement, amendments to the agreement as
- 29 provided in Article IX of the agreement, and a dispute resolution process
- 30 as provided in Article X of the agreement.
- 31 Sec. 2. Original section 77-2712.03, Revised Statutes Cumulative

1 Supplement, 2014, is repealed.