

**ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2021**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB382**

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**Hearing Date:** Friday February 05, 2021  
**Committee On:** Appropriations  
**Introducer:** Speaker Hilgers  
**One Liner:** Appropriate funds for salaries of constitutional officers

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**

Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

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**Vote Results:**

**Aye:** 9 Senators Clements, Dorn, Hilkemann, Erdman, Kolterman, McDonnell,  
Stinner, Vargas, Wishart

**Nay:**

**Absent:**

**Present Not Voting:**

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**Oral Testimony:**

**Proponents:**

Lee Will

**Representing:**

State Budget Administrator

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

**Representing:**

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB 382, introduced by the Speaker at the request of the Governor, is a part of the Governor's biennial budget recommendations. This bill provides for the funding of the salaries and benefits of certain State Officers as required by the State Constitution and current laws of the State of Nebraska. This bill includes judges as well as elected Constitutional Officers, the Parole Board and the Tax Commissioner. This legislative bill contains the emergency clause and becomes operative on July 1, 2021.

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**Explanation of amendments:**

The amendment becomes the bill. The amendment provides for the Appropriations Committee recommended funding of the salaries and benefits of certain State Officers, as required by the State Constitution and current laws of the State of Nebraska. Most adjustments from the original bill amounts are differences due to calculation of benefits. The bill includes appropriations for salaries of all judges, elected Constitutional Officers, the Parole Board, and the Tax Commissioner.

Please refer to "State of Nebraska FY 2021-22 and FY 2022-23 Biennial Budget, As Proposed by the Appropriations Committee 107th Legislature, First Session" published April, 2021.

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John Stinner, Chairperson