

AMENDMENTS TO LB992

Introduced by Armendariz, 18.

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new
2 sections:

3 **Section 1.** Section 81-132, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2025, is
4 amended to read:

5 81-132 (1)(a) ~~(1)~~ All departments, offices, institutions, and
6 expending agencies of the state government requesting appropriations for
7 the next biennium shall file in the office of the Director of
8 Administrative Services the budget forms furnished them by the director
9 under ~~the provisions of~~ sections 81-1113 and 81-1113.01. Such budget
10 forms shall be filed on or before September 15 of each even-numbered
11 year.

12 (b) The forms shall show their total estimated requirements for the
13 next biennium for each unit of their organization and activity classified
14 as to object of expenditure. With such forms, each department, office,
15 institution, and expending agency shall file a report showing all money
16 received by such department, office, institution, or expending agency
17 together with the estimated receipts for the next biennium. Such
18 estimates shall be accompanied by a statement in writing giving facts and
19 explanations of reasons for each item of increased appropriation
20 requested. The report submitted by the Department of Health and Human
21 Services shall include, but not be limited to, the key goals, benchmarks,
22 and progress reports required pursuant to sections 81-3133.01 to
23 81-3133.03.

24 (c) The forms shall also include:

25 (i) An inventory of all software purchased and used by or on behalf
26 of the department, office, institution, or agency, including software
27 licenses and subscriptions;

1 (ii) An inventory of all information technology hardware used by the
2 department, office, institution, or agency; and

3 (iii) A six-year plan for such software and hardware needs and
4 related costs.

5 (2) Any department, office, institution, or expending agency
6 proposing changes to its appropriation for the biennium in progress shall
7 file in the office of the Director of Administrative Services the budget
8 forms for requesting such changes furnished by the director under the
9 ~~provisions of~~ sections 81-1113 and 81-1113.01. Such forms shall be filed
10 on or before October 24 of each odd-numbered year.

11 **Sec. 2.** The Nebraska Technology Infrastructure Cash Fund is
12 created. The fund shall consist of revenue and transfers credited to the
13 fund as authorized by law. Money shall be appropriated from the fund to
14 state agencies for making payments on projects as determined by the
15 Legislature, including, but not limited to, purchases of software,
16 information technology hardware, and related implementation and
17 modernization. The fund shall be administered by the State Treasurer as a
18 multiple-agency-use fund and appropriated to state agencies as determined
19 by the Legislature. Any money in the Nebraska Technology Infrastructure
20 Cash Fund available for investment shall be invested by the state
21 investment officer pursuant to the Nebraska Capital Expansion Act and the
22 Nebraska State Funds Investment Act. Any investment earnings from
23 investment of money in the fund shall be credited to the General Fund.

24 **Sec. 3.** Original section 81-132, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2025,
25 is repealed.

26 **Sec. 4.** Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when
27 passed and approved according to law.