

E AND R AMENDMENTS TO LB 437

Introduced by Guereca, 7, Chairman Enrollment and Review

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

3 **Section 1.** Section 71-5848.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska,
4 is amended to read:

5 71-5848.01 A new or modified certificate of need shall be valid for
6 a period of three years ~~one year~~ from the date of issuance and may be
7 renewed at the expiration of such period for up to one year if the holder
8 of the certificate establishes that the holder is meeting the timetable
9 or making a good faith effort to meet it. The department shall give
10 written notice to an applicant for a renewal certificate of its decision
11 within thirty days after receipt of an application. Such decision shall
12 be considered a final decision of the department for purposes of appeal.
13 If the decision is not appealed, it shall be final as of the date issued.

14 **Sec. 2.** Original section 71-5848.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of
15 Nebraska, is repealed.

16 2. On page 1, strike beginning with "to" in line 2 through line 12
17 and insert "to amend section 71-5848.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of
18 Nebraska; to change the validity period for a new or modified certificate
19 of need; and to repeal the original section."