

Floor Amendment To LB316
(Amendment to AM628)

Introduced by Kauth, 31.

In AM628, strike all existing language and 1. insert the following new section: "(1) In the event of a conflict between the Nebraska Hemp and Farming Act and the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Patient Protection Act, the latter shall control. (2) In the event of a conflict between the Nebraska Hemp Farming Act and the Nebraska Medical Cannabis Regulation Act, the latter shall control." 2. On page 1, line 5 of AM944, strike "section 3" and insert "sections 3 and 6". 3. On page 5, after 11 of AM944, insert the following new subdivision: "(d) After the consumer safe harbor period expires, an individual may assert as a defense to a prosecution for possession of illegal hemp that he or she purchased the illegal hemp for personal use prior to the effective date of this act. The burden shall be on the individual to prove the elements of this defense by a preponderance of the evidence. This defense shall only apply to conduct that occurred on or before December 31, 2026."; and in line 8 strike "(d)" and insert "(e)" and after "prosecution" insert "or provide a defense". 4. Renumber the remaining sections accordingly.