

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2026
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB1029

Hearing Date: Monday February 09, 2026
Committee On: Education
Introducer: Conrad
One Liner: Redefine terms relating to reportable funding from a foreign adversarial source for colleges and universities

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Murman, Conrad, Hughes, Hunt, Juarez, Lonowski, Meyer, G., Sanders
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Danielle Conrad
Matt Blomstedt
Mike Baumgartner

Representing:

Opening Presenter
University of Nebraska
Nebraska Coordinating Commission for
Postsecondary Education

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 1029 amends section 85-906 of the Revised Statutes of Nebraska relating to postsecondary education. The bill redefines "contract" and "reportable funding" to change reporting requirements for foreign adversarial funding received by public postsecondary institutions by limiting reportable contracts to those benefiting the foreign adversarial source and excluding salary, wages, and other compensation as reportable funding.

Dave Murman, Chairperson

