

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2025
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB136

Hearing Date: Friday January 24, 2025
Committee On: Judiciary
Introducer: Holdcroft
One Liner: Change provisions relating to service of garnishment summons, continuing liens, and notices upon corporate garnishees

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Bosn, DeBoer, Hallstrom, Holdcroft, McKinney, Rountree, Storer, Storm
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Rick Holdcroft
Ansley Fellers
Ken Wentz
Josephine Litwinowicz

Representing:

Opening Presenter
Nebraska Grocery Industry Association
Casey's Retail Stores
Higher Power Church

Opponents:

David Houghton
Robert Bryant

Representing:

Nebraska Collectors Association
Cada Law

Neutral:

Representing:

* ADA Accommodation Written Testimony

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 136 amends sections 25-1030.01 and 25-1056 to require that in cases involving service of a notice of the filing of an application for determination of liability of a garnishee, or in cases involving service of a garnishment summons or continuing lien against wages, if the debtor's employer is a corporate entity then such service on the corporate entity must be upon the corporate entity's registered agent for service of process in this state.

Explanation of amendments:

The Judiciary Committee Amendment, AM 283, provides that service may be made at the location of the corporate entity's registered agent, as opposed to upon the registered agent. AM 283 also provides that in cases involving a garnishment served upon a corporate entity against wages due to a judgment debtor, the corporate entity is not liable



as a garnishee if certain conditions are met.

Carolyn Bosn, Chairperson

