

ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 428

Introduced by Lonowski, 33; Hallstrom, 1; Ibach, 44; Riepe, 12.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to propose an interim study relating to insurance to examine the effects of implementing LB987, introduced in the One Hundred Ninth Legislature, Second Session. The bill creates the Vision Benefit Plan Act which establishes detailed standards for how insurers and vision benefit managers interact with eye care providers and enrollees by creating transparency, disclosure, and nonretaliation requirements and prohibiting certain practices such as forced provider participation in unrelated plans, nominal reimbursement, and misleading advertising.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Banking, Commerce and Insurance Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.