

LEGISLATIVE BILL 298A

Approved by the Governor June 4, 2025

Introduced by Arch, 14.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend section 21, Legislative Bill 261, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 298, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025; to change an appropriation; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.
Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. There is hereby appropriated (1) \$680,000 from the General Fund for FY2025-26 and (2) \$680,000 from the General Fund for FY2026-27 to the Legislative Council, for Program 129, to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 298, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025.
Total expenditures for permanent and temporary salaries and per diems from funds appropriated in this section shall not exceed \$590,500 for FY2025-26 or \$615,700 for FY2026-27.
Sec. 2. Section 21, Legislative Bill 261, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025, is amended to read:
Sec. 21. AGENCY NO. 3 – LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
Program No. 504 - Office of Public Counsel

	FY2025-26	FY2026-27
<u>GENERAL FUND</u>	<u>1,522,116</u>	<u>1,522,116</u>
GENERAL FUND	2,202,116	2,202,116
<u>PROGRAM TOTAL</u>	<u>1,522,116</u>	<u>1,522,116</u>
PROGRAM TOTAL	2,202,116	2,202,116
<u>SALARY LIMIT</u>	<u>1,403,997</u>	<u>1,454,309</u>
SALARY LIMIT	1,994,497	2,070,009

The unexpended General Fund appropriation balance existing on June 30, 2025, is hereby reappropriated.
Sec. 3. Original section 21, Legislative Bill 261, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025, is repealed.
Sec. 4. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect when passed and approved according to law.