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LEGISLATIVE BILL 420

Introduced by Raybould, 28.

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Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public assistance; to amend section 68-130,
- 2 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change funding for county
- 3 offices; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original
- 4 section; and to outright repeal section 81-1139.01, Reissue Revised
- 5 Statutes of Nebraska.
- 6 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 68-130, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
2 amended to read:

3 68-130 (1) Counties shall maintain, ~~at no additional cost to the~~
4 ~~Department of Health and Human Services,~~ office and service facilities
5 used for the administration of the public assistance programs as such
6 facilities existed on April 1, 1983. The state shall pay the cost for the
7 office and service facilities used for the administration of the public
8 assistance programs.

9 (2) The county board of any county may request in writing that the
10 department review office and service facilities provided by the county
11 for the department to determine if the department is able to reduce or
12 eliminate office and service facilities within the county. The department
13 shall respond in writing to such request within thirty days after
14 receiving the request. The final decision with respect to maintaining,
15 reducing, or eliminating office and service facilities in such county
16 shall be made by the department, and the county may reduce or eliminate
17 office and service facilities if authorized by such final decision.

18 Sec. 2. This act becomes operative on July 1, 2024.

19 Sec. 3. Original section 68-130, Reissue Revised Statutes of
20 Nebraska, is repealed.

21 Sec. 4. The following section is outright repealed: Section
22 81-1139.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.