

NINTH DAY - JANUARY 22, 2019**LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION****NINTH DAY**

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Tuesday, January 22, 2019

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Father Michael Melchizedek, Saints Simon and Jude Eastern Orthodox Church, Lincoln.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., President Foley presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senator Linehan who was excused until she arrives.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the eighth day was approved.

REFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Legislative Council Executive Board submits the following report:

LB/LR	Committee
LB378	Transportation and Telecommunications
LB379	Banking, Commerce and Insurance
LB380	Banking, Commerce and Insurance
LB381	Government, Military and Veterans Affairs
LB382	Agriculture
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LB398 Education
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LB402 Health and Human Services
LB403 Appropriations
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LB405 Urban Affairs
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(Signed) Mike Hilgers, Chairperson
Executive Board

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING(S)
Urban Affairs

Room 1510

Tuesday, January 29, 2019 1:30 p.m.

LB57
LB121
LB160
LB66
LB11

(Signed) Justin Wayne, Chairperson

Agriculture

Room 1524

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LB243
LB321
LB333

(Signed) Steve Halloran, Chairperson

Banking, Commerce and Insurance

Room 1507

Tuesday, January 29, 2019 1:30 p.m.

LB355
LB258
LB259
LB188

(Signed) Matt Williams, Chairperson

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Blood filed the following amendment to LB7:

AM10

1 1. On page 2, line 22, after "and" insert "(i)"; in line 23 after
2 "performed" insert "or (ii) ownership is intended to be transferred"; and
3 strike beginning with the first comma in line 24 through the last comma
4 in line 25.

RESOLUTION(S)

Pursuant to Rule 4, Sec. 5(b), LRs 4 and 6 were adopted.

PRESIDENT SIGNED

While the Legislature was in session and capable of transacting business, the President signed the following: LRs 4 and 6.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 479. Introduced by Wishart, 27; Blood, 3; Cavanaugh, 6; Crawford, 45; DeBoer, 10; Geist, 25; Hansen, M., 26; Howard, 9; Hunt, 8; Kolterman, 24; Lathrop, 12; McCollister, 20; McDonnell, 5; Pansing Brooks, 28; Slama, 1; Vargas, 7; Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 27-404, 27-413, 28-115, 28-318, 28-322.01, and 29-4003, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-101 and 83-4,143, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to prohibit sexual assault of detainees by employees of law enforcement agencies; to define and redefine terms; to provide a penalty; to change provisions relating to evidence of sexual assault under the Nebraska Evidence Rules, enhanced penalties for certain crimes against pregnant women, sexual abuse of an inmate or parolee, registrable offenses under the Sex Offender Registration Act, and eligibility for

participation in incarceration work camp; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 480. Introduced by Quick, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state findings; and to state intent relating to appropriations to local public health departments with respect to preventive health programs.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 481. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent relating to an appropriation to the Department of Health and Human Services.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 482. Introduced by Erdman, 47.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-101, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to define a term; to provide for an adjustment to the assessed value of destroyed real property; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 483. Introduced by Erdman, 47.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 46-294.03, 77-103.01, 77-201, 77-1343, 77-1359, 77-1371, 77-1502, 77-1507.01, 77-5022, 77-5023, and 77-6203, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 79-1016 and 79-1036, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change the valuation of agricultural land and horticultural land as prescribed; to create the Agricultural Land Valuation Board; to eliminate provisions relating to land classifications; to harmonize provisions; to provide operative dates; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal section 77-1363, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 484. Introduced by Lowe, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-115, 28-929, 28-929.01, 28-930, 28-931, and 28-931.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-1351 and 28-1354, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change provisions relating to assault on an officer, emergency responder, certain employees, or a health care professional in the first, second, and third degree and assault on an officer, an emergency responder, a state correctional employee, a Department of Health and Human Services employee, or a health care professional using a motor vehicle; to define terms; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 485. Introduced by Lowe, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent relating to an appropriation for the Youth Rehabilitation and Treatment Center-Kearney.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 486. Introduced by Lowe, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to adopt the Veteran and Active Duty Supportive Postsecondary Institution Act.

MOTION - Adopt Permanent Rules

Senator Crawford moved to adopt the permanent rules for the One Hundred Sixth Legislature and any special sessions held during the 2019-2020 calendar year.

The Rules Committee offered the proposed rules change, found on page 233, to Rule 5, Sec. 5(d).

The Rules Committee's proposed rules change to Rule 5, Sec. 5(d), was adopted with with 25 ayes, 17 nays, and 7 present and not voting.

The Rules Committee offered the proposed rules change, found on pages 235 and 236, to Rule 6, Sec. 2 and Sec. 3.

The Rules Committee's proposed rules change to Rule 6, Sec. 2 and Sec. 3, was adopted with 32 ayes, 10 nays, and 7 present and not voting.

The Rules Committee offered the proposed rules change, found on page 234, to Rule 7, Sec. 10.

Senator Chambers offered the following amendment to the proposed rules change:

Amend Proposed Rule Change

Rule 7, Sec. 10

Every place where "presiding officer" appears, strike it and insert "Speaker"

Senator Chambers moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 29 ayes, 5 nays, and 15 not voting.

Senator Chambers requested a roll call vote on his amendment.

Voting in the affirmative, 12:

Blood	Howard	Lathrop	Quick
Cavanaugh	Hunt	Morfeld	Wayne
Chambers	Kolowski	Pansing Brooks	Wishart

Voting in the negative, 36:

Albrecht	Crawford	Hansen, B.	Linehan	Stinner
Arch	DeBoer	Hansen, M.	Lowe	Vargas
Bolz	Dorn	Hilgers	McCollister	Walz
Bostelman	Erdman	Hilkemann	McDonnell	Williams
Brandt	Geist	Hughes	Moser	
Brewer	Gragert	Kolterman	Murman	
Briese	Groene	La Grone	Scheer	
Clements	Halloran	Lindstrom	Slama	

Excused and not voting, 1:

Friesen

The Chambers amendment lost with 12 ayes, 36 nays, and 1 excused and not voting.

Senator Crawford withdrew the Rules Committee's proposed rules change, found on page 234, to Rule 7, Sec. 10.

Senator Briese offered the following proposed rules change:

Rule 7

Sec. 3. Motion, in Writing, Withdrawal. (a) A motion shall be either stated by the presiding officer or read by the Clerk before a vote is taken. All motions shall be submitted in writing if requested by the presiding officer or any senator. Any member may request that for any debatable motion or amendment to proceed, approval of the motion be demanded by five or more members.

Senator Briese withdrew his proposed rules change to Rule 7, Sec. 3.

Pending.

BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

LEGISLATIVE BILL 487. Introduced by La Grone, 49.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act; to amend section 48-1,110, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to require the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court to adopt an evidence-based drug formulary as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 488. Introduced by Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 79-712, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to require mental health education as

prescribed; to change drug awareness and prevention requirements as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 489. Introduced by Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to amend section 71-2454, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 38-101, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to require certain credential holders to register for the prescription drug monitoring system; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 490. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to amend sections 11-119, 11-125, 11-126, 22-417, 23-120, 23-121, 23-1114.03, 23-1114.04, 23-1114.05, 23-1114.06, 24-228, 24-507, 24-508, 32-524, 32-567, 33-106.02, 43-2,123, and 43-512.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 23-2504, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide for judicial reform; to transition the office of the clerk of the district court from an elected county-reimbursed position to an appointed state-reimbursed position; to consolidate the positions of clerk magistrate and clerk of the district court into the clerk of the courts; to transfer employees of such positions from county to state employees; to require judges and clerks to develop consolidation plans; to change provisions relating to courts, clerks, clerk magistrates, court fees, and court facilities; to provide duties for the State Court Administrator; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 491. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to state findings; to define terms; to authorize punitive damages as prescribed; and to require punitive damages to be appropriated for the use of the common schools.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 492. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to municipalities; to amend sections 13-1213, 13-2202, 13-2401, 14-1803, 14-1812, 32-567, 32-604, 32-1203, 75-303, 77-3442, and 77-3443, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 13-503, 13-519, 13-1205, 13-1209, 32-101, 60-6,290, 84-304, and 84-304.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to adopt the Regional Metropolitan Transit Authority Act; to change a provision relating to creation of a metropolitan transit authority; to provide a maximum property tax levy for a regional metropolitan transit authority; to harmonize provisions; to provide a duty for the Revisor of Statutes; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 493. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Housing Agency Act; to amend section 71-1590, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to property tax exemptions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 494. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to the Department of Transportation.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 495. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to provide for a statewide system of data collection on school discipline and law enforcement referrals as prescribed; and to provide duties for the State Board of Education and school districts.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 496. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-916.01, 28-919, 28-922, 29-1912, 29-1914, 29-1916, 29-1917, 29-1918, 29-1919, 29-1923, and 29-1924, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change penalties for tampering with witnesses or informants, jury tampering, and tampering with physical evidence; to change provisions relating to discovery in criminal cases; to redefine terms; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 497. Introduced by Friesen, 34; Albrecht, 17; Bostelman, 23; Brandt, 32; Brewer, 43; Briese, 41; Dorn, 30; Erdman, 47; Gragert, 40; Halloran, 33; Hughes, 44; Murman, 38.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-201, 77-202, 77-382, 77-693, 77-801, 77-1238, 77-1248, 77-1601.02, 77-2602, 77-2701.16, 77-2704.24, 77-2704.67, 77-27,132, 77-3442, and 77-5023, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 53-160, 53-187, 79-1003, 79-1015.01, 79-1016, and 79-1022, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to adopt the School District Property Tax Authority Act; to increase alcohol taxes; to change the valuation of agricultural land and horticultural land for school district taxation purposes; to terminate the exemptions provided under the Personal Property Tax Relief Act and certain sales tax exemptions; to increase the cigarette tax; to impose sales and use taxes on certain services; to transfer certain revenue to the Cash Reserve Fund; to change the levy limit for school districts as prescribed; to change the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 498. Introduced by Wishart, 27; Cavanaugh, 6; Chambers, 11; Howard, 9; Hunt, 8; McCollister, 20; Morfeld, 46;

Pansing Brooks, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Medical Assistance Act; to amend section 68-911, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to require a state plan amendment relating to coverage for family planning services; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 499. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Psychology Practice Act; to amend sections 38-3105 and 38-3129, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to redefine a term; to provide requirements for psychological services as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 500. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to pretrial diversion; to amend sections 29-3604 and 29-3605, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to prohibit participation in pretrial diversion programs for certain driving under the influence and driver's license revocation violations; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 501. Introduced by Hunt, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to require insurance coverage for in vitro fertilization procedures as prescribed; and to provide for rules and regulations by the Department of Insurance.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 502. Introduced by Hunt, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to immigration; to adopt the Limited Immigration Inquiry Act.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 503. Introduced by Hunt, 8; Cavanaugh, 6; Howard, 9; Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to abortion; to amend section 28-335, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate provisions relating to physicians' physical presence; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 504. Introduced by Hunt, 8; Cavanaugh, 6; DeBoer, 10; Howard, 9; Pansing Brooks, 28; Vargas, 7; Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-109, 28-110, 28-111, 28-112, 28-113, and 28-114, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to define a term; to provide for enhanced penalties for commission of a crime because of a victim's gender identity or association with a person of a certain gender identity; to include strangulation in the offenses to which enhanced penalties apply; to change provisions relating to

legislative intent, civil actions, and duties of the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 505. Introduced by Brewer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to support order payments; to amend section 43-3342.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to forwarded and returned payments, collection expenses, and the State Disbursement Unit; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 506. Introduced by Briese, 41.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to adopt the Property Tax Request Limitation Act; and to provide an operative date.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 507. Introduced by Briese, 41.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-382, 77-2701.16, 77-2704.10, 77-2704.24, and 77-27,132, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to a tax expenditure report; to impose sales and use taxes on certain services; to change and eliminate certain sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for the use of the net increase in tax revenue; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 77-2704.08, 77-2704.14, 77-2704.38, 77-2704.52, 77-2704.55, 77-2704.56, 77-2704.65, 77-2704.66, and 77-2704.67, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 508. Introduced by Briese, 41.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-382, 77-2701.16, 77-2704.10, 77-2704.24, and 77-27,132, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to impose sales and use taxes on certain services; to change and eliminate certain sales and use tax exemptions; to provide for the use of certain sales and use tax revenue; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 77-2704.08 and 77-2704.52, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 509. Introduced by McCollister, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to net metering; to amend sections 70-2002 and 70-2003, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to redefine net metering and qualified facility; to change a provision relating to powers and duties of a local distribution utility; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 510. Introduced by McCollister, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Sex Offender Registration Act; to

amend section 29-4003, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to applicability of the act to certain juvenile adjudications; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 511. Introduced by Brewer, 43; Bostelman, 23; Gragert, 40; Halloran, 33; Linehan, 39; Murman, 38.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state employees; to authorize adjustments to work schedules for participation in approved youth mentoring programs as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 512. Introduced by Linehan, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 3-150, 66-482, 66-4,143, 66-6,101, 66-712, 66-718, 66-739, 66-1521, 77-202.03, 77-377.02, 77-414, 77-702, 77-1239, 77-2716.01, 77-2734.01, 77-2761, 77-2773, 77-2776, 77-3506, 77-3508, 77-3519, 77-4111, and 77-6203, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 39-2215, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to eliminate the Motor Fuel Tax Enforcement and Collection Division of the Department of Revenue; to change and eliminate provisions relating to a list of exempt real property, collection agency fees, rules and regulations, and reimbursement to political subdivisions; to provide for reassessment of destroyed or damaged property; to change provisions relating to personal exemptions, standard deductions, requirements for filing income tax returns, notices of deficiency, and homestead exemptions; to harmonize provisions; to provide operative dates; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal section 66-738, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 513. Introduced by Briese, 41.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to bonds; to amend section 10-702, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 79-10,110.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change requirements for the issuance of certain bonds; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 514. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-611, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to include child support credit and spousal support credit as property obtained under issuing or passing a bad check or other order; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 515. Introduced by Vargas, 7.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Student Discipline Act; to amend sections 79-256, 79-265, 79-266, 79-267, 79-268, 79-269, 79-271, 79-272, 79-276, 79-278, 79-282, 79-283, and 79-287, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to redefine a term; to change provisions relating to intent,

suspension, expulsion, reassignment, discipline, and hearings; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 516. Introduced by Pansing Brooks, 28; Linehan, 39; Slama, 1.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to children and families; to amend sections 28-707, 28-710, 28-713, 28-720.01, and 29-110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-101 and 43-4406, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to redefine a term; to change provisions relating to child abuse, the Child Protection and Family Safety Act, human trafficking, and child welfare services; to provide duties for the Department of Health and Human Services; to change statutes of limitations with respect to human trafficking offenses; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 517. Introduced by Pansing Brooks, 28; Linehan, 39; Slama, 1.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to civil procedure; to amend section 25-21,299, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change human trafficking damage provisions as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 518. Introduced by Linehan, 39; Pansing Brooks, 28; Slama, 1.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to health and human services; to amend section 81-1429.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to adopt the Support for Trafficking Survivors Act; to create an office, a board, and a fund; to state intent regarding appropriations; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 519. Introduced by Slama, 1; Linehan, 39; Pansing Brooks, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to criminal law; to amend sections 29-110 and 86-291, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change statutes of limitations for prosecution for labor and sex trafficking, labor and sex trafficking of a minor, and offenses involving visual depictions of sexually explicit conduct and sexually explicit acts; to change provisions relating to interception of communications; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 520. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to cities of the metropolitan class; to require cities of the metropolitan class to annually update their safety standards and operating procedures for road construction and maintenance; to provide requirements for such standards and procedures; and to provide a duty for

the Revisor of Statutes.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 521. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend sections 60-3301, 60-3302, 60-3303, 60-3304, and 60-3308, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change and eliminate provisions relating to automated vehicles; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 60-3306, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 522. Introduced by Linehan, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to county government; to amend sections 23-2501, 23-2502, 23-2505, 23-2508, 23-2509, 23-2511, 23-2512, 23-2513, 23-2515, and 23-2516, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 23-2503, 23-2504, 23-2506, 23-2510, and 23-2514, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to name the County Civil Service Commission Act; to change provisions relating to the purpose of the act and commission membership; to eliminate a provision providing commission duties; to provide for appointment of and prescribe duties for a human resources director; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 23-2507, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 523. Introduced by Linehan, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to taxation; to amend sections 76-902, 77-123, 77-202, 77-202.01, 77-202.03, and 77-202.09, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 60-3,185, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide a documentary stamp tax exemption for certain deeds and a property tax exemption to educational, religious, charitable, or cemetery limited liability companies; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 524. Introduced by Dorn, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Budget Act; to amend section 79-1074, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 13-509, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change provisions relating to annexations; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 525. Introduced by Dorn, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to county government; to amend sections 23-107.01 and 23-174.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to the sale of county real estate; to provide for transfer of an interest in real estate by a plat as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 526. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act; to amend section 48-121, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to compensation for temporary disability; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 527. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to economic development; to amend section 48-622.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to adopt the Customized Job Training Act; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 528. Introduced by Hilkemann, 4; Hansen, B., 16; Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Optometry Practice Act; to amend sections 38-2601, 38-2604, and 38-2605, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to redefine terms; to provide for use of pharmaceutical agents and routes of administration as prescribed; to authorize treatment and procedures as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 529. Introduced by Groene, 42.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-202, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to a property tax exemption for hospitals; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 530. Introduced by Groene, 42.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-201 and 77-5023, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 79-1016, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change the valuation of agricultural land and horticultural land; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 531. Introduced by Vargas, 7; Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Election Administration Fund; to amend section 32-204, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide for a transfer; to create a fund; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 532. Introduced by Cavanaugh, 6; Hunt, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to protection orders; to amend sections 28-311.09, 42-924.02, and 42-926, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 28-311.11, 42-924, and 42-925, Revised Statutes Cumulative

Supplement, 2018; to change provisions relating to harassment protection orders, sexual assault protection orders, and domestic abuse protection orders; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 533. Introduced by Cavanaugh, 6; Hansen, M., 26; Hunt, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to marriage; to amend sections 42-103, 42-109, and 42-110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change terminology; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 534. Introduced by Cavanaugh, 6.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to postsecondary education; to require a sexual assault campus climate survey, a report, and training.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 535. Introduced by Cavanaugh, 6; DeBoer, 10; Hansen, M., 26; Hunt, 8.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Advantage Act; to amend sections 77-5715 and 77-5735, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to redefine a term; to provide for applicability of changes; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 536. Introduced by Pansing Brooks, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to trusts; to amend sections 30-3805, 30-3808, 30-3855, and 30-3859, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Nebraska Uniform Directed Trust Act; to provide for applicability; to change and eliminate related Uniform Trust Code provisions; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 30-3873, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 537. Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to school districts; to amend section 79-826, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to a certificated employee's performance or conduct; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 538. Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to gambling; to amend sections 28-1107 and 77-3001, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to possession of a gambling device; to redefine mechanical amusement device under the Mechanical Amusement Device Tax Act; to provide for approval of certain mechanical amusement devices by, and provide duties for, the Department of Revenue as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 539. Introduced by Walz, 15.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Adult Protective Services Act; to amend section 28-351, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to redefine abuse to include assaults; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 540. Introduced by Walz, 15.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to developmental disabilities services; to amend section 83-1216.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to eliminate a termination date; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 541. Introduced by Walz, 15.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to anatomical gifts; to amend section 71-4819, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to public education regarding bone marrow donors; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 542. Introduced by Lowe, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2715.07, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Firearm Safety Act; to provide for a tax credit; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 543. Introduced by Lowe, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to government; to amend sections 52-118, 73-306, and 81-1016, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 81-1316, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change provisions relating to payment bonds for construction contracts for public buildings; to change powers and duties related to rules and regulations of the Department of Administrative Services; to exempt all state agency deputy directors and attorneys from the State Personnel System as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 544. Introduced by Linehan, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to amend section 85-1807, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Meadowlark Scholarship Act; to change provisions relating to the College Savings Plan Expense Fund; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 545. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska educational savings plan trust; to amend sections 77-2701, 77-2716, 85-1802, 85-1806, 85-1807,

85-1808, 85-1809, 85-1810, and 85-1812, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to authorize and provide an income tax deduction for employer contributions as prescribed; to provide for contributions of income tax refunds; to define a term; to require that employer contributions not be recognized as income for certain purposes; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 546. Introduced by Wishart, 27; Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend sections 60-301, 60-393, 60-395, 60-396, 60-3,104, and 60-3,130.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide for a low-income spay and neuter grant program and for Spay and Neuter Awareness Plates; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 547. Introduced by Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska educational savings plan trust; to amend sections 72-1239.01, 77-2716, 85-1802, 85-1804, 85-1806, 85-1809, 85-1812, and 85-1814, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to create funds; to create the College Savings Plan Matching Grant Program and provide for state matching grants as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 548. Introduced by Howard, 9; Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to offenses against animals; to prohibit restraining animals in the event of certain natural or manmade disasters or severe weather events as prescribed; and to provide a penalty.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 549. Introduced by Brandt, 32; Briese, 41; Dorn, 30; Walz, 15.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Telecommunications Regulation Act; to amend sections 86-101 and 86-103, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to define terms; to provide duties for certain telecommunications companies and the Public Service Commission; to provide for creation and maintenance of a geographic information system map as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 550. Introduced by Vargas, 7; Hilgers, 21.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to wireless telecommunications services; to amend sections 86-313 and 86-457, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 86-328 and 86-1028, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to require voter approval for taxes and fees on wireless services; to change and eliminate certain surcharges; to eliminate the Prepaid Wireless Surcharge Act; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and

to outright repeal section 86-901, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 86-320.02, 86-902, 86-903, 86-904, and 86-905, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 551. Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent relating to funding for development districts.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 552. Introduced by McDonnell, 5; Pansing Brooks, 28.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Tree Recovery Program; to amend sections 72-1901, 72-1902, and 72-1904, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change legislative findings, intent relating to appropriations, and application deadlines; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 553. Introduced by Clements, 2.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to civil rights; to require reasonable accommodation for a person with a disability to have an assistance animal in a dwelling as prescribed; to define terms; and to provide a written verification process.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 554. Introduced by Wishart, 27; Kolterman, 24; Linehan, 39; Morfeld, 46; Quick, 35; Walz, 15.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Medical Assistance Act; to amend section 68-955, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to prescription drugs not on the preferred drug list; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 555. Introduced by Hunt, 8; Cavanaugh, 6; Howard, 9; Morfeld, 46; Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to hospitals; to amend section 71-448, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Sexual Assault Emergency Care Act; to provide for disciplinary action against a hospital's license; to provide severability; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 556. Introduced by Howard, 9; Lindstrom, 18.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the prescription drug monitoring program; to amend section 71-2454, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to program purposes, reporting, prescription information, disclosure, and user access as prescribed; to provide duties; to define and redefine terms; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 557. Introduced by Lindstrom, 18; Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to controlled substances; to amend sections 28-473, 28-474, and 38-101, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change duties for practitioners related to certain prescriptions; to exempt certain prescriptions from requirements; to transfer provisions to the Uniform Credentialing Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 558. Introduced by Hilkemann, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to the Department of Health and Human Services.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 559. Introduced by Arch, 14.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the State Anatomical Board; to amend sections 71-1001, 71-1003, 71-1004, and 71-1007, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change and eliminate provisions relating to the State Anatomical Board; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 71-1002, 71-1005, and 71-1006, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 560. Introduced by Geist, 25.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-5209, 77-5209.01, and 77-5211, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to tax credits under the Beginning Farmer Tax Credit Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 561. Introduced by Geist, 25.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Legislative Performance Audit Act; to amend sections 50-1204 and 50-1205.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to adopt updated audit standards; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 562. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to state intent relating to University of Nebraska facilities and appropriations.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 563. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to amend section 85-1539, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 85-1412 and 85-2104, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to adopt the Access College Early Tech Promise Program Act; to provide duties; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 564. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to municipalities; to amend sections 13-2702, 13-2703, 13-2704, 13-2704.01, 13-2705, 13-2707, 13-2707.01, and 13-2709, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change the Civic and Community Center Financing Act; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 565. Introduced by Bolz, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to retirement; to amend sections 23-2331, 79-901, and 84-1331, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 79-978.01 and 84-1503, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to state legislative intent relating to a designated beneficiary determination under the Retirement System for Nebraska Counties, the School Employees Retirement System of the State of Nebraska, any school employees retirement system established under the Class V School Employees Retirement Act, and the State Employees Retirement System of the State of Nebraska; to provide a duty for the Public Employees Retirement Board as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 566. Introduced by Crawford, 45.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Department of Insurance; to provide for notice to the Legislature of application for waiver from certain federal requirements as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 567. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to prescription drugs; to adopt the Prescription Drug Cost Transparency Act.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 568. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to amend sections 9-812 and 79-1054, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide for mental health first aid training; to change provisions relating to the use of lottery funds; to change provisions relating to innovation grants as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 569. Introduced by Morfeld, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to health care benefits; to adopt the Out-of-Network Consumer Protection, Transparency, and Accountability Act.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 570. Introduced by Walz, 15; Howard, 9; Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to persons with disabilities; to amend sections 81-6,121 and 81-6,122, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to restate legislative intent; to change membership of an advisory committee within the Department of Health and Human Services; to provide powers and duties; to require reports; to eliminate obsolete provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 571. Introduced by Walz, 15; Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Assisted-Living Facility Act; to amend section 71-5901, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for a data base of grievance review procedures as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 572. Introduced by Walz, 15; Wishart, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the office of Public Counsel; to amend section 81-8,244, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide authority for the deputy public counsel over assisted-living facilities; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 573. Introduced by Brewer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Intergovernmental Risk Management Act; to amend section 44-4306, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to risk management pool agreements; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 574. Introduced by Brewer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to cities of the metropolitan class; to amend section 14-2105, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a provision relating to regular meetings of the board of directors of a metropolitan utilities district; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 575. Introduced by Brewer, 43; Gragert, 40.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to school districts; to require policies relating to the provision of routine directory information and access to students by military recruiters as prescribed.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 576. Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to emergency responders; to amend sections 18-1723 and 35-1001, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to presumptions regarding causes of death or disability of firefighters and firefighter-paramedics as prescribed; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 577. Introduced by Vargas, 7.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Employee Classification Act; to amend section 48-2906, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 48-2907, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide for expediting investigations under the act; to authorize the Commissioner of Labor to cause contractors to cease performance of services for a violation of the act; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 578. Introduced by La Grone, 49.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to redistricting; to provide for venue of legal proceedings challenging laws regarding redistricting; and to provide procedures.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 579. Introduced by Quick, 35.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act; to amend section 60-4,118.06, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to authorize the issuance of ignition interlock permits to persons who proximately caused serious bodily injury while driving under the influence of alcoholic liquor or drugs; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 580. Introduced by Hilkemann, 4.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Integrated Solid Waste Management Act; to amend sections 13-2042 and 13-2042.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a landfill disposal fee; to change provisions relating to a rebate to a municipality or a county; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 581. Introduced by Albrecht, 17; Linehan, 39.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to budgets; to amend section 84-304.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 13-504, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to require the use of generally accepted accounting principles in preparing budgets; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 582. Introduced by Brewer, 43; McDonnell, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-1212.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to possession of a stolen firearm; and to repeal the original section.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 583. Introduced by Hilgers, 21.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Transportation Innovation Act; to

amend sections 39-2808, 39-2809, 39-2810, 39-2811, 39-2813, 39-2814, 39-2815, 39-2816, 39-2817, 39-2818, 39-2819, 39-2820, 39-2821, 39-2822, 39-2823, and 39-2824, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 39-2802, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to define and redefine terms; to provide powers for counties and joint entities as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 584. Introduced by Hilgers, 21.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Liquor Control Act; to amend sections 53-103.13 and 53-124.13, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 53-123.11, 53-123.13, and 53-124.11, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to redefine a term; to change provisions relating to farm wineries; to provide for a festival special designated license; to provide for a fee; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 585. Introduced by Friesen, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to renewable fuels; to amend section 81-1602, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to create the Renewable Fuel Infrastructure Program; to create a fund; to provide for grants; to state intent regarding funding; to eliminate an exemption to sales tax imposed on currency and bullion; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original section; and to outright repeal section 77-2704.66, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 586. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend Laws 2018, LB944, section 22; to change an appropriation; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 587. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Cash Reserve Fund; to amend section 84-612, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to provide for transfers; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 588. Introduced by Stinner, 48.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act; to amend section 79-1015.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2018; to change the local effort rate; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 12CA. Introduced by Vargas, 7; Brandt, 32; Cavanaugh, 6; Clements, 2; DeBoer, 10; Dorn, 30; Erdman, 47; Groene, 42; Halloran, 33; Hansen, M., 26; Hunt, 8; Wishart, 27.

THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION, RESOLVE THAT:

Section 1. At the general election in November 2020, the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska for approval or rejection:

To amend Article III, section 7:

III-7 At the general election to be held in November 1964, one-half the members of the Legislature, or as nearly thereto as may be practicable, shall be elected for a term of four years and the remainder for a term of two years, and thereafter all members shall be elected for a term of four years, with the manner of such election to be determined by the Legislature. When the Legislature is redistricted, the members elected prior to the redistricting shall continue in office, and the law providing for such redistricting shall where necessary specify the newly established district which they shall represent for the balance of their term. Each member shall be nominated and elected in a nonpartisan manner and without any indication on the ballot that he or she is affiliated with or endorsed by any political party or organization.

Each member of the Legislature shall receive an annual salary of not to exceed one thousand dollars per month during the term of his or her office equal to fifty percent of the median household income for the State of Nebraska as defined by the most recent report of such income published by the United States Bureau of the Census prior to the first Wednesday after the first Monday of January in each odd-numbered year. In addition to his or her salary, each member shall receive an amount equal to his or her actual expenses in traveling by the most usual route once to and returning from each regular or special session of the Legislature. Members of the Legislature shall receive no pay nor perquisites other than his or her salary and expenses, and employees of the Legislature shall receive no compensation other than their salary or per diem.

Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska, Article XVI, section 1, with the following ballot language:

A constitutional amendment to change the annual salary of members of the Legislature to fifty percent of the most recent report of the median household income for the State of Nebraska as published by the United States Bureau of the Census prior to January of odd-numbered years.

For

Against.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING(S)

Education

Room 1525

Tuesday, January 29, 2019 1:30 p.m.

Linda Poole - Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment
Jeffrey Nellhaus - Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment
Robert Henson - Technical Advisory Committee for Statewide Assessment
LB399
LB256

(Signed) Mike Groene, Chairperson

MOTION(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Blood filed the following motion to LB14:

MO3

Withdraw bill.

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducer(s)

Unanimous consent to add Senator(s) as cointroducer(s). No objections. So ordered.

Senator Hunt name added to LB7.

Senator Hunt name added to LB58.

Senator Hunt name added to LB207.

Senator Gragert name added to LB291.

Senator Brewer name added to LB450.

Senator Gragert name added to LR7.

VISITOR(S)

Visitors to the Chamber were Jake Sundquist from Lincoln; Alice Hunt Homan, daughter of Senator Hunt, from Omaha; and members of the Nebraska State Volunteer Firefighters Association and members of the Nebraska Fire Chiefs Association.

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Marlon Weiss from Lincoln.

ADJOURNMENT

At 11:53 a.m., on a motion by Senator McCollister, the Legislature adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 23, 2019.

Patrick J. O'Donnell
Clerk of the Legislature

