

AMENDMENTS TO LB967

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments AM2324)

Introduced by Jacobson, 42.

1 1. Insert the following new sections:

2 **Section 1.** Section 44-116, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
3 2024, is amended to read:

4 44-116 (1) All money collected by the Department of Insurance for
5 examination of the affairs of domestic, foreign, or alien insurance
6 companies and insurers as defined in and pursuant to the Insurers
7 Examination Act or any other provision of Chapter 44 or for valuing the
8 reserve liabilities of life insurance companies shall be remitted by the
9 department to the State Treasurer for credit to the Department of
10 Insurance Cash Fund, which fund is hereby created. Money in the
11 Department of Insurance Cash Fund may be used for transfers to the
12 General Fund at the direction of the Legislature. Any money in the
13 Department of Insurance Cash Fund available for investment shall be
14 invested by the state investment officer pursuant to the Nebraska Capital
15 Expansion Act and the Nebraska State Funds Investment Act.

16 (2) The State Treasurer shall transfer fourteen million dollars from
17 the Department of Insurance Cash Fund to the General Fund on or before
18 June 30, 2026, on such dates and in such amounts as directed by the
19 budget administrator of the budget division of the Department of
20 Administrative Services. The State Treasurer shall transfer thirteen
21 ~~eleven~~ million two hundred thousand dollars from the Department of
22 Insurance Cash Fund to the General Fund on or before June 30, 2027, on
23 such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of
24 the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services. The
25 State Treasurer shall transfer eleven million dollars from the Department
26 of Insurance Cash Fund to the General Fund on or before June 30, 2028, on

1 such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of
2 the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services. The
3 State Treasurer shall transfer eleven million dollars from the Department
4 of Insurance Cash Fund to the General Fund on or before June 30, 2029, on
5 such dates and in such amounts as directed by the budget administrator of
6 the budget division of the Department of Administrative Services.

7 **Sec. 26.** Beginning January 1, 2027, a health insurance plan, its
8 contractors, and its affiliates shall not restrict the method of claim
9 payment to a health care provider for health care services to a credit,
10 charge, or debit card, or any combination thereof.

11 2. On page 5, line 23, strike "(a)"; and in line 25 strike beginning
12 with the second occurrence of "or" through "section" in line 26.

13 3. On page 8, line 27; and page 9, line 9, after "additional" insert
14 "or".

15 4. On page 11, line 28, insert an underscored comma after
16 "technology".

17 5. On page 16, strike beginning with "The" in line 21 through line
18 23 and show as stricken.

19 6. On page 20, line 1, strike "and promulgate"; and in line 3 after
20 the period insert "Notwithstanding section 71-2455, the department shall
21 promulgate and enforce such rules and regulations.".

22 7. On page 29, lines 8 and 9 and 10, strike "vulnerable adult or
23 senior" and insert "eligible".

24 8. Renumber the remaining sections and correct internal references
25 and the repealer accordingly.