

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA
ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION
LEGISLATIVE BILL 606

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Committee: Judiciary

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to provide for court referral
2 to mediation or another form of alternative dispute
3 resolution.
4 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. A court may refer a civil case to mediation
2 or another form of alternative dispute resolution and, unless
3 otherwise ordered following a hearing upon a motion to object to
4 such referral, may state a date for the case to return to court.
5 Such date shall be no longer than ninety days after the date the
6 order was signed unless the court grants an extension upon request
7 of the parties. Any agreement or resolution made in mediation or
8 another form of alternative dispute resolution shall be voluntarily
9 entered into by the parties. The Supreme Court may adopt rules
10 of practice governing the procedures for referral of cases to
11 mediation and other forms of dispute resolution.