

ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 230

Introduced by Dierks, 40.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to examine matchup or lineup video gaming devices that award monetary prizes, in which two or more numerals, symbols, letters, icons, or other objects align to form a winning combination on one or more lines vertically, horizontally, diagonally, or otherwise, with or without assistance by the player. The study shall include, but not be limited to, a determination of the estimated number of devices thought to be in operation in Nebraska and the projected number of future devices, a determination of how revenue generated from the devices is allocated, a determination of the amount of taxes and fees collected on the devices, an analysis of the current and future projected impact such devices are having on legal forms of gaming in Nebraska, including the revenue impact on local governments and nonprofit organizations, and an analysis of any other issues deemed relevant by the committee. The committee shall determine whether any legislation addressing such video gaming devices is necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the General Affairs Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the

purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.