

## ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE

## FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 294**

Introduced by Avery, 28.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine the formation and mission of outdoor outfitters and guides in the State of Nebraska. The study shall include, but not be limited to, a review of the following issues:

(1) Location of, services provided by, and duration of hunting or fishing trips and the facilities and accommodations provided by outdoor outfitters and guides in Nebraska;

(2) Licensure and regulation of Nebraska outdoor outfitters and guides;

(3) Formulation of application for registration and application fees;

(4) Formulation of application renewal and revocation processes;

(5) Accountability and oversight by the Game and Parks Commission, conservation officers, and other commission staff;

(6) Necessity of liability insurance coverage per individual or group and availability of emergency services;

(7) Role outdoor outfitters and guides play in promoting economic development in Nebraska; and

(8) Role of state and federal wildlife protection laws with respect to organized outdoor outfitter and guide services.

Based on these findings, the Natural Resources Committee of the Legislature shall make a recommendation with respect to Nebraska outdoor outfitters and guides to the Legislature.

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

1. That the Natural Resources 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.