

ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2014
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB816

Hearing Date: Tuesday February 04, 2014
Committee On: Transportation and Telecommunications
Introducer: Murante
One Liner: Authorize use of electronic forms of evidence of insurance for purposes of motor vehicle registration

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye:	7	Senators Brasch, Dubas, Hadley, Janssen, McCoy, Watermeier, Smith
Nay:		
Absent:	1	Senator Murante
Present Not Voting:		

Proponents:

Senator John Murante
Korby Gilbertson
Coleen Nielsen
Tad Fraizer
Jan McKenzie

Representing:

Introducer
Property Casualty Insurers Association of America
State Farm / Nebraska Insurance Information Services
American Insurance Association
Nebraska Insurance Federation

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB816 amends the definition of "evidence of insurance" in the Motor Vehicle Registration Act to include electronic forms of auto liability insurance cards. As insurance companies encourage customers to go paperless, and more citizens adopt mobile technology, the paper cards issued by insurance companies every six months can instead be shown on a mobile phone, tablet, or other electronic device. The bill ensures law enforcement are not liable for damage done to devices displaying electronic proof of insurance.

Annette Dubas, Chairperson