

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 222

Introduced by Crawford, 45.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to examine issues related to family and medical leave. This study shall include, but not be limited to, an examination of the following:

(1) The current availability of paid and unpaid family and medical leave in Nebraska;

(2) Policies in other states that establish or encourage paid family and medical leave;

(3) The costs of state family and medical leave policies;

(4) The interaction between state family and medical leave policies and private insurance options;

(5) The availability of paid sick leave in Nebraska;

(6) The consequences of paid family and medical leave policies for families and employers;

(7) The consequences of paid sick leave for families and employers; and

(8) The interaction between paid sick leave and paid family and medical leave policies.

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

1. That the Business and Labor 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.