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## AMENDMENTS TO LB1014

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM2330)

Introduced by Wayne, 13. 1. Strike section 41 and insert the following new section: 1 2 Sec. 41. AGENCY NO. 72 - DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT 3 Program No. 603 - Industrial Recruitment 4 FY2021-22 FY2022-23 5 FEDERAL FUND - 0 -50,000,000 6 PROGRAM TOTAL 50,000,000 -0-7 There is included in the appropriation to this program for FY2022-23 \$50,000,000 Federal Funds for state aid, which shall only be used for 8 9 such purpose. 10 There is included in the amount show as aid for this program for FY2022-23 \$50,000,000 Federal Funds for grants to capital projects 11 eligible under the Shovel-Ready Capital Recovery and Investment Act, 12 which shall only be used for such purpose. 13 It is the intent of the Legislature that, in addition to the 14 requirements of the Shovel-Ready Capital Recovery and Investment Act, the 15 Department of Economic Development shall divide total appropriations, 16 17 including any General Fund appropriations, for grants to capital projects eligible under the act equally by each congressional district and give 18 priority to grant requests less than or equal to \$5,000,000. After 19 eligible grantees with priority status have been awarded grant funds, 20 remaining funds may be awarded on a statewide basis with the department 21 22 considering each project based on the overall economic impact of the 23 project to the respective community and the overall benefit to the State 24 of Nebraska. It is the intent of the Legislature that the department make reasonable adjustments to dates and deadlines and request additional 25

documentation pursuant to any requirements for use of Federal Funds

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- 1 received pursuant to the federal American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.
- 2 <u>Expenditures from the appropriation to this program shall not be</u>

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- 3 <u>restricted to state aid if operating and administrative expenditures are</u>
- 4 <u>necessary to administer the funding appropriated pursuant to this</u>
- 5 <u>section</u>. In such instances, an agency, board, or commission shall be
- 6 reimbursed through the Federal Fund appropriation to the Military
- 7 Department, Agency No. 31, Program No. 191, as identified in section 28
- 8 of this act.