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AMENDMENTS TO LB1115

Introduced by Judiciary.

- 1. Strike original section 5 and insert the following new section:
- 2 Sec. 5. Section 76-1446, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is
- 3 amended to read:
- 4 76-1446 (1) The proceedings shall be in all respects as in other
- 5 cases, except that:
- 6 (a) If the action for possession will be tried by the court without
- 7 a jury, the trial shall be held not less than ten nor more than fourteen
- 8 days after the issuance of the summons; or
- 9 (b) If the action for possession will be tried by a jury, the trial
- 10 shall be scheduled by the court as soon as is practicable for the proper
- 11 administration of justice. If, at the request of the tenant, the jury
- 12 trial is continued beyond the initial trial date as determined by the
- 13 court, the court may require the tenant to deposit with the clerk of the
- 14 court such rental payments as accrue during the pendency of the suit.
- 15 Trial of the action for possession shall be held not less than ten nor
- 16 more than fourteen days after the issuance of the summons. The action
- 17 shall be tried by the court without a jury.
- 18 (2) If the plaintiff serves the summons in the manner provided in
- 19 section 76-1442.01, the action shall proceed as other actions for
- 20 possession except that a money judgment shall not be granted for the
- 21 plaintiff.
- 22 (3) If judgment is rendered against the defendant for the
- 23 restitution of the premises, the court (a) shall declare the forfeiture
- 24 of the rental agreement, and (b) shall, at the request of the plaintiff
- 25 or his or her attorney, issue a writ of restitution, directing the
- 26 constable or sheriff to restore possession of the premises to the
- 27 plaintiff on a specified date not more than ten days after issuance of

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- 1 the writ of restitution. The plaintiff shall comply with the Disposition
- of Personal Property Landlord and Tenant Act and subsection (5) of 2
- section 76-1414 in the removal of personal property remaining on the 3
- premises at the time possession of the premises is restored.