ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2025 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB228

Hearing Date: Tuesday March 04, 2025

Committee On: Executive Board

Introducer: Dorn

One Liner: Change provisions of the Legislative Performance Audit Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Hansen, Arch, Ballard, Bostar, Dorn, Fredrickson, Ibach,

Jacobson

Nay:

Absent:

Present Not Voting: 1 Senator McKinney

Testimony:

Proponents:Representing:Senator Myron DornOpening Presenter

Steph Meese Nebraska Legislative Audit Office

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 228 makes four changes to the Legislative Performance Audit Act.

First it changes the definition of working papers to include planning documents that were created to perform an inquiry or audit.

Next, it updates the reference to the Government Audit Standards, which were revised in 2024.

Further, it adds qualifying language to what needs to be shown in a tax incentive performance audit for cases where the tax incentive isn't intended to have one of the prelisted goals under the Act.

Finally, it clarifies that correspondence between the office and an audited agency is not considered a public record.



^{*} ADA Accommodation Written Testimony