LEGISLATIVE BILL 363

Approved by the Governor May 9, 1997

Introduced by Brashear, 4

AN ACT relating to county court; to amend section 25-2704, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change filing deadlines for pleadings; and to repeal the original section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. Section 25-2704, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is amended to read:

25-2704. In any civil action in county court, the summons shall be returnable ten days after the commencement of the action. The answer or demurrer of the defendant shall be filed within twenty ten days after return day or service by publication; and the service of the summons and petition or completion of service by publication, whichever is later. The reply or demurrer of the plaintiff shall be filed within fifteen days after return day or service by publication the filing of the answer. The court, for good cause shown, may extend the time for filing an answer or reply. The case shall stand for trial at the earliest available time on the court docket after the issues therein are, or according to the times fixed for pleading, should have been made up.

Sec. 2. Original section 25-2704, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.