

SEVENTIETH DAY - APRIL 29, 2025**LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED NINTH LEGISLATURE
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Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska
Tuesday, April 29, 2025

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Senator von Gillern.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was offered by Senator Bosn.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., President Kelly presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators J. Cavanaugh, Conrad, DeBoer, Dover, Hansen, Hunt, and Juarez who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the sixty-ninth day was approved.

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Rountree filed the following amendment to LB319:

[AM1176](#)

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new
2 sections:
3 Section 1. Section 68-1017.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative
4 Supplement, 2024, is amended to read:
5 68-1017.02 (1)(a) The Department of Health and Human Services shall
6 apply for and utilize to the maximum extent possible, within limits
7 established by the Legislature, any and all appropriate options available
8 to the state under the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program
9 and regulations adopted under such program to maximize the number of
10 Nebraska residents being served under such program within such limits.
11 The department shall seek to maximize federal funding for such program
12 and minimize the utilization of General Funds for such program and shall

13 employ the personnel necessary to determine the options available to the
14 state and issue the report to the Legislature required by subdivision (b)
15 of this subsection.

16 (b) The department shall submit electronically an annual report to
17 the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature by December 1
18 on efforts by the department to carry out the provisions of this
19 subsection. Such report shall provide the committee with all necessary
20 and appropriate information to enable the committee to conduct a
21 meaningful evaluation of such efforts. Such information shall include,
22 but not be limited to, a clear description of various options available
23 to the state under the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program,
24 the department's evaluation of and any action taken by the department
25 with respect to such options, the number of persons being served under
26 such program, and any and all costs and expenditures associated with such
27 program.

1 (c) The Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature,
2 after receipt and evaluation of the report required in subdivision (b) of
3 this subsection, shall issue recommendations to the department on any
4 further action necessary by the department to meet the requirements of
5 this section.

6 (2)(a) The department shall develop a state outreach plan to promote
7 access by eligible persons to benefits of the Supplemental Nutrition
8 Assistance Program. The plan shall meet the criteria established by the
9 Food and Nutrition Service of the United States Department of Agriculture
10 for approval of state outreach plans. The Department of Health and Human
11 Services may apply for and accept gifts, grants, and donations to develop
12 and implement the state outreach plan.

13 (b) For purposes of developing and implementing the state outreach
14 plan, the department shall partner with one or more counties or nonprofit
15 organizations. If the department enters into a contract with a nonprofit
16 organization relating to the state outreach plan, the contract may
17 specify that the nonprofit organization is responsible for seeking
18 sufficient gifts, grants, or donations necessary for the development and
19 implementation of the state outreach plan and may additionally specify
20 that any costs to the department associated with the award and management
21 of the contract or the implementation or administration of the state
22 outreach plan shall be paid out of private or federal funds received for
23 development and implementation of the state outreach plan.

24 (c) The department shall submit the state outreach plan to the Food
25 and Nutrition Service of the United States Department of Agriculture for
26 approval on or before August 1, 2011, and shall request any federal
27 matching funds that may be available upon approval of the state outreach
28 plan. It is the intent of the Legislature that the State of Nebraska and
29 the Department of Health and Human Services use any additional public or
30 private funds to offset costs associated with increased caseload
31 resulting from the implementation of the state outreach plan.

1 (d) The department shall be exempt from implementing or
2 administering a state outreach plan under this subsection, but not from
3 developing such a plan, if it does not receive private or federal funds
4 sufficient to cover the department's costs associated with the
5 implementation and administration of the plan, including any costs
6 associated with increased caseload resulting from the implementation of
7 the plan.

8 (3)(a) It is the intent of the Legislature that:

9 (i) Hard work be rewarded and no disincentives to work exist for
10 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program participants;

11 (ii) Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program participants be
12 enabled to advance in employment, through greater earnings or new,
13 better-paying employment;

14 (iii) Participants in employment and training pilot programs be able

15 to maintain Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits while
16 seeking employment with higher wages that allow them to reduce or
17 terminate such program benefits; and
18 (iv) Nebraska better utilize options under the Supplemental
19 Nutrition Assistance Program that other states have implemented to
20 encourage work and employment.
21 (b)(i) The department shall create a TANF-funded program or policy
22 that, in compliance with federal law, establishes categorical eligibility
23 for federal food assistance benefits pursuant to the Supplemental
24 Nutrition Assistance Program to maximize the number of Nebraska residents
25 being served under such program in a manner that does not increase the
26 current gross income eligibility limit except as otherwise provided in
27 subdivision (3)(b)(ii) of this section.
28 (ii) Except as otherwise provided in this subdivision, such TANF-
29 funded program or policy shall increase the gross income eligibility
30 limit to one hundred sixty-five percent of the federal Office of
31 Management and Budget income poverty guidelines as allowed under federal
1 law and under 7 C.F.R. 273.2(j)(2), as such law and regulation existed on
2 April 1, 2021, but shall not increase the net income eligibility limit.
3 Beginning October 1, 2025, the gross income eligibility limit shall
4 return to the amount used prior to the increase required by this
5 subdivision. The department shall evaluate the TANF-funded program or
6 policy created pursuant to this subsection and provide a report
7 electronically to the Health and Human Services Committee of the
8 Legislature and the Legislative Fiscal Analyst on or before December 15
9 of each year regarding the gross income eligibility limit and whether it
10 maximizes the number of Nebraska residents being served under the program
11 or policy. The evaluation shall include an identification and
12 determination of additional administrative costs resulting from the
13 increase to the gross income eligibility limit, a recommendation
14 regarding the gross income eligibility limit, and a determination of the
15 availability of federal funds for the program or policy.
16 (iii) To the extent federal funds are available to the Department of
17 Labor for the SNAP Next Step Program, until September 30, 2023, any
18 recipient of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits whose
19 household income is between one hundred thirty-one and one hundred sixty-
20 five percent of the federal Office of Management and Budget income
21 poverty guidelines and who is not exempt from work participation
22 requirements shall be encouraged to participate in the SNAP Next Step
23 Program administered by the Department of Labor if the recipient is
24 eligible to participate in the program and the program's services are
25 available in the county in which such household is located. It is the
26 intent of the Legislature that no General Funds be utilized by the
27 Department of Labor for the processes outlined in this subdivision (iii).
28 For purposes of this section, SNAP Next Step Program means a partnership
29 program between the Department of Health and Human Services and the
30 Department of Labor to assist under-employed and unemployed recipients of
31 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits in finding self-
1 sufficient employment.
2 (iv) Such TANF-funded program or policy shall eliminate all asset
3 limits for eligibility for federal food assistance benefits, except that
4 the total of liquid assets which includes cash on hand and funds in
5 personal checking and savings accounts, money market accounts, and share
6 accounts shall not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars pursuant to the
7 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program, as allowed under federal law
8 and under 7 C.F.R. 273.2(j)(2).
9 (v) This subsection becomes effective only if the department
10 receives funds pursuant to federal participation that may be used to
11 implement this subsection.
12 (c) For purposes of this subsection:

13 (i) Federal law means the federal Food and Nutrition Act of 2008, 7
 14 U.S.C. 2011 et seq., and regulations adopted under the act; and
 15 (ii) TANF means the federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
 16 program established in 42 U.S.C. 601 et seq.
 17 (4)(a) As authorized in 21 U.S.C. 862, as such section existed on
 18 January 1, 2025 ~~Within the limits specified in this subsection, the State~~
 19 of Nebraska opts out of the provision of the federal Personal
 20 Responsibility and Work Opportunity Reconciliation Act of 1996, as such
 21 act existed on January 1, 2009, that eliminates eligibility for the
 22 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program for any person convicted of a
 23 felony involving the possession, use, or distribution of a controlled
 24 substance.
 25 ~~(b)(i)(b)~~ A person convicted of a felony involving the possession,
 26 use, or distribution of a controlled substance shall only be eligible for
 27 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits under this subsection
 28 if such person (A) has completed the person's sentence for such felony or
 29 (B) is serving a term of parole, probation, or post-release supervision
 30 for the felony.
 31 (ii) Unless a health care provider licensed under the Uniform
 1 Credentialing Act has determined that substance abuse treatment is not
 2 required since the date of the most recent conviction, a shall be
 3 ineligible for Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits under
 4 this subsection if he or she (i) has had three or more felony convictions
 5 for the possession or use of a controlled substance or (ii) has been
 6 convicted of a felony involving the sale or distribution of a controlled
 7 substance or the intent to sell or distribute a controlled substance. A
 8 person with three or more one or two felony convictions for the possession
 9 or use of a controlled substance shall only be eligible to receive
 10 Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits under this subsection
 11 if the person (A) he or she is participating in, or has completed, a
 12 state-licensed or nationally accredited substance abuse treatment program
 13 since the date of the most recent conviction or (B) has completed a
 14 treatment program while the person was incarcerated, on probation, or on
 15 parole. The determination of such participation or completion shall be
 16 made by the treatment provider administering the program.
 17 Sec. 2. Original section 68-1017.02, Revised Statutes Cumulative
 18 Supplement, 2024, is repealed.

RESOLUTION(S)

Pursuant to Rule 4, Sec. 5(b), LR130 was adopted.

PRESIDENT SIGNED

While the Legislature was in session and capable of transacting business, the President signed the following: LR130.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 468. Committee [AM874](#), found on page 1110 and considered on page 1253, was renewed.

Senator Bostar renewed [AM1069](#), found on page 1120 and considered on page 1254, to the committee amendment.

SPEAKER ARCH PRESIDING

PRESIDENT KELLY PRESIDING

The Bostar amendment, to the committee amendment, lost with 4 ayes, 32 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 1 excused and not voting.

Senator Bostar offered [AM1137](#), found on page 1254, to the committee amendment.

The Bostar amendment, to the committee amendment, lost with 2 ayes, 33 nays, and 14 present and not voting.

Pending.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

LEGISLATIVE BILL 521. Placed on General File with amendment.
[AM1152](#) is available in the Bill Room.

(Signed) Rita Sanders, Chairperson

MOTION(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Spivey filed the following motions to [LB530](#):

[MO213](#)

Indefinitely postpone.

[MO214](#)

Bracket until June 9, 2025.

[MO215](#)

Recommit to the Judiciary Committee.

VISITOR(S)

Visitors to the Chamber were Anne Sorrentino, Omaha; Matthew Cavanaugh, Omaha; students with the Nebraska Civic Leaders Program, Omaha; students from Christ Lutheran School, Norfolk; students from Sagewood Elementary, Omaha; students from St. Robert Bellarmine, Omaha; students, teachers, and sponsor from North Star High School, Lincoln.

RECESS

At 11:58 a.m., on a motion by Senator Holdcroft, the Legislature recessed until 1:00 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Legislature reconvened at 1:00 p.m., Speaker Arch presiding.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Bosn, Bostar, Conrad, DeBoer, Hansen, Jacobson, Kauth, and Strommen who were excused until they arrive.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 468. Committee [AM874](#), found on page 1110 and considered on page 1253, and in this day's Journal, was renewed.

Senator Raybould offered the following amendment, to the committee amendment:

[FA152](#)

In AM874, delete "three" on page 14, line 8 and replace with "six" and delete "three" on page 14, line 26 and replace with "ten".

The Raybould amendment, to the committee amendment, lost with 2 ayes, 30 nays, 13 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

The committee amendment was adopted with 27 ayes, 3 nays, 16 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Senator Clements withdrew [FA54](#), found on page 877.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 27 ayes, 10 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Appropriations

LEGISLATIVE BILL 260. Placed on General File with amendment. [AM831](#) is available in the Bill Room.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 261. Placed on General File with amendment. [AM832](#) is available in the Bill Room.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 262. Placed on General File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 263. Placed on General File with amendment. [AM834](#) is available in the Bill Room.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 264. Placed on General File with amendment. [AM835](#) is available in the Bill Room.

(Signed) Robert Clements, Chairperson

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 704. Title read. Considered.

Committee [AM575](#), found on page 760, was offered.

The committee amendment was adopted with 40 ayes, 0 nays, and 9 present and not voting.

SENATOR DORN PRESIDING

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 37 ayes, 0 nays, and 12 present and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 166. Title read. Considered.

Committee [AM612](#), found on page 800, was offered.

The committee amendment was adopted with 37 ayes, 0 nays, and 12 present and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 39 ayes, 0 nays, and 10 present and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 640. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 41 ayes, 0 nays, and 8 present and not voting.

MESSAGE(S) FROM THE GOVERNOR

April 28, 2025

Mr. President, Speaker Arch
and Members of the Legislature
State Capitol
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Arch, and Members of the Legislature:

Contingent upon your approval, the following individual is being appointed as a member of the Nebraska Public Employees Retirement Board:

Michael Donley, 1825 St Andrews Pl, Lincoln, NE 68512 - State Employee

The aforementioned appointee is respectfully submitted for your consideration. Copies of the certificate and background information are included for your review.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Jim Pillen
Governor

Enclosures

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Clements filed the following amendment to LB260:

[FA156](#)

In AM831, Strike Section 1.

Senator Clements filed the following amendment to LB261:

[FA157](#)

In AM832, Strike Section 1.

Senator Clements filed the following amendment to LB263:

[FA158](#)

In AM834, Strike Section 1.

Senator Clements filed the following amendment to LB264:

[FA159](#)

In AM835, Strike Section 1.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 311. Title read. Considered.

Committee [AM1111](#), found on page 1216, was offered.

Senator DeBoer offered the following amendment, to the committee amendment:

[AM1189](#)

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1111)

1 1. Strike section 19 and insert the following new section:

2 Sec. 19. Section 86-704, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is

3 amended to read:

4 86-704 (1) Any telecommunications company, incorporated or qualified

5 to do business in this state, is granted the right to construct, operate,

6 and maintain telecommunications lines and related facilities along, upon,

7 across, and under the public highways of this state, and upon and under

8 lands in this state, whether state or privately owned, except that (a)

9 such lines and related facilities shall be so constructed and maintained

10 as not to interfere with the ordinary use of such lands or of such

11 highways by the public and (b) all aerial wires and cables shall be

12 placed at a height of not less than eighteen feet above all highway

13 crossings.

14 (2) Sections 86-701 to 86-707 shall not transfer the rights now

15 vested in ~~governing entities~~ municipalities in relation to the regulation

16 of the poles, wires, cables, and other appliances or authorize a

17 telecommunications company to erect any poles or construct any conduit,

18 cable, or other facilities along, upon, across, or under a public highway

19 ~~within a municipality~~ without first obtaining the consent of the

20 governing entity ~~body of the municipality~~. The governing

21 ~~entity~~ municipality shall not exercise any authority over any rights the

22 telecommunications company may have to deliver telecommunications

23 services as authorized by the Public Service Commission or the Federal

24 Communications Commission and shall not impose any requirement or

25 condition on Internet-protocol-enabled service and voice over Internet

26 protocol service, including rates, service, or service contract terms or

1 conditions.

2 (3) Consent from a governing ~~entity~~body for the use of a public
3 highway ~~within a municipality~~ shall be based upon a lawful exercise of
4 ~~the governing entity's~~ statutory and constitutional authority. Such
5 consent shall not be unreasonably withheld, and a preference or
6 disadvantage shall not be created through the granting or withholding of
7 such consent. A ~~governing entity~~municipality shall not adopt an
8 ordinance, ~~resolution, rule, or regulation~~ that prohibits or has the
9 effect of prohibiting the ability of a telecommunications company to
10 provide telecommunications service.

11 ~~(4)(a)~~ A municipality shall not levy a tax, fee, or charge for
12 any right or privilege of engaging in a telecommunications business or
13 for the use by a telecommunications company of a public highway other
14 than:

15 (a)(i) An occupation tax authorized under section 14-109, 15-202,
16 15-203, 16-205, or 17-525 that meets the following requirements:

17 ~~(i)(A)~~ The occupation tax shall be imposed only on the receipts from
18 the sale of telecommunications service as defined in subdivision (7)(aa)
19 of section 77-2703.04; and

20 ~~(ii)(B)~~ Except as provided in subsection (5) of this section, the
21 occupation tax shall not exceed:

22 ~~(A)(i)~~ Before October 1, 2024, six and twenty-five hundredths
23 percent; and

24 ~~(B)(ii)~~ Beginning October 1, 2024, four percent; and

25 ~~(b)(ii)~~ A public highway construction permit fee or charge ~~that~~
26 ~~complies with subsection (7) of this section to the extent that the fee~~
27 ~~or charge applies to all persons seeking use of the public highway in a~~
28 ~~substantially similar manner. All public highway construction permit fees~~
29 ~~or charges shall be directly related to the costs incurred by the~~
30 ~~municipality in providing services relating to the granting or~~
31 ~~administration of permits. Any highway construction permit fee or charge~~
1 ~~shall also be reasonably related in time to the occurrence of such costs.~~

2 ~~(b) Any tax, fee, or charge imposed by a municipality shall be~~
3 ~~competitively neutral.~~

4 (5) A municipality may increase an occupation tax described in
5 subdivision ~~(4)(a)~~~~(4)(a)(i)~~ of this section to a rate that exceeds the
6 limit contained in subdivision ~~(4)(a)(ii)~~~~(4)(a)(i)(B)~~ of this section if
7 the question of whether to increase such rate has been submitted at a
8 primary or general election at which members of the governing body of the
9 municipality are nominated or elected or at a special election held
10 within the municipality and in which all registered voters shall be
11 entitled to vote on such question. A municipality may not increase its
12 existing rate pursuant to this subsection by more than twenty-five
13 hundredths percent at any one election. The officials of the municipality
14 shall order the submission of the question by submitting a certified copy
15 of the resolution proposing the rate increase to the election
16 commissioner or county clerk at least fifty days before the election. The
17 election shall be conducted in accordance with the Election Act. If a
18 majority of the votes cast upon such question are in favor of such rate
19 increase, then the governing body of such municipality shall be empowered
20 to impose the rate increase. If a majority of those voting on the
21 question are opposed to such rate increase, then the governing body of
22 the municipality shall not impose such rate increase.

23 (6) The changes made by Laws 1999, LB 496, shall not be construed to
24 affect the terms or conditions of any franchise, license, or permit
25 issued by a municipality prior to August 28, 1999, or to release any
26 party from any obligations thereunder. Such franchises, licenses, or
27 permits shall remain fully enforceable in accordance with their terms. A
28 municipality may lawfully enter into agreements with franchise holders,
29 licensees, or permittees to modify or terminate an existing franchise,

30 license, or agreement.

31 (7) Any public highway construction permit fee or charge that is

1 imposed by a governing entity for the use of a public highway shall (a)

2 apply to all persons seeking use of the public highway in a substantially

3 similar manner, (b) be directly related to the costs incurred by the

4 governing entity in providing services relating to the granting or

5 administration of permits, and (c) be reasonably related in time to the

6 occurrence of such costs.

7 (8) Any tax, fee, or charge imposed by a governing entity as

8 described in this section shall be competitively neutral.

9 (9)(7) Taxes or fees shall not be collected by a governing

10 entitymunicipality through the provision of in-kind services by a

11 telecommunications company, and a governing entitymunicipality shall not

12 require the provision of in-kind services as a condition of consent to

13 the use of a public highway.

14 (10)(8) The terms of any agreement between a governing

15 entitymunicipality and a telecommunications company regarding use of

16 public highways shall be matters of public record and shall be made

17 available to any member of the public upon request, except that

18 information submitted to a governing entitymunicipality by a

19 telecommunications company which such telecommunications company

20 determines to be proprietary shall be deemed to be a trade secret

21 pursuant to subdivision (3) of section 84-712.05 and shall be accorded

22 full protection from disclosure to third parties in a manner consistent

23 with state law.

24 (11) For purposes of this section, unless the context otherwise

25 requires:

26 (a) Governing entity has the same meaning as in section 12 of this

27 act;

28 (b) Internet-protocol-enabled service has the same meaning as in

29 section 86-111.01;

30 (c) Telecommunications service has the same meaning as in section

31 86-121; and

1 (d) Voice over Internet protocol service has the same meaning as in

2 section 86-121.01.

The DeBoer amendment, to the committee amendment, was adopted with 43 ayes, 0 nays, and 6 present and not voting.

The committee amendment, as amended, was adopted with 43 ayes, 0 nays, and 6 present and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 43 ayes, 0 nays, and 6 present and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 647. Title read. Considered.

Committee [AM994](#), found on page 1142, was offered.

Senator Dungan requested a division of the question on the committee amendment.

The Chair sustained the division of the question.

The first committee amendment is as follows:

[AM1203](#) is available in the Bill Room.

The second committee amendment is as follows:
[AM1202](#) is available in the Bill Room.

The first committee amendment, [AM1203](#), found in this day's Journal, was offered.

SENATOR DEBOER PRESIDING

SPEAKER ARCH PRESIDING

The first committee amendment was adopted with 32 ayes, 11 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Pending.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)
Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 89. Placed on Select File.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 613A. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 288. Placed on Select File with amendment.
[ER55](#) is available in the Bill Room.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 660. Placed on Select File with amendment.
[ER58](#)

1 1. On page 1, strike beginning with "government" in line 1 through
2 line 2 and insert "government; to amend sections 72-803, 73-307,
3 81-1108.15, 81-1701, 82-317, 82-318, 82-319, 82-321, 84-906.02, 84-911,
4 and 84-920, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 73-101,
5 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2024; to adopt the State Building
6 Construction Alternatives Act and the Secure Drone Purchasing Act; to
7 require agencies to submit a federal funding inventory as prescribed; to
8 change provisions relating to planning, building, construction, and
9 procurement for state buildings; to define and redefine terms; to change
10 provisions related to the acquisition of works of art for state
11 buildings; to change provisions relating to agency rules and regulations;
12 to harmonize provisions; to provide operative dates; to repeal the
13 original sections; and to declare an emergency."

LEGISLATIVE BILL 561. Placed on Select File with amendment.
[ER57](#)

1 1. On page 1, strike lines 2 through 4 and insert "section 60-6,298,
2 Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 60-601 and 60-6,290,
3 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2024; to provide for the issuance
4 and revocation of permits for overweight raw-milk vehicles; to state
5 legislative findings; to define terms; to require the Department of
6 Transportation to create and publish a bridge map; to provide for
7 liability for damage to bridge structures as prescribed; to harmonize
8 provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an
9 emergency."

LEGISLATIVE BILL 399. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 696. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 434. Placed on Select File with amendment.

[ER56](#)

- 1 1. On page 1, line 5, strike "and"; and after "sections" insert ";
- 2 and to declare an emergency".

LEGISLATIVE BILL 382A. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 36. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 78A. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 80. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 177A. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 192. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 230A. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 257. Placed on Final Reading with the attached statement.

[ST24](#)

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the E&R amendments, ER37, on page 17, lines 10 and 16, "and 38-2531," has been struck and "38-2531, and 71-1913," inserted; in lines 11 and 17 and 18 "and 38-2518," has been struck and "38-2518, 71-1911.03, and 71-1912," inserted; and in line 21 "to change and provide requirements for licensees and inspectors under the Child Care Licensing Act relating to liability insurance;" has been inserted after the first semicolon.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 287. Placed on Final Reading with the attached statement.

[ST23](#)

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the McKinney amendment, AM990:
 - a. On page 8, line 1, "5" has been struck and "6" inserted; and
 - b. On page 12, line 5, "3, 4, 5, and 8" has been struck and "1, 4, 5, 6, and 9" inserted; and in line 11 "71-1572" has been struck and "14-102, 71-1572," inserted.
2. In the E & R amendments, ER32, on page 1, line 3, the second "and" has been struck and "and 71-15,169," has been inserted after "71-1572,"; and in line 9 "to require a report for certain housing agencies;" has been inserted after the first semicolon.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 317. Placed on Final Reading with the attached statement.

[ST29](#)

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In lieu of the Storer amendment, FA116, in the E&R amendments, ER36, on page 18, lines 15 and 16, the new matter has been struck.
2. In the E&R amendments, ER36:
 - a. On page 17, line 29, the stricken comma has been reinstated;
 - b. On page 162, lines 18 and 20, "it" has been struck, shown as stricken, and "the Chief Water Officer" inserted;
 - c. On page 191, line 8, an underscored comma has been inserted after "Act";
 - d. On page 215, line 12, "its" has been struck, shown as stricken, and "the" inserted; and in line 30 "its" has been struck, shown as stricken, and "his or her" inserted;
 - e. On page 222, line 20, "its" has been struck, shown as stricken, and "the" inserted; and
 - f. On page 223, line 25, "its" has been struck, shown as stricken, and "the Chief Water Officer's" inserted.

3. On page 3, the matter beginning with "81-1578" in line 25 through line 31 has been struck.
4. On page 4, the matter beginning with "81-15,104.01" in line 1 through "81-15,116," in line 4 has been struck.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 323. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 332. Placed on Final Reading with the attached statement.

[ST25](#)

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the Hardin amendment, AM1154, on page 19, line 4, "34," has been inserted after "33,".
2. In the E&R amendments, ER42, on page 34, line 6, "38-1506," has been struck; in line 23 "to eliminate provisions relating to applicability of the Hearing Instrument Specialists Practice Act," has been inserted after the first semicolon; and in line 24 "to outright repeal sections 38-512 and 38-1506, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska;" has been inserted after the semicolon.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 398. Placed on Final Reading.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 474. Placed on Final Reading with the attached statement.

[ST27](#)

The following changes, required to be reported for publication in the Journal, have been made:

1. In the E&R amendments, ER48, on page 1, line 2, "banking and finance" has been struck and "law" inserted; in line 11 the second "and" has been struck; in line 12 "8-2724," has been struck; in line 13 ", section 8-2724, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2024, as amended by section 18, Legislative Bill 251, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025, and section 4, Legislative Bill 527, One Hundred Ninth Legislature, First Session, 2025" has been inserted after "2024"; and in line 26 "to change provisions relating to certain taxes under the Medicaid Access and Quality Act;" has been inserted after the semicolon.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 559. Placed on Final Reading.

(Signed) Dunixi Guereca, Chairperson

Health and Human Services

The Health and Human Services Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointment(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Stem Cell Research Advisory Committee:

Alysson Muotri
Rui Yi

Aye: 7. Ballard, Fredrickson, Hansen, Hardin, Meyer, Quick, Riepe. Nay: 0.
Absent: 0. Present and not voting: 0.

(Signed) Brian Hardin, Chairperson

Banking, Commerce and Insurance

LEGISLATIVE BILL 198. Placed on General File with amendment.

[AM1201](#) is available in the Bill Room.

(Signed) Mike Jacobson, Chairperson

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Raybould filed the following amendment to [LB264](#):

[FA160](#)

In AM835, Strike Section 1.

Senator Andersen filed the following amendment to [LB660](#):

[AM1234](#)

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1008)

1 1. On page 15, strike lines 1 through 5.

Senator von Gillern filed the following amendment to [LB415](#):

[AM1207](#) is available in the Bill Room.

Senator von Gillern filed the following amendment to [LB649](#):

[AM1210](#)

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM933)

1 1. Insert the following new section:

2 Sec. 6. Defense contractor has the same meaning as in 50 U.S.C.

3 4552, as such section existed on January 1, 2025.

4 2. On page 1, line 3, strike "19" and insert "20"; and in line 11

5 strike "13" and insert "14".

6 3. On page 2, line 5, strike "and"; and in line 7 after "wage"

7 insert ", and (4) employed in a position in which no one was employed

8 within this state prior to July 1, 2025".

9 4. On page 3, line 5, strike "15" and insert "16"; and in line 27

10 strike "employer".

11 5. On page 4, strike beginning with "description" in line 11 through

12 "markets" in line 12 and insert "detailed description of the nature of

13 the company's business, including the products sold, services rendered,

14 and respective markets in which such products or services are sold or

15 rendered, to demonstrate the company is a defense contractor".

16 6. On page 7, lines 10 and 15, strike "16" and insert "17".

17 7. Renumber the remaining sections accordingly.

Senator McKinney filed the following amendment to [LB653](#):

[FA155](#)

In AM995, strike subsection (b) of section 7.

Senator Andersen filed the following amendment to [LB644](#):

[AM1205](#)

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM959)

1 1. On page 32, line 21, strike "includes unmanned aircraft" and

2 insert "does not include unmanned aerial systems"; and strike lines 22

3 through 24 and insert the following new subdivisions:

4 "(7) Unmanned aerial system means a powered, aerial vehicle that:

5 (a) Does not carry a human operator and is operated without the

6 possibility of direct human intervention from within or on the aircraft;

7 (b) Uses aerodynamic forces to provide vehicle lift;

8 (c) Can fly autonomously or be piloted remotely; and

9 (d) Can be expendable or recoverable."

10 2. On page 34, line 2, after the semicolon insert "or"; in line 5
11 strike "; or" and insert an underscored period; and strike lines 6
12 through 9.

EASE

The Legislature was at ease from 5:30 p.m. until 6:01 p.m.

PRESIDENT KELLY PRESIDING

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 647. The second committee amendment, [AM1202](#), found in this day's Journal, was offered.

Senator Quick offered [AM1107](#), found on page 1248, to the second committee amendment.

The Quick amendment, to the second committee amendment, was adopted with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 1 excused and not voting.

The second committee amendment, as amended, was adopted with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 1 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 39 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 1 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 530. Title read. Considered.

Committee [AM1149](#), found on page 1247, was offered.

Senator Spivey requested a division of the question on the committee amendment.

The Chair sustained the division of the question.

The first committee amendment is as follows:
[AM1218](#) is available in the Bill Room.

The second committee amendment is as follows:
[AM1219](#)

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new
2 sections:
3 Sec. 5. Section 28-416, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
4 2024, is amended to read:
5 28-416 (1) Except as authorized by the Uniform Controlled Substances
6 Act, it shall be unlawful for any person knowingly or intentionally: (a)
7 To manufacture, distribute, deliver, dispense, or possess with intent to
8 manufacture, distribute, deliver, or dispense a controlled substance; or
9 (b) to create, distribute, or possess with intent to distribute a

10 counterfeit controlled substance.

11 (2) Except as provided in subsections (4), (5), (7), (8), (9), and
12 (10) of this section, any person who violates subsection (1) of this
13 section with respect to: (a) A controlled substance classified in
14 Schedule I, II, or III of section 28-405 which is an exceptionally
15 hazardous drug shall be guilty of a Class II felony; (b) any other
16 controlled substance classified in Schedule I, II, or III of section
17 28-405 shall be guilty of a Class IIA felony; or (c) a controlled
18 substance classified in Schedule IV or V of section 28-405 shall be
19 guilty of a Class IIIA felony.
20 (3) A person knowingly or intentionally possessing a controlled
21 substance, except marijuana or any substance containing a quantifiable
22 amount of the substances, chemicals, or compounds described, defined, or
23 delineated in subdivision (c)(27) of Schedule I of section 28-405, unless
24 such substance was obtained directly or pursuant to a medical order
25 issued by a practitioner authorized to prescribe while acting in the
26 course of his or her professional practice, or except as otherwise
27 authorized by the act, shall be guilty of a Class IV felony. A person
1 shall not be in violation of this subsection if section 28-472 or 28-1701
2 applies.

3 (4)(a) Except as authorized by the Uniform Controlled Substances
4 Act, any person eighteen years of age or older who knowingly or
5 intentionally manufactures, distributes, delivers, dispenses, or
6 possesses with intent to manufacture, distribute, deliver, or dispense a
7 controlled substance or a counterfeit controlled substance (i) to a
8 person under the age of eighteen years, (ii) in, on, or within one
9 thousand feet of the real property comprising a public or private
10 elementary, vocational, or secondary school, a community college, a
11 public or private college, junior college, or university, or a
12 playground, or (iii) within one hundred feet of a public or private youth
13 center, public swimming pool, or video arcade facility shall be punished
14 by the next higher penalty classification than the penalty prescribed in
15 subsection (2), (7), (8), (9), or (10) of this section, depending upon
16 the controlled substance involved, for the first violation and for a
17 second or subsequent violation shall be punished by the next higher
18 penalty classification than that prescribed for a first violation of this
19 subsection, but in no event shall such person be punished by a penalty
20 greater than a Class IB felony.

21 (b) For purposes of this subsection:

22 (i) Playground means any outdoor facility, including any parking lot
23 appurtenant to the facility, intended for recreation, open to the public,
24 and with any portion containing three or more apparatus intended for the
25 recreation of children, including sliding boards, swingsets, and
26 teeterboards;
27 (ii) Video arcade facility means any facility legally accessible to
28 persons under eighteen years of age, intended primarily for the use of
29 pinball and video machines for amusement, and containing a minimum of ten
30 pinball or video machines; and

31 (iii) Youth center means any recreational facility or gymnasium,
1 including any parking lot appurtenant to the facility or gymnasium,
2 intended primarily for use by persons under eighteen years of age which
3 regularly provides athletic, civic, or cultural activities.

4 (5)(a) Except as authorized by the Uniform Controlled Substances
5 Act, it shall be unlawful for any person eighteen years of age or older
6 to knowingly and intentionally employ, hire, use, cause, persuade, coax,
7 induce, entice, seduce, or coerce any person under the age of eighteen
8 years to manufacture, transport, distribute, carry, deliver, dispense,
9 prepare for delivery, offer for delivery, or possess with intent to do
10 the same a controlled substance or a counterfeit controlled substance.

11 (b) Except as authorized by the Uniform Controlled Substances Act,

12 it shall be unlawful for any person eighteen years of age or older to
13 knowingly and intentionally employ, hire, use, cause, persuade, coax,
14 induce, entice, seduce, or coerce any person under the age of eighteen
15 years to aid and abet any person in the manufacture, transportation,
16 distribution, carrying, delivery, dispensing, preparation for delivery,
17 offering for delivery, or possession with intent to do the same of a
18 controlled substance or a counterfeit controlled substance.
19 (c) Any person who violates subdivision (a) or (b) of this
20 subsection shall be punished by the next higher penalty classification
21 than the penalty prescribed in subsection (2), (7), (8), (9), or (10) of
22 this section, depending upon the controlled substance involved, for the
23 first violation and for a second or subsequent violation shall be
24 punished by the next higher penalty classification than that prescribed
25 for a first violation of this subsection, but in no event shall such
26 person be punished by a penalty greater than a Class IB felony.
27 (6) It shall not be a defense to prosecution for violation of
28 subsection (4) or (5) of this section that the defendant did not know the
29 age of the person through whom the defendant violated such subsection.
30 (7) Any person who violates subsection (1) of this section with
31 respect to cocaine or any mixture or substance containing a detectable
1 amount of cocaine in a quantity of:
2 (a) One hundred forty grams or more shall be guilty of a Class IB
3 felony;
4 (b) At least twenty-eight grams but less than one hundred forty
5 grams shall be guilty of a Class IC felony; or
6 (c) At least ten grams but less than twenty-eight grams shall be
7 guilty of a Class ID felony.
8 (8) Any person who violates subsection (1) of this section with
9 respect to base cocaine (crack) or any mixture or substance containing a
10 detectable amount of base cocaine in a quantity of:
11 (a) One hundred forty grams or more shall be guilty of a Class IB
12 felony;
13 (b) At least twenty-eight grams but less than one hundred forty
14 grams shall be guilty of a Class IC felony; or
15 (c) At least ten grams but less than twenty-eight grams shall be
16 guilty of a Class ID felony.
17 (9) Any person who violates subsection (1) of this section with
18 respect to heroin or any mixture or substance containing a detectable
19 amount of heroin in a quantity of:
20 (a) One hundred forty grams or more shall be guilty of a Class IB
21 felony;
22 (b) At least twenty-eight grams but less than one hundred forty
23 grams shall be guilty of a Class IC felony; or
24 (c) At least ten grams but less than twenty-eight grams shall be
25 guilty of a Class ID felony.
26 (10) Any person who violates subsection (1) of this section with
27 respect to amphetamine, its salts, optical isomers, and salts of its
28 isomers, or with respect to methamphetamine, its salts, optical isomers,
29 and salts of its isomers, in a quantity of:
30 (a) One hundred forty grams or more shall be guilty of a Class IB
31 felony;
1 (b) At least twenty-eight grams but less than one hundred forty
2 grams shall be guilty of a Class IC felony; or
3 (c) At least ten grams but less than twenty-eight grams shall be
4 guilty of a Class ID felony.
5 (11) Any person knowingly or intentionally possessing marijuana
6 weighing more than one ounce but not more than one pound shall be guilty
7 of a Class III misdemeanor.
8 (12) Any person knowingly or intentionally possessing marijuana
9 weighing more than one pound shall be guilty of a Class IV felony.

10 (13) Except as provided in section 28-1701, any person knowingly or
11 intentionally possessing marijuana weighing one ounce or less or any
12 substance containing a quantifiable amount of the substances, chemicals,
13 or compounds described, defined, or delineated in subdivision (c)(27) of
14 Schedule I of section 28-405 shall:

15 (a) For the first offense, be guilty of an infraction, receive a
16 citation, be fined three hundred dollars, and be assigned to attend a
17 course as prescribed in section 29-433 if the judge determines that
18 attending such course is in the best interest of the individual
19 defendant;

20 (b) For the second offense, be guilty of a Class IV misdemeanor,
21 receive a citation, and be fined four hundred dollars and may be
22 imprisoned not to exceed five days; and

23 (c) For the third and all subsequent offenses, be guilty of a Class
24 IIIA misdemeanor, receive a citation, be fined five hundred dollars, and
25 be imprisoned not to exceed seven days.

26 (14) Any person convicted of violating this section, if placed on
27 probation, shall, as a condition of probation, satisfactorily attend and
28 complete appropriate treatment and counseling on drug abuse provided by a
29 program authorized under the Nebraska Behavioral Health Services Act or
30 other licensed drug treatment facility.

31 (15) Any person convicted of violating this section, if sentenced to
1 the Department of Correctional Services, shall attend appropriate
2 treatment and counseling on drug abuse.

3 (16)(a) Any person convicted of a violation of subsection (1) of
4 this section shall be punished by the next higher penalty classification
5 than the penalty prescribed in subsection (2), (7), (8), (9), or (10) of
6 this section if:

7 (i) The~~(16)~~ Any person knowingly or intentionally
8 ~~possessed~~ possessing a firearm while in violation of subsection (1) of
9 this section; or

10 (ii) Such violation resulted in the use of the controlled substance
11 and directly and proximately caused the death of, or serious bodily
12 injury to, another person, shall be punished by the next higher penalty
13 classification than the penalty prescribed in subsection (2), (7), (8),
14 (9), or (10) of this section, but in no event shall such person be
15 punished by

16 (b) A penalty enhanced under this subsection shall in no event
17 result in a penalty greater than a Class IB felony.

18 (17) A person knowingly or intentionally in possession of money used
19 or intended to be used to facilitate a violation of subsection (1) of
20 this section shall be guilty of a Class IV felony.

21 (18) In addition to the existing penalties available for a violation
22 of subsection (1) of this section, including any criminal attempt or
23 conspiracy to violate subsection (1) of this section, a sentencing court
24 may order that any money, securities, negotiable instruments, firearms,
25 conveyances, or electronic communication devices as defined in section
26 28-833 or any equipment, components, peripherals, software, hardware, or
27 accessories related to electronic communication devices be forfeited as a
28 part of the sentence imposed if it finds by clear and convincing evidence
29 adduced at a separate hearing in the same prosecution, following
30 conviction for a violation of subsection (1) of this section, and
31 conducted pursuant to section 28-1601, that any or all such property was
1 derived from, used, or intended to be used to facilitate a violation of
2 subsection (1) of this section.

3 (19) In addition to the penalties provided in this section:

4 (a) If the person convicted or adjudicated of violating this section
5 is eighteen years of age or younger and has one or more licenses or
6 permits issued under the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act:

7 (i) For the first offense, the court may, as a part of the judgment

8 of conviction or adjudication, (A) impound any such licenses or permits
 9 for thirty days and (B) require such person to attend a drug education
 10 class;
 11 (ii) For a second offense, the court may, as a part of the judgment
 12 of conviction or adjudication, (A) impound any such licenses or permits
 13 for ninety days and (B) require such person to complete no fewer than
 14 twenty and no more than forty hours of community service and to attend a
 15 drug education class; and
 16 (iii) For a third or subsequent offense, the court may, as a part of
 17 the judgment of conviction or adjudication, (A) impound any such licenses
 18 or permits for twelve months and (B) require such person to complete no
 19 fewer than sixty hours of community service, to attend a drug education
 20 class, and to submit to a drug assessment by a licensed alcohol and drug
 21 counselor; and
 22 (b) If the person convicted or adjudicated of violating this section
 23 is eighteen years of age or younger and does not have a permit or license
 24 issued under the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act:
 25 (i) For the first offense, the court may, as part of the judgment of
 26 conviction or adjudication, (A) prohibit such person from obtaining any
 27 permit or any license pursuant to the act for which such person would
 28 otherwise be eligible until thirty days after the date of such order and
 29 (B) require such person to attend a drug education class;
 30 (ii) For a second offense, the court may, as part of the judgment of
 31 conviction or adjudication, (A) prohibit such person from obtaining any
 1 permit or any license pursuant to the act for which such person would
 2 otherwise be eligible until ninety days after the date of such order and
 3 (B) require such person to complete no fewer than twenty hours and no
 4 more than forty hours of community service and to attend a drug education
 5 class; and
 6 (iii) For a third or subsequent offense, the court may, as part of
 7 the judgment of conviction or adjudication, (A) prohibit such person from
 8 obtaining any permit or any license pursuant to the act for which such
 9 person would otherwise be eligible until twelve months after the date of
 10 such order and (B) require such person to complete no fewer than sixty
 11 hours of community service, to attend a drug education class, and to
 12 submit to a drug assessment by a licensed alcohol and drug counselor.
 13 A copy of an abstract of the court's conviction or adjudication
 14 shall be transmitted to the Director of Motor Vehicles pursuant to
 15 sections 60-497.01 to 60-497.04 if a license or permit is impounded or a
 16 juvenile is prohibited from obtaining a license or permit under this
 17 subsection.
 18 Sec. 33. Original sections 28-306, 28-394, 29-2262.06, 29-2267,
 19 60-682.01, 60-6,186, 60-6,213, and 60-6,378, Reissue Revised Statutes of
 20 Nebraska, and sections 28-101, 28-416, 28-1204.05, 29-2263, 29-3001,
 21 43-245, 43-250, 43-251.01, 43-253, 43-260.01, 43-286.01, 43-2,108,
 22 43-2,108.05, 43-2,129, 60-601, and 60-605, Revised Statutes Cumulative
 23 Supplement, 2024, are repealed.

The third committee amendment is as follows:

AM1220

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new
 2 sections:
 3 Sec. 10. Section 29-3001, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
 4 2024, is amended to read:
 5 29-3001 (1) A prisoner in custody under sentence and claiming a
 6 right to be released on the ground that there was such a denial or
 7 infringement of the rights of the prisoner as to render the judgment void
 8 or voidable under the Constitution of this state or the Constitution of
 9 the United States, may file a verified motion, in the court which imposed
 10 such sentence, stating the grounds relied upon and asking the court to

11 vacate or set aside the sentence.

12 (2) Unless the motion and the files and records of the case show to
 13 the satisfaction of the court that the prisoner is entitled to no relief,
 14 the court shall cause notice thereof to be served on the county attorney,
 15 grant a prompt hearing thereon, and determine the issues and make
 16 findings of fact and conclusions of law with respect thereto. If the
 17 court finds that there was such a denial or infringement of the rights of
 18 the prisoner as to render the judgment void or voidable under the
 19 Constitution of this state or the Constitution of the United States, the
 20 court shall vacate and set aside the judgment and shall discharge the
 21 prisoner or resentence the prisoner or grant a new trial as may appear
 22 appropriate. Proceedings under the provisions of sections 29-3001 to
 23 29-3004 shall be civil in nature. Costs shall be taxed as in habeas
 24 corpus cases.

25 (3) A court may entertain and determine such motion without
 26 requiring the production of the prisoner, whether or not a hearing is
 27 held. Testimony of the prisoner or other witnesses may be offered by
 1 deposition. The court need not entertain a second motion or successive
 2 motions for similar relief on behalf of the same prisoner.

3 (4) A one-year period of limitation shall apply to the filing of a
 4 verified motion for postconviction relief. The one-year limitation period
 5 shall run from the later of:

6 (a) The date the judgment of conviction became final by the
 7 conclusion of a direct appeal or the expiration of the time for filing a
 8 direct appeal;

9 (b) The date on which the factual predicate of the constitutional
 10 claim or claims alleged could have been discovered through the exercise
 11 of due diligence;

12 (c) The date on which an impediment created by state action, in
 13 violation of the Constitution of the United States or the Constitution of
 14 Nebraska or any law of this state, is removed, if the prisoner was
 15 prevented from filing a verified motion by such state action;

16 (d) The date on which a constitutional claim asserted was initially
 17 recognized by the Supreme Court of the United States or the Nebraska
 18 Supreme Court, if the newly recognized right has been made applicable
 19 retroactively to cases on postconviction collateral review; ~~or~~

20 (e) The date on which the Supreme Court of the United States denies
 21 a writ of certiorari or affirms a conviction appealed from the Nebraska
 22 Supreme Court. This subdivision only applies if, within thirty days after
 23 petitioning the Supreme Court of the United States for a writ of
 24 certiorari, the prisoner files a notice in the district court of
 25 conviction stating that the prisoner has filed such petition; ~~or~~

26 (f) The date on which the prisoner reaches twenty-one years of age
 27 for an offense committed when the prisoner was younger than eighteen
 28 years of age.

29 Sec. 33. Original sections 28-306, 28-394, 29-2262.06, 29-2267,
 30 60-682.01, 60-6,186, 60-6,213, and 60-6,378, Reissue Revised Statutes of
 31 Nebraska, and sections 28-101, 28-416, 28-1204.05, 29-2263, 29-3001,
 1 43-245, 43-250, 43-251.01, 43-253, 43-260.01, 43-286.01, 43-2,108,
 2 43-2,108.05, 43-2,129, 60-601, and 60-605, Revised Statutes Cumulative
 3 Supplement, 2024, are repealed.

The fourth committee amendment is as follows:

[AM1238](#) is available in the Bill Room.

The first committee amendment, [AM1218](#), found in this day's Journal was offered.

Senator Bosn asked unanimous consent to withdraw [AM1182](#), found on page 1247, to the first committee amendment, and replace it with substitute amendment, [AM1230](#), to the first committee amendment.

[AM1230](#)

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1149)

- 1 1. On page 34, insert the following new subdivision after line 3:
- 2 "(a) A validated risk assessment instrument completed by
- 3 probation;"; in line 4 strike "(a)" and insert "(b)"; in line 5 strike
- 4 "(b)" and insert "(c)"; in line 6 strike "(c)" and insert "(d)"; in line
- 5 7 strike "(d)" and insert "(e)" and after "enforcement" insert "submitted
- 6 to the county attorney"; and in line 8 strike "(e)" and insert "(f)".
- 7 2. On page 38, line 24, strike "fourteen" and insert "thirty".
- 8 3. On page 39, line 3, strike "seven" and insert "fourteen".
- 9 4. On page 42, strike beginning with "Upon" in line 17 through
- 10 "officer" in line 19 and insert "Upon a request by such an officer or a
- 11 law enforcement agency, the Office of Probation Administration shall
- 12 provide such officer or law enforcement agency with access to the
- 13 electronic monitoring database"; in line 24 after the second occurrence
- 14 of "name" insert "and contact information of the juvenile's parents or
- 15 guardians, the name and contact information"; in line 26 after the comma
- 16 insert "the placement of the juvenile if placed out of home"; and in
- 17 line 28 strike "school records" and insert "the school the juvenile is
- 18 attending".
- 19 5. On page 46, line 28, strike "over such county".

Senator M. Cavanaugh objected.

Senator Bosn offered the following motion:

[MO216](#)

Withdraw AM1182 and Substitute AM1230

Pending.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 608. Placed on Select File with amendment.

[ER59](#)

- 1 1. On page 1, strike beginning with "first" in line 1 through line
- 2 11 and insert "first responders; to amend sections 85-2601, 85-2602,
- 3 85-2604, 85-2605, 85-2606, 85-2607, and 85-2608, Reissue Revised Statutes
- 4 of Nebraska, and section 44-314, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
- 5 2024; to change the definition of professional firefighter for purposes
- 6 of certain insurance protections; to include correctional officers, youth
- 7 detention officers, certain eligible disabled persons and their children
- 8 within the First Responder Recruitment and Retention Act; to require
- 9 partial reimbursement for certain tuition waivers by the state; to
- 10 provide duties for the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary
- 11 Education and postsecondary educational institutions; to define and
- 12 redefine terms; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections;
- 13 and to outright repeal sections 85-2603 and 85-2603.01, Reissue Revised
- 14 Statutes of Nebraska."

LEGISLATIVE BILL 364. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 560. Placed on Select File.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 133. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 453. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 526. Placed on Final Reading.
LEGISLATIVE BILL 667. Placed on Final Reading.

(Signed) Dunixi Guereca, Chairperson

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Dungan filed the following amendments to LB530:

FA153

In AM1149, on page 30, line 21 strike the word "ten" and reinstate the word "twelve".

FA154

In AM1149, Strike Section 19.

Senator Bosn filed the following amendment to LB530:

AM1230

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM1149)

- 1 1. On page 34, insert the following new subdivision after line 3:
- 2 "(a) A validated risk assessment instrument completed by
- 3 probation;" in line 4 strike "(a)" and insert "(b)"; in line 5 strike
- 4 "(b)" and insert "(c)"; in line 6 strike "(c)" and insert "(d)"; in line
- 5 7 strike "(d)" and insert "(e)" and after "enforcement" insert "submitted
- 6 to the county attorney"; and in line 8 strike "(e)" and insert "(f)".
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- 17 line 28 strike "school records" and insert "the school the juvenile is
- 18 attending".
- 19 5. On page 46, line 28, strike "over such county".

VISITOR(S)

Visitors to the Chamber were students and teachers from Villa Marie School, Waverly; students from Tekamah-Herman, Tekamah; students from Washington Elementary, Norfolk.

ADJOURNMENT

At 8:15 p.m., on a motion by Senator Lippincott, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, April 30, 2025.

Brandon Metzler
 Clerk of the Legislature