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10	Krist		
		Change provisions relating to surcharges for 911 service	In Committee
11	Krist		
		Change distribution of motor vehicle certificate of title fees	Governor Approved
30	Hadley		
		Change provisions relating to historical vehicle license plates	Governor Approved
32	Hadley		
		Adopt and update references to certain federal provisions related to motor vehicles	Governor Approved
35	Hadley		
83	Schumacher	Change requirements for use of turn signals	In Committee
		Change provisions relating to the operation of utility-type vehicles	General File
84	Schumacher		
		Authorize vehicular traffic weighing less than one thousand pounds to proceed through a traffic light after stopping	Indefinitely Postponed
85	Schumacher		
		Provide for notation of veteran status on drivers' licenses and state identification cards and provide for a registry of veterans	Governor Approved
93	Dubas (T&T Priority)		
		Change provisions relating to permits for overweight vehicles	Governor Approved
117	Harms		
118	Harms	Change texting enforcement provisions	In Committee
		Redefine road assistance vehicle relating to drivers' duties to move over	Governor Approved
154	Dubas		
		Change provisions relating to eligibility for and use of ignition interlock devices	Governor Approved
158	Seiler (T&T Priority)		
164	Dubas	Change motor vehicle auction provisions	Governor Approved
		Change provisions relating to motor vehicle dealer warranty service	Governor Approved
165	Dubas		
		Change provisions relating to vehicle load contents and spillage	Governor Approved
174	Mello		
		Prohibit motorcycle passengers less than eight years old	In Committee
181	Avery		
		Change provisions and penalties relating to occupant protection systems	In Committee
189	Harms		
		Change motor vehicle registration provisions	Governor Approved
207	McCoy		
223	Janssen	Redefine utility-type vehicles	Governor Approved
		Change motor vehicle provisions relating to farm vehicles and drivers transporting agricultural commodities or farm supplies	Amended into LB983
249	Dubas		
		Change motor vehicle provisions relating to issuance of trip permits	Governor Approved
250	Dubas		

258	Sullivan	Prohibit use of certain wireless devices by school bus drivers as prescribed	In Committee
		Require cognitive tests for persons eighty years of age or older obtaining motor vehicle operator's licenses	In Committee
351	Harms	Redefine excavation for purposes of the One-Call Notification System Act	In Committee
358	Dubas	Eliminate fees for the issuance of certain license plates	Amended into LB383
378	Smith	Provide for Nebraska Armed Forces Pride Plates	Governor Approved
383	Janssen (Janssen priority)	Require notice of road maintenance by counties as prescribed	Governor Approved
386	Christensen	Eliminate provisions relating to constructing drainage facilities and taking other control measures on public roads	Indefinitely Postponed
387	Christensen	Change helmet and eye protection provisions regarding motorcycles	General File
393	Bloomfield (Bloomfield priority)	Change provisions and penalties relating to certain excessively loaded vehicles	Governor Approved
398	Brasch	Permit members of certain organizations to use flashing amber lights on motor vehicles	Select File
399	Lautenbaugh	Provide funding to the Department of Motor Vehicles to purchase a vehicle titling and registration computer system	In Committee
445	Karpisek	Define the term flood damage for purposes of the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act	Governor Approved
446	Avery	Change provisions relating to motor vehicle headlights	In Committee
453	Karpisek	Change school bus operation provisions	Governor Approved
500	Brasch	Change Public Service Commission appeal procedures	Governor Approved
545	Dubas	Change a length exception for semitrailers transporting baled livestock forage	In Committee
548	Schilz	Change provisions of the One-Call Notification System Act	Governor Approved
589	Watermeier	Provide for a Public Service Commission study of next-generation 911	Governor Approved
595	Price (Price priority)	Change provisions relating to specialty license plates and Purple Heart license plates	In Committee
596	Price	Change provisions of the Nebraska Telecommunications Universal Service Fund Act	Indefinitely Postponed
617	Schumacher	Change provisions relating to bridge construction and road improvements	Governor Approved
623	Price		

624	Pirsch	Provide for fees for copies of motor vehicle accident reports	Indefinitely Postponed
644	Davis	Adopt the Contract Carrier Safety Act	Withdrawn
		Change certain penalties relating to operating a motor vehicle during a revocation period and tampering with an ignition interlock device	Indefinitely Postponed
649	Karpisek	Include asphalt crack filler trailers in the definition of trailer under the Motor Vehicle Registration Act	Indefinitely Postponed
650	Karpisek		

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667	Krist	Provide an exception for motorcycles to certain vehicle light requirements	In Committee
698	Larson	Change provisions relating to mowing and harvesting hay on the right-of-way of highways	Governor Approved
701	Dubas	Change provisions relating to salvage titles and acquisition of salvage titles by insurance companies	Governor Approved
727	Harms	Change provisions relating to anatomical gift donation designations on drivers' licenses and state identification cards	In Committee
736	Dubas	Change the service of notice provision in the One-Call Notification System Act	Governor Approved
756	Smith	Redefine bicycle and motor vehicle	In Committee
757	Smith	Create a mailbox location exception and repeal an obsolete road numbering system requirement	Governor Approved
758	Smith	Change duties relating to registration certificates for trailers	Governor Approved
776	Hadley (T&T Priority)	Adopt and update references to certain federal provisions related to motor vehicles	Governor Approved
777	Hadley	Change license renewal and issuance provisions under the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act	Governor Approved
786	Crawford	Adopt the Emergency Contact Registry Act and provide powers and duties for the Department of Motor Vehicles	In Committee
795	Harr	Change provisions relating to operator's license reinstatement	Amended into LB998
807	Harms (Harms Priority)	Change provisions relating to provisional operator's permits, interactive wireless communication devices, and occupant protection systems and update references to certain federal provisions	In Committee
816	Murante	Authorize use of electronic forms of evidence of insurance for purposes of motor vehicle registration	Governor Approved
830	Christensen	Authorize special permits to certain vehicle dealers in adjacent states	Withdrawn

847	Hadley	Provide for fees for copies of motor vehicle accident reports	In Committee
892	Smith	Change enforcement provisions of the One-Call Notification System Act	General File
910	Dubas	Require notice from state or local law enforcement to lienholders or mortgagees of abandoned motor vehicles	In Committee
911	Dubas	Adopt the Nebraska 911 Act and create the Next-Generation 911 Advisory Council	In Committee
925	Coash	Provide for transfer of motor vehicle registration duties to county treasurers	In Committee
930	Watermeier	Require an operator's presence at an excavation under the One-Call Notification System Act	Governor Approved
954	Dubas	Change rotating or flashing light provisions for certain vehicles	General File
981	Dubas	Change commercial motor vehicle provisions relating to falsified information, medical examinations, texting, and use of handheld mobile telephones	Amended into LB983
982	Dubas	Redefine the terms all-terrain vehicle and utility-type vehicle	Amended into LB814
983	Dubas (T&T Priority)	Change provisions relating to commercial driver's licenses and commercial learner's permits	Governor Approved
990	Nordquist	Add a penalty and change a record requirement for 911 service suppliers	In Committee
1029	Coash	Change provisions relating to size, weight, and load with respect to vehicles transporting fertilizer	In Committee
1039	Dubas	Change provisions relating to size, weight, and load for farm equipment	Governor Approved
1045	Harr	Redefine the term underground facility for purposes of the One-Call Notification System Act	In Committee
1071	Lathrop	Provide additional rules of the road for bicycles and bikeways	In Committee
1082	Brasch	Allow all-terrain vehicles and utility-type vehicles to be operated as authorized emergency vehicles	In Committee

LB **INTRODUCER** **ONELINER**
174 Mello Change penalties for violation of ordinances or regulations and provisions on load contents and spillage in cities of the metropolitan class

Effective date July 18, 2014

The bill amends 60-6,304, the size, weight, and load provisions in the Nebraska Rules of the Road, to increase the minimum fine for manure spills within corporate limits of a city of the metropolitan class, from \$100 to \$250.

Section 1: Amends 60-6,304 to reorganize and add an exception for the new subsection (2). Adds subsection (2) to prohibit any person from spilling manure or urine, from the vehicle that contained livestock, on any highway within the city limits of a metropolitan class city. Penalty is a class IV misdemeanor (\$500) and a minimum fine of at least \$250.

Section 2: Repeal original section.

LB **INTRODUCER** **ONELINER**
383 Janssen Provide for Military Honor Plates and change certain license plate fee provisions

Effective date July 18, 2014

LB383 directs the Department of Motor Vehicles to design and issue Military Honor license plates for persons currently or formerly serving in the United States Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Air Force, or National Guard, conditioned on the approval of the armed forces entity to use their copyrighted emblem or seal. Service members or Veterans with an honorable discharge must first register with the Department of Veteran's Affairs. The DMV will verify eligibility for plates using such registry.

Section 1: Amends 60-301 to add sections 9 and 10 of this act.

Section 2: Amends 60-393 to add section 10 of this act.

Section 3: Amends 60-395 to add section 10 of this act.

Section 4: Amends 60-396 to add section 10 of this act.

Section 5: Amends 60-3,104 to add Military Honor Plates to the list of license plates issued.

Section 6: Amends 60-3,123 to eliminate the \$5 fee for the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund on Prisoner of War license plates.

Section 7: Amends 60-3,125 to eliminate the \$5 fee for the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund on Purple Heart license plates.

Section 8: Amends 60-3,130.04 to add Military Honor Plates to the list of license plates not allowed to be personalized message plates for historical vehicles.

Section 9: Creates the Military Honor Plate, requires the DMV to verify an applicant's

eligibility with the Department of Veterans' Affairs registry, allows for alphanumeric and personalized message plates.

Section 10: Allows for application for Military Honor Plates beginning January 2, 2016. Includes a \$5 fee to the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund. Personalized message plates cost \$45. Lost, stolen, or mutilated plates are replaced upon request without charge. Provides that plates are transferrable. Allows for transfer of funds from the Nebraska Veteran Cemetery System Operation Fund to the Highway Trust Fund in the event the cost of manufacturing the plates exceeds the amount charged. Allows the Director to cancel plates and registration if evidence of fraud in application.

Section 11: Amends 80-414 to include this act in the Department of Veterans' Affairs registry.

Section 12: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
446	Avery	Define the term flood damage for purposes of the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act

Effective date July 18, 2014

The bill adds "flood damaged" to the salvage branded certificate of title, defines flood damage as "water damage to a vehicle which has been submerged above its floorboard,".

Section 1: Amends 60-101 to add section 3 of this Act to the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act.

Section 2: Amends 60-102 to add the definitions in section 3 of this Act to the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act.

Section 3: Adds a definition of "flood damage".

Section 4: Amends 60-174, to add "flood damaged" to the list of title brands.

Section 5: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
698	Larson	Change provisions relating to mowing and harvesting hay on the right-of-way of highways

Effective date July 18, 2014

The bill allows the Department of Roads to issue permits to mow or harvest hay on right-of-ways along state highways every year, instead of every other year, regardless of drought conditions or other declarations the year prior.

Section 1: Amends 39-1359.01, regarding state highways, to strike "every other" year and add "each" year.

Section 2: Repeals original section.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
701	Dubas	Change provisions relating to salvage titles and acquisition of salvage titles by insurance companies

Effective date July 18, 2014

LB701 provides an alternative process in obtaining a salvage branded title to a vehicle when a total loss settlement has been made. An insurance company may apply to the Department of Motor Vehicles for a salvage title without the original evidence of ownership if the owner has accepted a total loss settlement and the company has made at least two written attempts to obtain a properly endorsed title.

Section 1: Amends 60-173, of the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act, regarding titles to salvage vehicles obtained by insurance companies after a total loss settlement, to add new language to allow an insurance company to submit an application form for a salvage branded certificate of title, prescribed by the department of motor vehicles, an affidavit that the insurance company has been unable to obtain the properly endorsed certificate of title from the owner following an offer of settlement, and evidence of thirty days since an oral or written acceptance of settlement by the owner, and receive a valid title for the vehicle.

Section 2: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
736	Dubas	Change the service of notice provision in the One-Call Notification System Act

Effective date July 18, 2014

The bill clarifies the One-Call Notification System Act to include all methods of notification provided by the One Call Center, not just calling the toll free telephone number, to respond to advances in technology.

Section 1: Strikes “telephone” language and adds a technology neutral term.

Section 2: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
757	Smith	Create a mailbox location exception and repeal an obsolete road numbering system requirement

Effective date July 18, 2014

LB757 updates statutes governing the Nebraska Department of Roads. The bill relaxes mailbox location requirements, rule and regulation requirements, changes “he” to “he or she”, and repeals obsolete numbering system requirements.

Section 1: Amends 39-1010, regarding Rural Mail Routes, to allow a mailbox located on a state highway to encroach on the “shoulder line” if such highway has a hard shoulder surface of eight feet or more. Defines “shoulder line”. Modernizes language referring to persons as “he”.

Section 2: Amends 81-710, regarding State Wayside Areas, which contains the requirement to promulgate rules and regulations for state wayside areas.

Section 3: Repeals the original statutes for sections 39-1010 and 81-710.

Section 4: Outright repeals the county road-numbering statute.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
758	Smith	Change duties relating to registration certificates for trailers.
<i>Effective date July 18, 2014</i>		

This bill eliminates the requirement that truck drivers carry the original registration certificate for trailers. The bill would allow truck drivers to carry a photo copy of the trailer registration in the truck or in the trailer.

Section 1: Amends 60-363 of the Motor Vehicle Registration Act to allow operators to carry a photocopy of their registration.

Section 2: Repeals original section.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
776	Hadley	Adopt and update references to certain federal provisions related to motor vehicles
<i>Effective date March 28, 2014</i>		

LB776 amends reference dates in statutes referring to federal law or interstate agreements under the regulatory authority of the Department of Motor Vehicles. The updates keep Nebraska law current and in compliance with the newest versions of law or regulations.

Section 1: Amends 60-336.01 regarding the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 2: Amends 60-3,113.04 regarding handicapped or disabled parking permits, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 3: Amends 60-3,193.01 codifying the International Registration Plan, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 4: Amends 60-462.01 of the Motor Vehicle Operators' License Act, which adopts Federal regulations, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 5: Amends 60-479.01 of the Motor Vehicle Operators' License Act, regarding fraud prevention, to update the dates to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 6: Amends 60-4,147.02 of the Motor Vehicle Operators' License Act, which implements the USA PATRIOT Act requirements, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 7: Amends 75-392, regarding the Unified Carrier Registration Plan and Agreement, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 8: Amends 75-393, regarding the Unified Carrier Registration Plan and Agreement, to update the date to comply with newest version of Federal law.

Section 9: Repeals original sections.

Section 10: Emergency clause.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
777	Hadley	Change license renewal and issuance provisions under the

Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act

Effective date July 18, 2014

This bill modernizes statutes and eliminates the "duplicate" license, which is now functionally equivalent to the "replacement" license.

Section 1: Amends 32-308 regarding registration of voters, to eliminate the word “duplicate”.

Section 2: Amends 60-474 of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act to eliminate the word “duplicate”.

Section 3: Amends 60-484.02 of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act to eliminate the word “duplicate” and clarify that digital images are “captured”, not “taken”.

Section 4: Amends 60-4,115, the fees section for Motor Vehicle Operators’ Licenses other than commercial licenses, to strike reference to “duplicate or replacement” and change to “replacement”.

Section 5: Amends 60-4,116 of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act to eliminate the word “duplicate”.

Section 6: Amends 60-4,119 of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act to update language relating to images of the cardholder. Strikes “color photograph” and adds “digital signature”.

Section 7: Amends 60-4,120 of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act regarding duplicate licenses, replaces the process for obtaining a duplicate with a replacement card. Adds new language regarding the issuance of replacement cards.

Section 8: Amends 60-4,122 of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act to strike an implementation date that has passed. Changes renewal provisions for certain license holders, to require they have a new image captured every ten years, as per Federal requirements.

Section 9: Amends 60-4,126 of the farm permit sections of the Motor Vehicle Operators’ License Act, to change the word “duplicate” to “replacement”.

Section 10: Amends 60-4,150 regarding commercial driver’s license duplicates, to eliminate the word “duplicate” and create replacement procedures.

Section 11: Amends 60-4,180 regarding state identification cards, to eliminate the words “color photograph”.

Section 12: Amends 60-2904 of the Uniform Motor Vehicle Records Disclosure Act to strike “photograph” and replace with “digital image”.

Section 13: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
816	Murante	Authorize use of electronic forms of evidence of insurance for purposes of motor vehicle registration

Effective date July 18, 2014

LB816 allows drivers to display evidence of insurance on an electronic device. Relieves law enforcement of liability for damage to devices.

Section 1: Amends 60-301 of the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, to include this section.

Section 2: Amends 60-323 of the Motor Vehicle Registration Act to include electronic forms of automotive liability insurance.

Section 3: Adds new section to allow use of electronic devices in proving to law enforcement the driver has automotive liability insurance. Clarifies that presenting an electronic device to law enforcement is not consent for searching the device, and liability for any damage to the device is held by the person presenting the device, not by law enforcement.

Section 4: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
930	Watermeier	Require an operator's presence at an excavation under the One-Call Notification System Act

Effective date July 18, 2014

LB930 amends the One-Call Notification Act to bar excavation within 25 feet of a natural gas transmission line unless a representative of the utility is present. Clarifies this does not prohibit operators from voluntarily having a representative present during excavation or entering a voluntary agreement with an excavator allowing the operator to be present during excavation.

Section 1: Amends 76-2301 of the One-Call Notification System Act, to include the section in this act.

Section 2: Creates a new section to bar excavation within 25 feet of a natural gas transmission line unless a representative of the utility is present. Uses Federal definition of “transmission line”.

Section 3: Amends 76-2323 of the One-Call Notification System Act, to include facilities subject to the new requirement in this act.

Section 4: Amends 76-2324 of the One-Call Notification System Act, to include failure to comply with the new requirement of this act in the liability section.

Section 5: Amends 76-2325 of the One-Call Notification System Act, to include this act in the civil penalty section.

Section 6: Repeals original sections.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
983	Dubas	Change licensing provisions and operating restrictions for commercial motor vehicles, farm vehicles, and other vehicles as prescribed

Effective date March 28, 2014 (multiple operative dates)

This bill combines LBs 249, 981, and 983, all regarding motor vehicle statutes. Each bill contains provisions that put Nebraska in compliance with Federal rules and regulations, noncompliance carries a penalty of \$13.7 million in federal highway funds the first year and \$27.4 million for each subsequent year of noncompliance.

Changes "LPC-learners permit" to "CLP-commercial learner's permit". Changes testing procedures for commercial licenses as required by federal rules. Includes gross vehicle combination weight in commercial motor vehicle (CMV) definition. Exempts farmers, their family members, and employees from the requirement to have a commercial drivers license (CDL) when driving covered farm vehicles. Defines "covered farm vehicle" as required by Federal rules. Updates description of “emergency vehicle” exempt from CMV definition.

Strikes outdated language. Updates statutes to harmonize with federal rules regarding the authenticity of identification and disqualification for fraudulent applications. Harmonizes definitions with federal regulations. Adds new license classifications, endorsements, and restrictions and deletes unused classifications, endorsements, and restrictions. Adds requirements for medical examiner certifications. Bans commercial vehicle operators and operators of 9-15 passenger vans and school buses from texting and using a handheld mobile telephone while driving, unless necessary in an emergency. Defines "planting and harvesting season" as required by Federal rules. Provides exemptions to federal motor carrier safety regulations regarding testing, inspection and repair, and hours of service within a 150 mile radius of the farm or farm supply distribution center. Outright repeals 60-4,145, which is outdated, and 60-4,156, which is obsolete because of changes in this bill.

LB	INTRODUCER	ONELINER
1039	Dubas	Change provisions relating to size, weight, and load for farm equipment

Effective date July 18, 2014

LB1039 allows farm equipment dealers to designate commercial haulers as their agents when moving equipment to take advantage of width, height and length exemptions reserved for farm equipment dealers. Haulers are required to carry documentation signed by the dealers identifying them as dealer representatives, and are responsible for their own insurance.

Section 1: Amends 60-601 to include the new provision in the Rules of the Road.

Section 2: Creates new section to allow farm equipment dealers to authorize agents to act as their representative when hauling farm equipment.

Section 3: Amends 60-6,288, the width requirements for vehicles, to include haulers acting as agents of dealers.

Section 4: Amends 60-6,289, the height requirements for vehicles, to include haulers acting as agents of dealers.

Section 5: Amends 60-6,290, the length requirements for vehicles, to include haulers acting as agents of dealers.

Section 6: Repeals original sections.

LB INTRODUCER ONELINER
84 Schumacher Change provisions relating to the operation of utility-type vehicles

Allows utility type vehicles to continue on a trip that takes them across a controlled access highway if allowed by the county. Amends 60-6,356, special rules for All-terrain vehicles in the Rules of the Road, to include the new subsection (9). Subsection (9) adds language to allow utility-type vehicles to cross controlled access highways with more than 2 marked traffic lanes if: Both the headlight and taillight are on, crossing is made at an intersection with a traffic light, and the crossing is specifically authorized by the city, village, or county.

Section 1: Amends 60-6,356, special rules for All-terrain vehicles in the Rules of the Road, to include the new subsection (9). Subsection (9) adds language to allow utility-type vehicles to cross controlled access highways with more than 2 marked traffic lanes if:

Both the headlight and taillight are on,
Crossing is made at an intersection with a traffic light, and
The crossing is specifically authorized by the city, village, or county.

Section 2: Repeals original section.

LB INTRODUCER ONELINER
393 Bloomfield Change helmet and eye protection provisions regarding motorcycles

Amends 60-6,279 of the Helmets section of the Nebraska Rules of the Road, to require eye protection by operators of motorcycles or mopeds on highways, to exempt persons over the age of 21 from the helmet requirement, to define eye protection, and to require the words "helmet not required" be printed on the license of those exempt from the helmet requirement.

AM640 becomes the bill.

Section 1: Amends 60-6,279 of the Helmets section of the Nebraska Rules of the Road to require eye protection by operators of motorcycles or mopeds on highways, to exempt persons over the age of 21 from the helmet requirement, and to define eye protection.

Section 2: Amends 60-6,307, special rules for motorcycles, to disallow the carrying of passengers under 48 inches tall unless the passenger is 16 years of age or older.

LB INTRODUCER ONELINER
954 Dubas Change rotating or flashing light provisions for certain vehicles
LB954 adds public utilities to the list of vehicle operators allowed to use blue and amber lights. Currently only snow removal vehicles are authorized to use the blue and amber combination.

Section 1: Amends 60-6,230, of the Rules of the Road, to allow vehicles operated by a public utility for construction, maintenance, and repair of utility infrastructure to use blue and amber

rotating or flashing lights.

Section 2: Repeals original section.

LB INTRODUCER ONELINER

892 Smith

Change enforcement provisions of the One-Call Notification System Act

LB892 increases the maximum fine for One-Call violations from \$5,000 to \$10,000, and provides for injunctive relief for utilities from repeat or potential violators.

Section 1: Amends 76-2301, the One-Call Notification System Act, to add section 3 of this act.

Section 2: Amends 76-2325 of the One-Call Notification System Act, renumbers sections and changes the civil penalty from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

Section 3: Creates a new section to allow utilities to bring a civil suit for injunctive relief against an excavator that has repeatedly violated, or is threatening to violate, any provision of the One-Call Act.

Section 4: Repeals original sections.

LB INTRODUCER ONELINER

399 Lautenbaugh Permit members of certain organizations to use flashing amber lights on motor vehicles

Allows volunteers of public safety or crime prevention organizations to use rotating or flashing amber lights on any motor vehicle, as authorized by law enforcement.

Section 1: Amends 60-6,232, the Lighting and Warning Equipment section of the Rules of the Road, to add volunteer members of a public safety or crime prevention organization, as authorized by sheriff, police department or other law enforcement agency, to the list of those allowed to use rotating or flashing amber lights.

Section 2: Repeals original sections.

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522	Watermeier	Interim study to examine the U.S Dept. of Transportation's Maritime Administration's designation of the Missouri River from South Sioux City, Nebraska, south to Kansas City, Missouri, as the M-29 Marine Highway Connector	3
523	Dubas	Interim study to examine alternative transportation options and recommend potential changes to Nebraska's statutes	2
528	Dubas	Interim study to examine issues surrounding financing the maintenance and replacement of county bridges	1
537	Dubas	Interim study to examine implementation, management, operation, and ongoing development of Next Generation 911 service in Nebraska	4