

**ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION  
2008**

**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**

**LB1145**

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**Hearing Date:** February 22, 2008

**Committee On:** Natural Resources

**Introducer(s):** (Louden)

**Title:** Change dates relating to expenditures from the Petroleum Release Remedial Action Cash Fund

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**

Placed on General File

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**Vote Results:**

8 Yes	Senators Carlson, Christensen, Dubas, Fischer, Hudkins, Kopplin, Louden, Wallman
0 No	
0 Absent	
0 Present, not voting	

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**Proponents:**

Jody Gittins  
Tim Keigher

Ed Woepfel

**Representing:**

Introducer  
Nebraska Petroleum Marketers and  
Convenience Store Association  
Nebraska Cooperative Council

**Opponents:**

None

**Representing:****Neutral:**

None

**Representing:****Summary of purpose and/or change:**

LB 1145 extends four dates under the Petroleum Release Remedial Action Act from June 30, 2009 to June 30, 2012.

Section 1 States that money in the Petroleum Release Remedial Action Cash Fund may be used for reimbursement for the costs of a remedial action by a responsible party or by the Department of Environmental Quality in response to a release reported after July 17, 1983 and on or before June 30, 2012.

Section 2 States that the department is required to provide reimbursement for the costs of remedial action for releases reported after July 17, 1983 and on or before June 30, 2012.

Section 3 Allows any responsible party who has undertaken remedial action for releases reported after July 17, 1983 and on or before June 30, 2012, to apply to the department for reimbursement for those costs.

Section 4 Allows the department to undertake remedial actions in response to a release reported after July 17, 1983 and on or before June 30, 2012 and to use the money in the fund to pay for those actions.

Section 5 Repealer.

**Explanation of amendments, if any:**

None

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Senator LeRoy Loudon, Chairperson