



**Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007  
Committee Statement  
LB 531**

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**Hearing Date:** February 8, 2007  
**Committee On:** Revenue

**Introducer(s):** (Nantkes)  
**Title:** Provide tax credits for employers providing health insurance

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

- Advanced to General File
  - Advanced to General File with Amendments
  - X Indefinitely Postponed
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**Vote Results:**

7	Yes	Senators Burling, Cornett, Dierks, Janssen, Preister, Raikes and White
0	No	
0	Present, not voting	
1	Absent	Senator Langemeier

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**Proponents:**

Senator Danielle Nantkes  
Janis McKenzie  
Pete McClymont

**Representing:**

Introducer  
Nebraska Insurance Federation  
Nebraska Cattlemen

**Opponents:**

None

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

None

**Representing:**

**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB 531 would have enacted a new refundable income tax credit of \$5,000 for small employers that provide health insurance for employees and pay a portion of the cost. Small employer was defined as employing 25 or fewer full-time equivalent employees in Nebraska.

**Explanation of amendments, if any:**

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**Senator Ray Janssen, Chairperson**

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