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## LEGISLATIVE BILL 180

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## A BILL

FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Liquor Control Act; to amend section 53-167.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to keg identification number violations; and to repeal the original section. Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska, LB 180

Section 1. Section 53-167.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of
Nebraska, is amended to read:

53-167.03. (1) Any person who unlawfully tampers with, 3 4 alters, or removes the keg identification number from a beer container 5 or is in possession of a beer container described in section 53-167.02 with an altered or removed keq identification number after 6 7 such container has been taken from the licensed premises pursuant to 8 a retail sale and before its return to such licensed premises or other place where returned kegs are accepted shall be guilty of a Class III 9 10 misdemeanor.

11 (2) A licensee may require a deposit of not more than the 12 replacement cost of the container described in section 53-167.02 from a person purchasing beer for consumption off the premises. Such 13 14 deposit may be retained by the licensee, in the amount of actual 15 damages, if upon return the container or any associated equipment is 16 damaged or if the keg identification number has been unlawfully tampered with, altered, or removed and such tampering, alteration, or 17 18 reported enforcement removal has been to а law officer. Sec. 2. Original section 53-167.03, Reissue Revised Statutes 19 of Nebraska, is repealed. 20

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