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ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 201

Introduced by Johnson, 37;

PURPOSE: To examine existing policies and practices with regard to non-English speaking families in the Nebraska child welfare system. The committee shall examine the current availability and utilization of translation and interpreter services, at what points in a child abuse or neglect case translation and interpreter services are or are not provided, and to what extent the rights of non-English speaking families across the state are being adequately protected in the process.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

- 1. That the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.
- 2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.