

AMENDMENTS TO LB 550

Introduced by Avery, 28.

1 1. Insert the following new section:

2 Sec. 3. Section 55-121, Reissue Revised Statutes of
3 Nebraska, is amended to read:

4 55-121 The Adjutant General shall be appointed by the
5 Governor from the active or retired commissioned officers of the
6 National Guard of this state. Such Adjutant General shall be or
7 have been a commissioned officer who has actively served in the
8 National Guard of this state for at least five years, shall have
9 attained at least the grade of lieutenant colonel, and shall be
10 able to become eligible for promotion to general officer. If a
11 retired officer is appointed, he or she shall not have been retired
12 for more than two years at the time he or she is considered
13 for appointment. He or she shall hold his or her office as
14 provided in section 55-136. He or she shall receive for his or her
15 services such salary as the Governor shall direct, payable ~~monthly,~~
16 biweekly, except that such salary shall not exceed the annual pay
17 and allowances of regular military officers of equal rank. If funds
18 made available by the federal government are in excess of the
19 amount payable as directed by the Governor, the excess shall be
20 used to reduce the amount required to be paid by the state. Due
21 to the interrelated nature of the Adjutant General's state and
22 federal duties, the Adjutant General shall not be required to take
23 paid or unpaid leave or leaves of absence to perform his or her

1 federal duties, whether or not under federal orders. The Adjutant
2 General shall continue to receive his or her salary during all
3 such periods. The Adjutant General shall only be required to take
4 leave or leaves of absence during those times when he or she is
5 absent and performing neither his or her state nor federal duties
6 as Adjutant General. This section shall not apply if the Adjutant
7 General is called to active duty of the United States under 10
8 U.S.C.

9 2. On page 5, line 2, strike "monthly.", show as
10 stricken, and insert "biweekly.".

11 3. On page 6, line 7, after "55-120," insert "55-121,".

12 4. Renumber the remaining sections and correct internal
13 references accordingly.