## ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2009 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB469

**Hearing Date:** Thursday March 26, 2009 **Committee On:** Revenue Introducer: Karpisek One Liner: Create the Agricultural Land Valuation Task Force **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:** Indefinitely postponed Vote Results: Aye: 8 Senators Adams, Cornett, Dierks, Friend, Hadley, Louden, Utter, White Nay: Absent: **Present Not Voting: Proponents:** Representing: Senator Russ Karpisek Introducer Nebraska Farm Bureau Federation Jay Rempe Gregg Wiedel Nebraska Cattlemen Larry Hudkins **Lancaster County** Opponents: Representing: Neutral: Representing: Summary of purpose and/or changes: LB 469 would have authorized the Legislature to create a task force to examine an alternate method of valuing agricultural land. The Executive Board would have appointed the members of the task force. The Property Tax Administrator of the Department of Revenue would have served as the Chairperson. A budget of \$50,000 was envisioned for expenses of task force members and research assistance from the University. The task force would have been required to report back to the Legislature in the spring of 2010. The task force would have ceased to exist on January 1, 2011. Abbie Cornett, Chairperson