

**ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2009**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB514**

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**Hearing Date:** Monday February 23, 2009  
**Committee On:** Business and Labor  
**Introducer:** Lautenbaugh  
**One Liner:** Change workers' compensation disability compensation provisions

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Indefinitely postponed

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**Vote Results:**

<b>Aye:</b>	6	Senators Carlson, Council, Lathrop, McGill, Wallman, White
<b>Nay:</b>		
<b>Absent:</b>	1	Senator Schilz
<b>Present Not Voting:</b>		

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**Proponents:**

Senator Scott Lautenbaugh  
Jeff Schumacher  
Robert Reynoldson  
Bob Hallstrom

Korby Gilbertson  
Daniel Fridrich

**Opponents:**

John Corrigan  
Mark Intermill  
Lee Loudon

**Neutral:**

James Cavanaugh

**Representing:**

Introducer  
Transportation Claims Inc.  
Self  
National Federation of Independent Business &  
Nebraskans for Work Equity and Fairness  
Property Casualty Insurers Association of America  
Werner Enterprises, Inc.

**Representing:**

Nebraska AFL-CIO  
AARP  
Nebraska Association of Trial Attorneys

**Representing:**

Independent Insurance Agents of Nebraska

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

Provides for termination of benefits awarded under the Workers' Compensation Act when an individual qualifies for social security retirement benefits or two years after the date of the injury, whichever occurs last.

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Steve Lathrop, Chairperson