

ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 128

Introduced by Langemeier, 23.

PURPOSE: To study issues relating to the laws of Nebraska governing the management and use of Nebraska surface water and ground water. A comprehensive and inclusive evaluation is necessary, utilizing every identifiable source of funding and research, to create a valid and beneficial statewide water policy. The goal of the study is to identify all sources of funding and research that can be integrated and used by the Legislature and the Department of Natural Resources to develop a statewide water plan. Special attention shall be given to current water planning efforts and projects. Sources may include any local, state, or federal government entity, including the University of Nebraska, and any private individual, business, or organization.

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

1. That the Natural Resources 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.