

ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 433

Introduced by Haar, 21.

PURPOSE: To study student expression in Nebraska's public schools. This study should seek to find what policies currently exist on student expression in the public schools, including policies in relation to the state curricular guidelines for citizenship education. This study should then consult interested parties and establish best practices for student expression policies based on current Nebraska policies and policies from school districts in other states. The study should also seek out any deficiencies in current policies and how those policies could be changed to avoid unnecessary and illegal violations of student expression. Finally, the study should examine state laws on student expression and make recommendations to the Legislature on any statutory changes for Nebraska.

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

1. That the Education 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.