AMENDMENTS TO LB

Introduced by Health and Human Services

1 1. Strike section 1 and insert the following new section:

2 Section 1. Section 71-615, Reissue Revised Statutes of

Nebraska, is amended to read:

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3 71-615 On or before the fifth day of each month, the 4 5 clerk of the district court of each county shall make 6 return to the department, upon suitable forms furnished by the 7 department, a statement of each action for annulment or dissolution 8 of marriage granted in the court of which he or she is clerk during the preceding calendar month. The information requested by the 9 10 department shall be furnished by the petitioner plaintiff or his or 11 her legal representative and presented to the clerk of the court 12 with the petition. In all cases, the furnishing of the information 13 to complete the record shall be a prerequisite to the granting 14 of the final decree. complaint. If, after reasonable attempts are 15 made by the plaintiff or his or her legal representative to attain such information, the information is unavailable, the designation 16 17 unknown shall be accepted by the department. If no annulments or 18 dissolutions of marriage were granted in the county during the 19 preceding month, a card furnished by the department indicating such 20 information shall be submitted on or before the fifth day of each 21 month to the department. Upon neglect or refusal to make such

return, such clerk shall, for each neglect or refusal, forfeit and

pay the sum of twenty-five dollars for the use of the county.