

ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2011
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LR29CA

Hearing Date: Monday February 07, 2011
Committee On: Business and Labor
Introducer: Nelson
One Liner: Constitutional amendment to prohibit government from engaging in collective bargaining

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Indefinitely postponed

Vote Results:

Aye:	5	Senators Ashford, Cook, Harr, Lathrop, Wallman
Nay:	1	Senator Smith
Absent:	1	Senator Carlson
Present Not Voting:		

Proponents:

John Nelson
Jim Kreiger
Donald Raskey
Shellie Dawdy
Mark Schorr

Representing:

Introducer
Omaha Chamber, Nebraska Chamber
self
self
Lincoln Chamber of Commerce

Opponents:

Robert Sterken
Walt Radcliffe
Lynn Rex
John Corrigan
Joseph Brown
Larry Scherer

Representing:

NAPE-AFSCME
State Troopers Association of Nebraska
League of Nebraska Municipalities
NE AFL-CIO
ACLU-Nebraska
NSEA

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

Would add a new section to Article XV of the Nebraska Constitution prohibiting the government of the State of Nebraska from engaging in collective bargaining. Defines government of the State of Nebraska as the State, any agency, commission, board, etc., any public institution of higher education, any political subdivision, and any government institution or instrumentality of the State of Nebraska.

Steve Lathrop, Chairperson