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LEGISLATIVE BILL 832

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Committee: Health and Human Services

A BILL

FOR AN ACT relating to the Department of Health and Human Services;

to amend section 81-3114, Reissue Revised Statutes of

Nebraska; to change provisions relating to appointment of

the chief executive officer; and to repeal the original

section.

Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

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1 Section 1. Section 81-3114, Reissue Revised Statutes of

- 2 Nebraska, is amended to read:
- 3 81-3114 The Governor shall appoint the chief executive
- 4 officer of the Department of Health and Human Services who shall have
- 5 recognized and demonstrated knowledge and expertise in the delivery
- 6 of publicly funded health and human services programs and services.
- 7 The appointee shall have demonstrated executive experience in public
- 8 administration or not-for-profit service delivery systems. and
- 9 administrative experience in an executive capacity. The chief
- 10 executive officer shall report to the Governor and serve at the
- 11 pleasure of the Governor. The chief executive officer shall be
- 12 subject to confirmation by a majority vote of the members of the
- 13 Legislature. Not less than one week before the date of the public
- 14 hearing on the proposed appointee for the post of chief executive
- 15 officer, he or she shall report to the Health and Human Services
- 16 Committee of the Legislature on the qualifications he or she
- 17 possesses to meet the requirements of this section. The committee
- 18 report approving recommendation of the appointment shall include
- 19 specifics on the appointee's qualifications to serve as chief
- 20 executive officer.
- 21 Sec. 2. Original section 81-3114, Reissue Revised
- 22 Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.