

ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 506**

Introduced by Sullivan, 41.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine issues surrounding the moratorium on long-term care beds found in section 71-5829.04.

This study shall include, but not be limited to:

(1) A review of the statutory process utilized by the Department of Health and Human Services to determine whether new long-term care beds are needed;

(2) A review of long-term care beds sold or transferred since LB 195 became law in 2009;

(3) A review of long-term care facility closures since LB 195 became law in 2009;

(4) A review of the economic impact of long-term care facility closures or potential closures on communities, families, and the Department of Health and Human Services; and

(5) A review of the issues raised during the public hearing on LB 1002, introduced in 2012.

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

1. That the Health and Human Services 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.