

**FIFTH DAY - JANUARY 11, 2011****LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE  
FIRST SESSION****FIFTH DAY**

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska  
Tuesday, January 11, 2011

**PRAYER**

The prayer was offered by Senator Hansen.

**ROLL CALL**

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 10:00 a.m., President Sheehy presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Lautenbaugh and Pankonin who were excused; and Senators Cornett, Heidemann, and Pirsch who were excused until they arrive.

**CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL**

The Journal for the fourth day was approved.

**REFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT**

The Legislative Council Executive Board submits the following report:

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(Signed) John Wightman, Chairperson  
Executive Board

**NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARINGS**

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(Signed) Tom Carlson, Chairperson

Education

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LB123

(Signed) Greg Adams, Chairperson

**CONFLICT OF INTEREST STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Rule 1, Sec. 19, Senator Schumacher has filed a Potential Conflict of Interest Statement under the Nebraska Political Accountability and Disclosure Act. The statement is on file in the Clerk of the Legislature's Office.

**BILLS ON FIRST READING**

The following bills were read for the first time by title:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 231.** Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-611, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change provisions relating to issuing a bad check; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 232.** Introduced by Christensen, 44.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to self-defense; to amend section 28-1410, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to authorize protection of an unborn child; to define terms; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 233.** Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Legislature; to amend section 32-508, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to state intent; to change the number of members of the Legislature; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 234.** Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public assistance; to amend section 68-130, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to county office and service facilities; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 235.** Introduced by Adams, 24.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act; to amend sections 79-413, 79-1008.02, 79-1009, 79-1015.01, 79-1025, and 79-1029, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 77-3446, 79-1003, 79-1005.01, 79-1007.04, 79-1007.07, 79-1007.09, 79-1007.10, 79-1007.11, 79-1007.16, 79-1007.18, 79-1008.01, 79-1017.01, 79-1023, and 79-1030, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change and eliminate provisions relating to state aid to schools; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal sections 79-1005.02, 79-1007.01, 79-1007.02, 79-1010, 79-1022.02, 79-1026, 79-1028, and 79-1083.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 79-1007.19, 79-1007.24, and 79-1026.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 236.** Introduced by Adams, 24.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act; to amend sections 79-1015.01, 79-1025, and 79-1029, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 77-3446,

79-1003, 79-1005.01, 79-1007.10, 79-1007.11, 79-1007.18, 79-1023, and 79-1030, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change and eliminate provisions relating to state aid to schools; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal sections 79-1022.02, 79-1026, 79-1028, and 79-1083.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 79-1026.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 237.** Introduced by Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to prescription drugs; to state intent; and to provide for creation of a prescription drug monitoring program.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 238.** Introduced by Conrad, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act; to amend sections 48-125, 48-145.01, 48-155, 48-156, 48-170, 48-178, 48-180, 48-182, 48-185, and 48-1,110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate review by a three-judge panel; to authorize modification of awards and orders; to harmonize provisions; to provide operative provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 48-179 and 48-181, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 239.** Introduced by Janssen, 15.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend sections 32-110.02, 32-311.01, 32-321, 32-902, 32-914, 32-938, 32-944, 32-947, 32-953, 32-1027, 60-4,115, and 60-4,181, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 32-915 and 32-1002, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to require presentation of a government-issued photographic identification document to vote; to provide exceptions; to provide for provisional ballots; to change requirements for identification for certain first-time voters; to change provisions for issuance of state identification cards; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 32-318.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 240.** Introduced by Nordquist, 7; Campbell, 25; Cook, 13; Hadley, 37; Mello, 5.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to amend section 81-1178, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to create the Nebraska Insurance Choices Exchange Task Force; to provide powers and duties for the task force; to require a report; to provide a termination date; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 241.** Introduced by Hadley, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; to amend sections 60-126, 60-139, 60-140, 60-142, and 60-344, Reissue Revised Statutes of

Nebraska; to redefine parts vehicle; to require use of a bill of sale for a parts vehicle; to provide a penalty; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 242.** Introduced by Hadley, 37.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 28-309, 28-929, 28-930, 28-931, 28-931.01, 28-932, and 28-933, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change provisions relating to assault, assault on an officer, and offenses by a confined person; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 243.** Introduced by Carlson, 38; Hadley, 37; Hansen, 42; B. Harr, 8; Karpisek, 32; Price, 3; Schilz, 47; Wallman, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to water; to amend section 46-2,140, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change membership provisions relating to the Republican River Basin Water Sustainability Task Force; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 244.** Introduced by Carlson, 38.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to highways; to amend section 39-218, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to allow certain signs along scenic byways as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 245.** Introduced by Carlson, 38; Fulton, 29; Smith, 14.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act; to amend section 48-146.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for release of employee medical records as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 246.** Introduced by Karpisek, 32.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska State Patrol Retirement Act; to amend section 81-2026, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide benefits to a surviving spouse that has remarried; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 247.** Introduced by Pahls, 31.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to schools; to amend section 79-703, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Classrooms First Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 248.** Introduced by Dubas, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to fires; to amend sections 81-520.01, 81-520.03, 81-520.04, and 81-520.05, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to burning permits and range-management burning; to provide for land-management burning; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 249.** Introduced by Karpisek, 32.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Liquor Control Act; to amend sections 53-101 and 53-177, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for a waiver of restrictions on sales of alcoholic liquor near a campus of a college or university; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 250.** Introduced by Transportation and Telecommunications Committee: Fischer, 43, Chairperson; Campbell, 25; Dubas, 34; Hadley, 37; Janssen, 15; Lautenbaugh, 18; Price, 3.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to motor carriers; to amend section 75-303, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to exempt limousine service from regulation; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 251.** Introduced by Council, 11.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to courts; to amend sections 33-103, 33-106, 33-106.02, 33-123, 33-124, 33-125, 33-126.02, 33-126.03, 33-126.04, and 33-126.06, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 25-2804, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change fees; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 252.** Introduced by Cornett, 45; Fischer, 43; Hadley, 37; Larson, 40; Smith, 14.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2703, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to exempt admissions to indoor tanning services from sales and use taxes; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 253.** Introduced by Larson, 40; Cornett, 45.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-6203, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to eliminate provisions relating to a tax credit relative to wind energy generating facilities; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 254.** Introduced by Campbell, 25.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the register of deeds; to amend sections

23-1503.01 and 23-1510, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide and change requirements for instruments to be recorded in the office of the register of deeds; to provide for applicability; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 255.** Introduced by Transportation and Telecommunications Committee: Fischer, 43, Chairperson; Campbell, 25; Dubas, 34; Hadley, 37; Janssen, 15; Lautenbaugh, 18; Louden, 49; Price, 3.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Public Service Commission; to amend sections 74-1313, 75-401, and 75-426, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate certain duties of the Public Service Commission relating to railroads; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 256.** Introduced by Karpisek, 32.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the State Racing Commission; to amend section 2-1201, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change terms of certain members; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 257.** Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Telecommunications Regulation Act; to amend section 86-143, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to remove a filing requirement for telecommunications companies as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 258.** Introduced by Krist, 10.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to land surveying; to amend sections 23-1901, 23-1908, 23-1911, 25-223, 39-1311.02, 81-8,108, 81-8,109, 81-8,110.01, 81-8,118, 81-8,119.01, 81-8,120, 81-8,122.01, 81-8,123, 81-8,126, and 81-8,127, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 81-8,110.07, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to provide that the entry of a surveyor onto any land is not criminal trespass; to provide duties for land surveyors and for damages as prescribed; to provide for limitations on actions; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 259.** Introduced by Fischer, 43.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to railroads; to amend sections 37-914 and 74-1427, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate the Nebraska Railway Council, the Light-Density Rail Line Assistance Act, and funds; to provide duties for the Department of Roads; to change provisions relating to the use of local tax funds for light-density rail lines as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal



sections 74-1401, 74-1402, 74-1402.01, 74-1403, 74-1404, 74-1405, 74-1405.01, 74-1405.02, 74-1405.03, 74-1406, 74-1407.01, 74-1408, 74-1410, 74-1410.01, 74-1411, 74-1411.01, 74-1412, 74-1412.01, 74-1413, 74-1414, 74-1415, 74-1415.01, 74-1415.03, 74-1415.04, 74-1415.05, 74-1415.06, 74-1419.02, 74-1420, 74-1420.01, 74-1420.02, 74-1420.03, 74-1428.01, 74-1428.02, 74-1428.03, and 74-1429, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 260.** Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to sports-related injuries; to adopt the Concussion Awareness Act; and to provide an operative date.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 261.** Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Employment Security Law; to amend section 48-604, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide a direct seller exemption; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 262.** Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to labor; to amend sections 44-3,158 and 48-144.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate certain health and safety regulations, penalties, a program, a fund, and a committee; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 48-401, 48-402, 48-403, 48-404, 48-405, 48-406, 48-407, 48-408, 48-409, 48-410, 48-411, 48-412, 48-413, 48-414, 48-415, 48-416, 48-417, 48-419, 48-420, 48-421, 48-422, 48-423, 48-424, 48-425, 48-426, 48-427, 48-428, 48-429, 48-430, 48-431, 48-432, 48-433, 48-434, 48-435, 48-436, 48-437, 48-438, 48-439, 48-440, 48-441, 48-442, 48-443, 48-444, 48-445, and 48-446, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 263.** Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to labor; to eliminate the Nebraska Worker Training Board; and to outright repeal section 48-622.03, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 264.** Introduced by Heidemann, 1.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state government; to amend sections 30-241, 81-176, and 81-1108.33, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 12-1301, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to provide requirements for certain acquisitions of real property, structures, or improvements; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 265.** Introduced by Coash, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to family support; to amend section

81-3120, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to department petty cash funds; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 266.** Introduced by Sullivan, 41; Brasch, 16.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Open Meetings Act; to amend section 84-1410, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to closed sessions; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 267.** Introduced by Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public assistance; to amend section 68-1017.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Benefits; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 268.** Introduced by Howard, 9.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to banking and finance; to amend section 8-101.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to require return to the payee of insufficient funds checks, drafts, assignments of funds, and similar signed orders as prescribed; to provide powers and duties for the Department of Banking and Finance; to provide for a civil penalty; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 269.** Introduced by Conrad, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Delayed Deposit Services Licensing Act; to amend sections 45-901, 45-910, and 45-927, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to fees and the distribution of fees; to create a fund; to provide powers and duties for the Director of Banking and Finance; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 270.** Introduced by Executive Board; Wightman, 36, Chairperson; Christensen, 44; Fischer, 43; Flood, 19; Heidemann, 1; Karpisek, 32; Langemeier, 23; Nelson, 6; Pahls, 31.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Public Counsel; to amend sections 81-8,240 and 81-8,244, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to eliminate duties and positions relating to county or municipal correctional and jail facilities, mental health and veterans institutions, regional behavioral health authorities, and community-based behavioral health services providers; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 271.** Introduced by Executive Board; Wightman, 36, Chairperson; Christensen, 44; Fischer, 43; Flood, 19; Heidemann, 1; Karpisek, 32; Langemeier, 23; Pahls, 31.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Legislature; to amend sections 50-401.01, 50-1206, and 50-1304, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 71-465, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to eliminate the office of Legislative Research and the position of Director of Research; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal section 50-416, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 272.** Introduced by Fulton, 29.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act; to amend section 48-1,110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for confidentiality and limited access to first-injury reports; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 273.** Introduced by Dubas, 34.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act; to amend section 79-1009, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 79-1001, 79-1003, and 79-1018.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to define and redefine terms; to change provisions relating to net option students; to provide for converted contracts and converted contract option students; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 274.** Introduced by Gloor, 35; Bloomfield, 17; Campbell, 25; Dubas, 34; Fulton, 29; Hadley, 37; Krist, 10; Schumacher, 22; Wallman, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to dispensed drugs and devices; to amend sections 71-2421 and 71-2453, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to return of dispensed drugs and devices; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 275.** Introduced by Fulton, 29; Avery, 28; Coash, 27; K. Haar, 21; McGill, 26; Wallman, 30.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend section 28-912, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to escape; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 276.** Introduced by Council, 11; Conrad, 46.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; to amend sections 23-3406, 24-1106, 25-1140.09, 28-104, 28-105, 28-303, 29-1602, 29-1603, 29-1822, 29-2004, 29-2005, 29-2006, 29-2020, 29-2027, 29-2204, 29-2261, 29-2282, 29-2407, 29-2801, 29-3205, 29-3920, 29-3928, 29-3929, 29-3930, 55-480, and 83-1,110.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 29-3922 and 83-4,143, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010; to change a penalty from death to life imprisonment without

possibility of parole and change other penalties as prescribed; to eliminate capital punishment and obsolete provisions; to provide for retroactive applicability of a penalty change; to change provisions relating to restitution; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to outright repeal sections 24-1105, 28-105.01, 29-2519, 29-2520, 29-2521, 29-2521.01, 29-2521.02, 29-2521.03, 29-2521.04, 29-2521.05, 29-2522, 29-2523, 29-2524, 29-2524.01, 29-2524.02, 29-2525, 29-2527, 29-2528, 29-2811, 83-1,105.01, and 83-1,132, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 29-2537, 29-2538, 29-2539, 29-2540, 29-2541, 29-2542, 29-2543, 29-2546, 83-964, 83-965, 83-966, 83-967, 83-968, 83-969, 83-970, 83-971, and 83-972, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2010.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 277.** Introduced by Coash, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to counties; to amend section 81-1255, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide for the advice of a visitors committee to the governing body of a county; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 278.** Introduced by Coash, 27.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to counties; to amend section 23-1114, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to authorize county officer and employee salary and reimbursable expenses payments to be made by electronic funds transfer or direct deposit as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 279.** Introduced by Karpisek, 32.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Liquor Control Act; to amend section 53-169.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions regarding an interest in licensed wholesalers; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 280.** Introduced by Lathrop, 12.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to insurance; to amend section 44-1525, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to adopt the Discretionary Clause Prohibition Act; to create an unfair trade practice in the business of insurance; to harmonize provisions; to provide severability; and to repeal the original section.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 281.** Introduced by Karpisek, 32.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Rules of the Road; to amend sections 53-186, 53-186.01, and 60-6,211.08, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions relating to consumption of alcoholic beverages and open containers as prescribed; to define a term; to

harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

## RESOLUTION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 20.** Introduced by Dubas, 34.

WHEREAS, trap shooting is one of the three major forms of competitive clay pigeon shooting and is growing in popularity throughout the United States and Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, trap shooting games were originally meant for hunters to develop their skills, but have obtained international recognition and are encouraged by sports associations; and

WHEREAS, trap shooting is considered to be an exciting and challenging sport where many people, young and old, male and female, of all abilities, compete in trap shooting events; and

WHEREAS, trap shooting has been a sport since at least 1793, when real birds were used. Clay targets were introduced in the 1880s; and

WHEREAS, Olympic trap is one of the International Shooting Sport Federation shooting events, introduced to the Olympic program in 1900. The current version of the sport was introduced in 1950; and

WHEREAS, the Game and Parks Commission sponsors the annual Cornhusker Trapshoot, which is the largest youth trap shoot in the United States; and

WHEREAS, trap shooting competitions promote tourism in Nebraska by bringing in participants and their families from around the country to stay in motels, eat in restaurants, shop in retail stores, and purchase products from vendors at events; and

WHEREAS, a great deal of coordination and discipline is needed for trap shooting. Trap shooting tests a player's skills in marksmanship and strategy and improves confidence of youth who may not possess the physical attributes to compete in other competitive sports offered at their schools; and

WHEREAS, the goal of any program of youth trap shooting should be to provide instruction and promote gun safety, personal responsibility, and sportsmanship among primary and secondary students; and

WHEREAS, many state organizations award scholarships to college-bound trap shooters based on citizenship, scholarship, and need. Many youth trap shooters are now attending college with the help of those scholarships; and

WHEREAS, our youth should have the opportunity and be encouraged to participate in trap shooting in the same manner as other youth extracurricular activities, including football, baseball, softball, basketball, track, scouting, or band; and

WHEREAS, the school boards of every Nebraska school district are encouraged to promote and include trap shooting as a high school sport.

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

1. That the Legislature hereby encourages the school boards of every school district in the State of Nebraska, in conjunction with the Game and

Parks Commission, to voluntarily promote and include trap shooting as a high school sport for the youth of our state.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Commissioner of Education, the Game and Parks Commission, the Nebraska School Activities Association, and the Cornhusker Trapshoot.

Laid over.

### **SPEAKER'S ANNOUNCEMENT**

Pursuant to Rule 4, Section 8, LR20 was referred to the Reference Committee.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Business and Labor Committee elected Senator Cook as Vice Chairperson.

The Urban Affairs Committee elected Senator Coash as Vice Chairperson.

### **NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARINGS**

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(Signed) Deb Fischer, Chairperson

Judiciary

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(Signed) Brad Ashford, Chairperson

Health and Human Services

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(Signed) Kathy Campbell, Chairperson

Urban Affairs

Room 1510

Tuesday, January 18, 2011 1:30 p.m.

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(Signed) Amanda McGill, Chairperson

**VISITOR**

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Christi Keim from Lincoln.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 11:28 a.m., on a motion by Senator Coash, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, January 12, 2011.

Patrick J. O'Donnell  
Clerk of the Legislature