

**FIFTY-FIRST DAY - MARCH 27, 2014****LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL****ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE  
SECOND SESSION****FIFTY-FIRST DAY**

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska  
Thursday, March 27, 2014

**PRAYER**

The prayer was offered by Pastor Ken Hutson, United Church of Sumner, Sumner.

**ROLL CALL**

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., Speaker Adams presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Davis and Harms who were excused; and Senators Avery, Christensen, Coash, Hansen, and Lautenbaugh who were excused until they arrive.

**CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL**

The Journal for the fiftieth day was approved.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Enrollment and Review

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 916.** Placed on Select File with amendment.  
ER214

- 1 1. In the Standing Committee amendments, AM1916:
- 2 a. Insert the following new section:
- 3 Sec. 2. Section 38-2301, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 4 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:
- 5 38-2301 Sections 38-2301 to 38-2324 and section 4 of this
- 6 act shall be known and may be cited as the Nurse Practitioner
- 7 Practice Act.
- 8 b. On page 2, line 11, strike "3" and insert "4";
- 9 c. On page 7, line 27, after the third comma insert
- 10 "section 38-2301, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012,";
- 11 and
- 12 d. Renumber the remaining sections accordingly.
- 13 2. On page 1, strike beginning with "and" in line
- 14 1 through line 9 and insert ", 38-2302, 38-2310, 38-2322, and

15 38-2323, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, section 38-2301,  
 16 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 38-2315,  
 17 Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to eliminate requirements  
 18 for integrated practice agreements for nurse practitioners; to  
 19 provide for transition-to-practice agreements; to change provisions  
 20 relating to credentialing and regulation; to harmonize provisions;  
 21 and to repeal the original sections."

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 276.** Placed on Select File with amendment.

ER215

1 1. In the Nordquist amendment, AM2554:  
 2 a. On page 1, line 17, after "plan" insert "amendment";  
 3 b. On page 2, line 5, after "system" insert an  
 4 underscored comma;  
 5 c. On page 4, line 3, strike "subsection" and insert  
 6 "subdivision";  
 7 d. On page 9, line 4, after "Act" insert an underscored  
 8 comma; and  
 9 e. On page 10, line 5, strike "section" and insert  
 10 "sections".  
 11 2. On page 1, strike beginning with "43-2515" in  
 12 line 1 through line 7 and insert "43-2511, 43-2513, 43-2515,  
 13 79-1119, 79-1145, 79-1158, and 79-1160, Reissue Revised Statutes  
 14 of Nebraska, section 79-1018.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative  
 15 Supplement, 2012, and section 68-911, Revised Statutes Supplement,  
 16 2013; to change provisions relating to the statewide billing  
 17 system and funding for services under the Early Intervention  
 18 Act; to provide for a state plan amendment under the Medical  
 19 Assistance Act for certain services provided by school districts;  
 20 to change local system formula resources under the Tax Equity and  
 21 Educational Opportunities Support Act; to change the amount of  
 22 appropriations for and requirements from reimbursement under the  
 23 Special Education Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the  
 1 original sections."

(Signed) John Murante, Chairperson

#### **REPORT OF REGISTERED LOBBYISTS**

Following is a list of all lobbyists who have registered as of March 26, 2014,  
 in accordance with Section 49-1481, Revised Statutes of Nebraska.  
 Additional lobbyists who have registered will be filed weekly.

(Signed) Patrick J. O'Donnell  
 Clerk of the Legislature

Kevin Johnson  
 AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals  
 Steven Robino  
 Coventry Health Care, an Aetna Company

**REPORTS**

Agency reports electronically filed with the Legislature can be found on the Nebraska Legislature's website at:  
<http://www.nebraskalegislature.gov/agencies/view.php>

**GENERAL FILE**

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 923A.** Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 27 ayes, 0 nays, 13 present and not voting, and 9 excused and not voting.

**BILLS ON FINAL READING**

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 96.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2708.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 77-2701 and 77-2701.04, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to exempt repair or replacement parts for commercial agricultural machinery and equipment from sales and use tax; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 40:

Adams	Christensen	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Howard	McGill	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Johnson	Mello	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Karpisek	Murante	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Kintner	Nelson	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Krist	Nordquist	Wallman
Campbell	Haar, K.	Larson	Pirsch	Watermeier
Carlson	Hadley	Lathrop	Scheer	Wightman

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 2:

Gloor            Kolowski

Excused and not voting, 7:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Coash	Hansen	Janssen	

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

### Dispense With Reading at Large

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB986 with 37 ayes, 2 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

### LEGISLATIVE BILL 986. With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-3507, 77-3508, 77-3509, and 77-3513, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change homestead exemption income limitations; to provide a homestead exemption for individuals with a developmental disability; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Davis	Janssen
Coash	Harms	Lautenbaugh

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 986A.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 986, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?'"

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Davis	Janssen
Coash	Harms	Lautenbaugh

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

**Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB987 with 34 ayes, 2 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 987.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-2715.03, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 77-2716, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to adjust individual income tax brackets for inflation; to exempt social security benefits and military retirement benefits from state income taxation as prescribed; and to repeal

the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bills were read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 987A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 987, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schumacher
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Seiler
Avery	Cook	Howard	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Scheer	
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

McGill

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 725.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act; to amend sections 79-1007.20 and 79-1015.01, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change provisions relating to a student growth adjustment correction and local effort rate yield; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 725A.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to

aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 725, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

#### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB359 with 38 ayes, 1 nay, 5 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

#### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 359.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to social services; to amend sections 68-1713 and 68-1726, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, section 43-512, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 68-1206, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to exclude certain income and assets as prescribed from determination of income, resources, or need for certain public assistance; to change provisions relating to eligibility redetermination for a child care subsidy as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "



Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bills were read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 359A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 359, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Christensen

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 402.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to community-based energy development projects; to amend sections 70-1904 and 70-1909, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 70-1903 and 77-2704.57, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to define, redefine, and eliminate terms; to change provisions relating to community-based energy development projects, power purchase agreements, eminent domain, and sales and use tax exemptions; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Bloomfield

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 560.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Wage Payment and Collection Act; to amend sections 48-1228, 48-1230, and 48-1231, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to provide powers and duties for the Commissioner of Labor; to provide for enforcement of the Nebraska Wage Payment and Collection Act; to change requirements for employers to provide wage statements as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 42:

Adams	Coash	Harr, B.	McGill	Seiler
Ashford	Conrad	Howard	Mello	Smith
Avery	Cook	Johnson	Murante	Sullivan
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Nelson	Wallman
Bolz	Garrett	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Brasch	Gloor	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Campbell	Haar, K.	Larson	Scheer	
Carlson	Hadley	Lathrop	Schilz	
Christensen	Hansen	McCoy	Schumacher	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 2:

Crawford      Kintner

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis      Harms      Janssen      Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 560A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 560, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 660.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to children and families; to amend section 68-1212, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change provisions relating to a pilot project; to provide for extension of a contract as prescribed; to provide for an evaluation; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Cook	Howard	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hadley	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Kintner

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 660A.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 660, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Christensen

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

**Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB661 with 35 ayes, 1 nay, 8 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 661.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend sections 32-204, 32-308, 32-309, 32-311, 32-312.05, 32-315, 32-321, 32-323, 32-325, 32-902, and 60-484.02, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 32-312, 32-915, and 32-1002, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 32-101 and 60-484, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to provide for voter registration on the Secretary of State's web site; to provide for electronic transmission of certain voter registration applications; to provide for use of records of the Department of Motor Vehicles for purposes of voter registration; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 661A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 661, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 42:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Cook	Howard	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Scheer	
Christensen	Hadley	Lathrop	Schilz	
Coash	Hansen	McCoy	Schumacher	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 2:

Ashford      Larson

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis      Harms      Janssen      Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB814 with 37 ayes, 3 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 814.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to law; to amend sections 60-103, 60-305, and 77-2701.35, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 37-201, 77-2703, 77-2708, and 77-27,132, Revised Statutes Cumulative

Supplement, 2012, and sections 60-135.01, 60-358.01, and 60-6,355, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to create a fund; to redefine all-terrain vehicle and utility-type vehicle for the Motor Vehicle Certificate of Title Act, the Motor Vehicle Registration Act, and the Nebraska Rules of the Road; to redefine sales price; to change sales and use tax provisions relating to all-terrain vehicles and utility-type vehicles; to change duties of sellers and the distribution of sales and use tax revenue; to provide funding for infrastructure administered by the Game and Parks Commission; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 1:

Bloomfield

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 814A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 814, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 42:



Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McGill	Seiler
Ashford	Cook	Howard	Mello	Smith
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hadley	Lathrop	Schilz	
Coash	Hansen	McCoy	Schumacher	

Voting in the negative, 1:

Bloomfield

Present and not voting, 1:

Kintner

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

#### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB853 with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

#### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 853.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to children and families; to amend sections 28-713, 28-719, 28-720.01, 28-721, 28-722, 28-723, 28-724, 28-725, 43-146.17, 43-284.02, 43-2932, 43-3709, 71-6039.01, 71-6039.05, and 71-6502, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 28-713.01, 28-718, 28-720, 28-728, and 43-107, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 28-710, 28-726, 28-801, 43-247, 43-285, 43-905, 43-1311.03, 43-4318, 43-4331, 43-4501, 43-4502, 43-4503, 43-4504, 43-4505, 43-4506, 43-4507, 43-4508, 43-4509, 43-4510, 43-4511, 43-4512, 43-4513, 43-4514, 71-3405, and 81-3136, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to rename the Child Protection Act; to provide for alternative response to a report of child abuse or neglect; to define terms; to state intent; to provide for demonstration projects and expansion; to provide duties for the Department of Health and Human Services and the Inspector General; to

change terminology regarding the central register of child abuse and neglect; to eliminate obsolete provisions; to change and rename the Young Adult Voluntary Services and Support Act; to rename an advisory committee; to require training for case managers as prescribed; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 42:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Seiler
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Smith
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Schilz	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schumacher	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 2:

Bloomfield    Scheer

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers    Davis    Harms    Janssen    Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bills were read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 853A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 853, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Bloomfield

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

#### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 901.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to amend section 71-830, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to provide for psychology internships as prescribed; to change duties of the Behavioral Health Education Center; to eliminate obsolete provisions; to adopt the Nebraska Mental Health First Aid Training Act; and to repeal the original section.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Cook	Howard	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Scheer	
Christensen	Hadley	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Larson

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 901A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 901, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Christensen

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB920 with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 920.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to guardianship and conservatorship; to amend sections 30-2601.01, 30-2627, and 30-2639, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 30-2201, 30-2626, 30-2630.01, and 30-2640, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 30-2601, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to adopt the Public Guardianship Act; to harmonize provisions; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 920A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 920, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

#### **MOTION - Return LB967 to Select File**

Senator Kolowski moved to return LB967 to Select File for the following specific amendment:

FA285

Strike the enacting clause.

Senator Kolowski withdrew his motion to return.

#### **BILLS ON FINAL READING**

##### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB967 with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 2 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 967.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to amend sections 1-116, 79-526, 79-535, 79-1101, 79-1102, and 79-1337, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 72-201, 79-319, 79-759, 79-8,133, 79-8,137.01,

79-8,137.05, 79-1011, 79-1012, and 85-2407, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 9-812, 79-1003, 79-1007.11, 79-1007.23, 79-1007.25, 79-1017.01, 79-1028.01, 79-1118.01, 79-2306, 85-1603, 85-1604, and 85-2405, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change provisions relating to accountant licensing examination accreditation, education funding, compensation of members of the Board of Educational Lands and Funds, powers and duties of school boards, boards of education, the State Board of Education, the State Department of Education, and the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education, the Attracting Excellence to Teaching Program, the Enhancing Excellence in Teaching Program, the Tax Equity and Educational Opportunities Support Act, and early childhood education programs; to provide for appointment of a student achievement coordinator; to redefine disability relating to special education; to change provisions relating to distance education program incentives and regulation; to change provisions relating to the Private Postsecondary Career School Act; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 967A.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend Laws 2013, LB195, section 48; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions

of Legislative Bill 967, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

#### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB974 with 38 ayes, 2 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

#### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 974.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to state government; to amend sections 77-2215, 79-1145, 81-153, 81-181, 81-1111.01, and 81-3110, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, sections 73-507, 81-132, 81-1018, 81-1113, and 81-1125.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and section 81-3133, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to provide an exception to certain requirements for contracts for services; to change and eliminate provisions for duplicate warrants; to change limitations on the appropriation of General Funds for special education; to eliminate obsolete provisions regarding budget forms; to change a duty for the materiel division of the Department of Administrative Services; to change report requirements under the Deferred Building Renewal Act; to change



provisions relating to state-owned vehicles; to provide and change reporting requirements for the Department of Health and Human Services; to change provisions relating to agency preaudits; to change powers and duties of the Department of Administrative Services; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

The following bills were read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 974A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 974, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Adams

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

#### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 1114.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to economic development; to amend section 13-208, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 81-12,154 and 81-12,167, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to change funding for certain tax credits; to state intent relating to funding; to change the termination date of the Business Innovation Act; to create a fund and provide for its use; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1114A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 1114, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Bolz

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers      Davis              Harms              Janssen              Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**SENATOR COASH PRESIDING**

**MOTION - Return LB438 to Select File**

Senator Adams moved to return LB438 to Select File for his specific amendment, AM2624, found on page 1121.

The Adams motion to return prevailed with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 2 present and

not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

**SELECT FILE**

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 438.** The Adams specific amendment, AM2624, found on page 1121, was adopted with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 2 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Reengrossment.

**MOTION - Return LB438A to Select File**

Senator Adams moved to return LB438A to Select File for his specific amendment, AM2625, found on page 1122.

The Adams motion to return prevailed with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

**SELECT FILE**

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 438A.** The Adams specific amendment, AM2625, found on page 1122, was adopted with 41 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 5 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Reengrossment.

**SPEAKER ADAMS PRESIDING**

**BILLS ON FINAL READING**

The following bill was read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 251.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend section 77-4501, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change a fee relating to the rental of motor vehicles; to provide an operative date; and to repeal the original section.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Davis	Janssen
Coash	Harms	Lautenbaugh

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB699 with 39 ayes, 2 nays, 2 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 699. With Emergency Clause.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to regulated activities; to amend sections 37-404 and 37-414, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and sections 37-201, 37-413, and 69-2409.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to authorize hunting permits as prescribed for persons who have a developmental disability; to authorize license-purchase exemption certificates; to change provisions relating to mandatory firearm hunter education programs and bow hunter education programs; to change provisions relating to firearm, air gun, bow and arrow, and crossbow hunting; to require reports from the Nebraska State Patrol and the Department of Health and Human Services regarding the agencies' records of persons unable to purchase or possess firearms because of disqualification or disability; to eliminate certain firearms provisions; to harmonize provisions; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal section 28-1211, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Avery	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bloomfield	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Bolz	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Brasch	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Davis	Janssen
Coash	Harms	Lautenbaugh

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

#### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB751 with 36 ayes, 2 nays, 5 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

#### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 751.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to corporations; to amend section 84-511, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to adopt the Nebraska Benefit Corporation Act; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original section.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 44:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Seiler
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Smith
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Sullivan
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Wallman
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 5:

Chambers	Davis	Harms	Janssen	Lautenbaugh
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A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bills were read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 751A.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 751, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Davis	Janssen	Seiler

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 836.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to revenue and taxation; to amend sections 77-27,187, 77-5702, and 77-5801, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, and section 77-6301, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to provide and change provisions relating to legislative findings for the state's tax incentive programs; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 42:

Adams	Coash	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Ashford	Conrad	Howard	McGill	Smith
Avery	Cook	Johnson	Mello	Sullivan
Bloomfield	Crawford	Karpisek	Murante	Wallman
Bolz	Dubas	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Brasch	Garrett	Kolowski	Nordquist	Wightman
Campbell	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	
Carlson	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	
Christensen	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Present and not voting, 1:

Gloor

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Davis	Janssen	Seiler

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

**MOTION - Suspend Rules**

Senator Mello offered his motion, MO155, found on page 1170, to suspend the rules, Rule 7, Sec. 3(d) to permit consideration of AM2563 to LB863.

The Mello motion to suspend the rules prevailed with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.



**MOTION - Return LB863 to Select File**

Senator Mello moved to return LB863 to Select File for his specific amendment, AM2563, found on page 1043.

The Mello motion to return prevailed with 39 ayes, 0 nays, 4 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

**SELECT FILE**

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 863.** The Mello specific amendment, AM2563, found on page 1043, was adopted with 43 ayes, 0 nays, and 6 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Reengrossment.

**BILLS ON FINAL READING****Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB946 with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 5 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 946.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to elections; to amend sections 10-703.01, 23-1901.01, 32-209, 32-210, 32-405, 32-525, 32-542, 32-543, 32-567, 32-608, 32-713, 32-714, 32-949.01, 32-953, 32-956, 32-957, 32-1202, 79-406, 79-443, 79-451, 79-4,123, 79-547, 79-549, 79-550, and 79-10,111, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, section 32-616, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012, and sections 32-101, 49-1413, 49-1415, 49-1433.01, 49-1445, 49-1455, 49-1456, 49-1457, 49-1461.01, 49-1463.01, 49-1467, 49-1469, 49-1477, 49-1479.02, 49-1488.01, and 79-4,129, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change provisions relating to bond elections, county surveyor elections, school board elections, administration and conduct of elections, vacancies, presidential electors, and threshold amounts under the Nebraska Political Accountability and Disclosure Act; to provide an operative date; to provide severability; and to repeal the original sections.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Davis	Janssen	Seiler

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

### **Dispense With Reading at Large**

Pursuant to Rule 6, Section 8, the Legislature approved the dispensing of the reading at large of LB1001 with 38 ayes, 2 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

The following bill was put upon final passage:

### **LEGISLATIVE BILL 1001.**

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to industrial hemp; to amend section 28-401, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to permit growth and cultivation of industrial hemp by a postsecondary institution or the Department of Agriculture as prescribed; to exempt industrial hemp from the Uniform Controlled Substances Act as prescribed; to provide powers and duties for the Department of Agriculture; and to repeal the original section.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 39:

Adams	Coash	Hadley	Larson	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Hansen	Lathrop	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Harr, B.	McGill	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Howard	Mello	Sullivan
Brasch	Dubas	Johnson	Murante	Wallman
Campbell	Garrett	Kintner	Nordquist	Watermeier
Carlson	Gloor	Kolowski	Pirsch	Wightman
Christensen	Haar, K.	Krist	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 2:

Karpisek      McCoy

Present and not voting, 2:

Bolz              Nelson

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Davis	Janssen	Seiler

A constitutional majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed and the title agreed to.

The following bills were read and put upon final passage:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1012.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Community Development Law; to amend section 18-2103, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2013; to change provisions relating to blighted areas; to repeal the original section; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Davis	Janssen	Seiler

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1103.** With Emergency Clause.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to education; to state findings and intent; to provide for a strategic planning process; to provide duties for the Education Committee of the Legislature; and to declare an emergency.

Whereupon the President stated: "All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, 'Shall the bill pass with the emergency clause attached?' "

Voting in the affirmative, 43:

Adams	Coash	Hansen	Lathrop	Schilz
Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	McCoy	Schumacher
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	Smith
Bloomfield	Crawford	Johnson	Mello	Sullivan
Bolz	Dubas	Karpisek	Murante	Wallman
Brasch	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Campbell	Gloor	Kolowski	Nordquist	Wightman
Carlson	Haar, K.	Krist	Pirsch	
Christensen	Hadley	Larson	Scheer	

Voting in the negative, 0.

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Lautenbaugh
Davis	Janssen	Seiler

A constitutional two-thirds majority having voted in the affirmative, the bill was declared passed with the emergency clause and the title agreed to.

**SPEAKER SIGNED**

While the Legislature was in session and capable of transacting business, the Speaker signed the following: LBs 96, 986, 986A, 987, 987A, 725, 725A, 359, 359A, 402, 560, 560A, 660, 660A, 661, 661A, 814, 814A, 853, 853A, 901, 901A, 920, 920A, 967, 967A, 974, 974A, 1114, 1114A, 251, 699, 751, 751A, 836, 946, 1001, 1012, and 1103.

**SENATOR COASH PRESIDING****SELECT FILE**

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 717.** ER191, found on page 1077, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1048.** ER189, found on page 1078, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 759.** ER192, found on page 1078, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 674.** ER188, found on page 1079, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 364.** ER193, found on page 1105, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 679.** ER194, found on page 1105, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 802.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 803.** ER197, found on page 1106, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 687.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 687A.** ER195, found on page 1117, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 712.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 714.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 739.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 757.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 758.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 777.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 766.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 806.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 859.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 781.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 753.** ER196, found on page 1140, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 774.** ER198, found on page 1140, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 698.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 736.** ER201, found on page 1140, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 702.** ER203, found on page 1141, was adopted.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 697.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 683.** Advanced to Enrollment and Review for Engrossment.

#### GENERAL FILE

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 565.** Title read. Considered.

Committee AM810, found on page 875, First Session, 2013, was offered.

Senator Karpisek offered his amendment, AM2553, found on page 1178, to the committee amendment.

Senator Karpisek moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 27 ayes, 0 nays, and 22 not voting.

Senator Karpisek requested a roll call vote on his amendment.

Voting in the affirmative, 21:

Ashford	Conrad	Harr, B.	Lathrop	Wallman
Avery	Cook	Howard	McGill	
Bolz	Crawford	Karpisek	Mello	
Campbell	Dubas	Kolowski	Schumacher	
Coash	Haar, K.	Krist	Seiler	

Voting in the negative, 18:

Adams	Gloor	Kintner	Nelson	Watermeier
Brasch	Hadley	Lautenbaugh	Pirsch	Wightman
Carlson	Hansen	McCoy	Schilz	
Garrett	Johnson	Murante	Smith	

Present and not voting, 3:

Bloomfield	Christensen	Larson
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Excused and not voting, 7:

Chambers	Harms	Nordquist	Sullivan
Davis	Janssen	Scheer	

The Karpisek amendment lost with 21 ayes, 18 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.

### SENATOR KRIST PRESIDING

Senator B. Harr offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

FA286

Amend AM810

Page 2, line 20 add "homeless," prior to elderly.

Senator B. Harr moved for a call of the house. The motion prevailed with 24 ayes, 0 nays, and 25 not voting.

Senator B. Harr requested a roll call vote on his amendment.

Voting in the affirmative, 11:

Bolz	Haar, K.	Kolowski	McGill
Conrad	Harr, B.	Krist	Wallman
Cook	Howard	Lathrop	

Voting in the negative, 24:

Adams	Coash	Karpisek	Murante	Seiler
Avery	Garrett	Kintner	Nelson	Smith
Bloomfield	Hadley	Larson	Pirsch	Watermeier
Brasch	Hansen	Lautenbaugh	Scheer	Wightman
Christensen	Johnson	McCoy	Schilz	

Present and not voting, 8:

Ashford	Carlson	Dubas	Schumacher
Campbell	Crawford	Gloor	Sullivan

Excused and not voting, 6:

Chambers	Harms	Mello
Davis	Janssen	Nordquist

The B. Harr amendment lost with 11 ayes, 24 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 6 excused and not voting.

The Chair declared the call raised.



Senator B. Harr offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

FA287

Amend AM810

Page 1, line 2 add "any" at the beginning of the sentence.

Pending.

**CORRECTED NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING**

Health and Human Services

Room 1510

Thursday, April 3, 2014 ~~12:00 p.m.~~ 8:30 a.m.

Martin Fattig - Nebraska Rural Health Advisory Commission

Richard Lee Robinson - State Board of Health

Joshua M. Vest - State Board of Health

(Signed) Kathy Campbell, Chairperson

**BILL ON FIRST READING**

The following bill was read for the first time by title:

**LEGISLATIVE BILL 999A.** Introduced by Ashford, 20.

A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to appropriations; to amend Laws 2013, LB198, section 11; to appropriate funds to aid in carrying out the provisions of Legislative Bill 999, One Hundred Third Legislature, Second Session, 2014; and to repeal the original section.

**PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR**

Presented to the Governor on March 27, 2014, at 12:01 p.m. were the following: LBs 96, 986e, 986Ae, 987, 987A, 725e, 725Ae, 359, 359A, 402, 560, 560A, 660e, 660Ae, 661, 661A, 814, 814A, 853, 853A, 901, 901A, 920, 920A, 967e, 967Ae, 974e, 974A, 1114, 1114A, 251, 699e, 751, 751A, 836, 946, 1001, 1012e, and 1103e.

(Signed) Jamie Kruse  
Clerk of the Legislature's Office

**AMENDMENTS - Print in Journal**

Senator Smith filed the following amendment to LB965:  
AM2655

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM2045)

- 1 1. Strike the original amendments and all amendments
- 2 thereto and insert the following new amendments:
- 3 1. Strike section 2.
- 4 2. On page 2, strike beginning with "and" in line 5
- 5 through "possible," in line 6; and strike beginning with "Cost" in
- 6 line 14 through line 24.
- 7 3. On page 3, strike lines 15 through 17.
- 8 4. On page 4, strike beginning with "and" in line 23
- 9 through "possible," in line 24.
- 10 5. On page 5, strike beginning with "Cost" in line 3
- 11 through line 16; and in line 18 strike "sections 70-1001 and
- 12 70-1014" and insert "section 70-1001".
- 13 6. Renumber the sections accordingly.

Senator Ashford filed the following amendment to LB907A:  
AM2660

- 1 1. Insert the following new section:
- 2 Sec. 7. Since an emergency exists, this act takes effect
- 3 when passed and approved according to law.

Senator Krist filed the following amendment to LB464:  
AM2652

(Amendments to Final Reading copy)

- 1 1. Strike sections 10, 23, and 33 and insert the
- 2 following sections:
- 3 Sec. 10. Section 43-247.01, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 4 Nebraska, is amended to read:
- 5 ~~43-247.01 (1) Pending the adjudication of any case,~~
- 6 In any juvenile case, the court may provide the parties the
- 7 opportunity to address issues involving the child's care and
- 8 placement, services to the family, restorative justice, and
- 9 other concerns through facilitated conferencing or mediation.
- 10 Facilitated conferencing may include, but is not limited to,
- 11 prehearing conferences, and family group conferences, expedited
- 12 family group conferences, child welfare mediation, permanency
- 13 prehearing conferences, termination of parental rights prehearing
- 14 conferences, and juvenile victim-offender dialogue. Funding and
- 15 management for such services will be part of the office of the
- 16 State Court Administrator. All discussions taking place during
- 17 such facilitated conferences, including plea negotiations, shall
- 18 be considered confidential and privileged communications, except
- 19 communications required by mandatory reporting under section 28-711
- 20 for new allegations of child abuse or neglect which were not
- 21 previously known or reported.

22 (2) For purposes of this section:

1 (a) Expedited family group conference means an expedited  
 2 and limited-scope facilitated planning meeting which engages  
 3 a child's or juvenile's parents, the child or juvenile when  
 4 appropriate, other critical family members, services providers,  
 5 and staff members from either the Department of Health and Human  
 6 Services or the Office of Probation Administration to address  
 7 immediate placement issues for the child or juvenile;

8 (b) Family group conference means a facilitated meeting  
 9 involving a child's or juvenile's family, the child or juvenile  
 10 when appropriate, available extended family members from across the  
 11 United States, other significant and close persons to the family,  
 12 service providers, and staff members from either the Department of  
 13 Health and Human Services or the Office of Probation Administration  
 14 to develop a family-centered plan for the best interests of the  
 15 child and to address the essential issues of safety, permanency,  
 16 and well-being of the child;

17 (c) Juvenile victim-offender dialogue means a  
 18 court-connected process in which a facilitator meets with  
 19 the juvenile offender and the victim in an effort to convene a  
 20 dialogue in which the offender takes responsibility for his or  
 21 her actions and the victim is able to address the offender and  
 22 request an apology and restitution, with the goal of creating an  
 23 agreed-upon written plan; and

24 ~~(d)~~ (d) Prehearing conference means a facilitated meeting  
 25 prior to appearing in court and held to gain the cooperation  
 26 of the parties, to offer services and treatment, and to develop  
 27 a problem-solving atmosphere in the best interests of children  
 1 involved in the juvenile court system. A prehearing conference may  
 2 be scheduled at any time during the child welfare or juvenile court  
 3 process, from initial removal through permanency, termination of  
 4 parental rights, and juvenile delinquency court processes. ; and

5 ~~(b) Family group conference means a facilitated~~  
 6 ~~collaborative process in which families work with extended family~~  
 7 ~~members and others to make decisions and develop plans for the best~~  
 8 ~~interests of children who are under the jurisdiction of the court.~~

9 Sec. 11. (1) It is the intent of the Legislature to  
 10 transfer four hundred fifty thousand dollars in General Funds from  
 11 the Department of Health and Human Services' 2014-15 budget to the  
 12 office of the State Court Administrator's budget for the purpose  
 13 of making the State Court Administrator directly responsible for  
 14 contracting and paying for court-connected prehearing conferences,  
 15 family group conferences, expedited family group conferences, child  
 16 welfare mediation, permanency prehearing conferences, termination  
 17 of parental rights prehearing conferences, juvenile victim-offender  
 18 dialogue, and other related services. Such funds shall be  
 19 transferred on or before October 15, 2014.

20 (2) The Department of Health and Human Services  
 21 shall continue to be responsible for contracting with mediation

22 centers approved by the Office of Dispute Resolution to provide  
23 family group conferences, mediation, and related services for  
24 non-court-involved and voluntary child welfare or juvenile cases  
25 through June 30, 2017, unless extended by the Legislature.

26 Sec. 33. Section 43-4203, Revised Statutes Supplement,  
27 2013, is amended to read:

1 43-4203 (1) The Nebraska Children's Commission shall work  
2 with administrators from each of the service areas designated  
3 pursuant to section 81-3116, the teams created pursuant to section  
4 28-728, local foster care review boards, child advocacy centers,  
5 the teams created pursuant to the Supreme Court's Through the Eyes  
6 of the Child Initiative, community stakeholders, and advocates for  
7 child welfare programs and services to establish networks in each  
8 of such service areas. Such networks shall permit collaboration  
9 to strengthen the continuum of services available to child welfare  
10 agencies and to provide resources for children and juveniles  
11 outside the child protection system. Each service area shall  
12 develop its own unique strategies to be included in the statewide  
13 strategic plan. The Department of Health and Human Services shall  
14 assist in identifying the needs of each service area.

15 (2)(a) The commission shall create a committee to examine  
16 state policy regarding the prescription of psychotropic drugs for  
17 children who are wards of the state and the administration of such  
18 drugs to such children. Such committee shall review the policy and  
19 procedures for prescribing and administering such drugs and make  
20 recommendations to the commission for changes in such policy and  
21 procedures.

22 (b) The commission shall create a committee to examine  
23 the structure and responsibilities of the Office of Juvenile  
24 Services as they exist on April 12, 2012. Such committee shall  
25 review the role and effectiveness of the youth rehabilitation  
26 and treatment centers in the juvenile justice system and make  
27 recommendations to the commission on the future role of the  
1 youth rehabilitation and treatment centers in the juvenile justice  
2 continuum of care, including what populations they should serve  
3 and what treatment services should be provided at the centers  
4 in order to appropriately serve those populations. Such committee  
5 shall also review how mental and behavioral health services are  
6 provided to juveniles in secure residential placements and the need  
7 for such services throughout Nebraska and make recommendations to  
8 the commission relating to those systems of care in the juvenile  
9 justice system. The committee shall collaborate with the University  
10 of Nebraska at Omaha, Juvenile Justice Institute, the University of  
11 Nebraska Medical Center, Center for Health Policy, the behavioral  
12 health regions as established in section 71-807, and state and  
13 national juvenile justice experts to develop recommendations.  
14 If the committee's recommendations include maintaining the Youth  
15 Rehabilitation and Treatment Center-Kearney, the recommendation  
16 shall include a plan to implement a rehabilitation and treatment

17 model by upgrading the center's physical structure, staff, and  
 18 staff training and the incorporation of evidence-based treatments  
 19 and programs. The recommendations shall be delivered to the  
 20 commission and electronically to the Judiciary Committee of the  
 21 Legislature by December 1, 2013.

22 (c) The commission may organize committees as it  
 23 deems necessary. Members of the committees may be members of  
 24 the commission or may be appointed, with the approval of the  
 25 majority of the commission, from individuals with knowledge of  
 26 the committee's subject matter, professional expertise to assist  
 27 the committee in completing its assigned responsibilities, and the  
 1 ability to collaborate within the committee and with the commission  
 2 to carry out the powers and duties of the commission.

3 (d) The Title IV-E Demonstration Project Committee  
 4 created pursuant to section 43-4208 and the Foster Care  
 5 Reimbursement Rate Committee created pursuant to section 43-4212  
 6 are under the jurisdiction of the commission.

7 (3) The commission shall work with the office of the  
 8 State Court Administrator, as appropriate, and entities which  
 9 coordinate facilitated conferencing as described in section  
 10 ~~43-247.01-10 of this act.~~ Facilitated conferencing shall be  
 11 included in statewide strategic plan discussions by the commission.  
 12 Facilitated conferencing shall continue to be utilized and  
 13 maximized, as determined by the court of jurisdiction, during  
 14 the development of the statewide strategic plan. Funding and  
 15 ~~contracting of with mediation centers approved by the Office of~~  
 16 ~~Dispute Resolution to provide~~ facilitated conferencing ~~entities~~  
 17 shall continue to be provided by the ~~Department of Health and~~  
 18 ~~Human Services to at least the same extent as such funding and~~  
 19 ~~contracting are being provided on April 12, 2012.~~ office of the  
 20 State Court Administrator at an amount of no less than the General  
 21 Fund transfer under subsection (1) of section 11 of this act.

22 (4) The commission shall gather information and  
 23 communicate with juvenile justice specialists of the Office of  
 24 Probation Administration and county officials with respect to any  
 25 county-operated practice model participating in the Crossover Youth  
 26 Program of the Center for Juvenile Justice Reform at Georgetown  
 27 University.

1 (5) The commission shall coordinate and gather  
 2 information about the progress and outcomes of the Nebraska  
 3 Juvenile Service Delivery Project established pursuant to section  
 4 43-4101.

5 2. On page 1, line 3, strike "43-295,"; and in line  
 6 15 after the semicolon insert "to change provisions relating to  
 7 juvenile facilitated conferencing and funding;".

8 3. On page 44, lines 14 and 15, reinstate the stricken  
 9 matter; in line 15 strike "court"; in lines 16 through 18 reinstate  
 10 the stricken matter; and in lines 21, 23, and 24 strike all  
 11 occurrences of "release" and insert "discharge".

- 12 4. On page 45, strike beginning with "discharge" in line  
 13 14 through the comma in line 15; in line 19 after the comma insert  
 14 "and"; and strike beginning with the comma in line 20 through  
 15 "juvenile" in line 21.
- 16 5. On page 46, strike lines 4 through 6.
- 17 6. On page 49, strike beginning with "(1)" in line 18  
 18 through line 21 and insert "(1) Payment of costs for juveniles  
 19 described in or alleged to be described in subdivision (1), (2),  
 20 (3)(b), or (4) of section 43-247, except as ordered by the court  
 21 pursuant to section 43-290, shall be paid by:".
- 22 7. On page 50, strike beginning with "the" in line 16  
 23 through "court" in line 17 and insert "the juvenile is discharged  
 24 by the Office of Juvenile Services".
- 25 8. On page 63, lines 19 through 23, strike the new matter  
 26 and reinstate the stricken matter.
- 27 9. On page 69, line 2, strike the new matter and  
 1 reinstate the stricken matter.
- 2 10. On page 90, line 20, strike "43-295,".
- 3 11. Correct the operative date section so that the  
 4 sections added by this amendment become operative three calendar  
 5 months after the adjournment of this legislative session.
- 6 12. Renumber the remaining sections and correct the  
 7 internal references and repealer accordingly.

#### EXPLANATIONS OF VOTES

Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on final passage of LBs 96, 986e, 986Ae, 987, 987A, and 699.

(Signed) Colby Coash

Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on final passage of LB96.

(Signed) Tom Hansen

#### UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducer

Senator Wallman asked unanimous consent to add his name as cointroducer to LR482. No objections. So ordered.

#### VISITORS

Visitors to the Chamber were 58 fourth-grade students, teachers, and sponsors from Prairie Lane Elementary, Omaha; and 40 sixth-grade students and teachers from Heartland Elementary, Henderson.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 1:58 p.m., on a motion by Senator Garrett, the Legislature adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Monday, March 31, 2014.

Patrick J. O'Donnell  
Clerk of the Legislature

