ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2016 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB327

Hearing Date: Thursday March 05, 2015

Committee On: Judiciary Introducer: Williams

One Liner: Change provisions relating to garnishment

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye: 6 Senators Coash, Krist, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks, Seiler, Williams

Nay:

Absent:

Present Not Voting: 2 Senators Chambers, Ebke

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents: Representing: SEN. MATT WILLIAMS INTRODUCER

ROBERT HALLSTROM NE BANKER'S ASSOCIATION

Opponents: Representing:

TESSA HERMANSON NE COLLECTORS ASSOCIATION

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB327 would permit a garnishee to charge a garnishment fee and collect the fee out of the property or credits in the possession or under the control of the garnishee.

Explanation of amendments:

AM1777 would require the payment of fifteen dollar fee by the Plaintiff to a financial institution garnishee at the time of service of a garnishment summons. If the financial institution is authorized to charge a garnishment processing fee, the fifteen dollars would be deducted from such a fee.

Les Seiler, Chairperson