

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2015
COMMITTEE STATEMENT (CORRECTED)
LB439

Hearing Date: Monday February 02, 2015
Committee On: General Affairs
Introducer: Morfeld
One Liner: Change Nebraska Liquor Control Act penalty provisions for certain violations

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Coash, Schilz, Riepe, Larson, Krist, Kolterman, Hughes, Hansen
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Adam Morfeld
Kevin Knudson
Geraldine Cotter
Matthew Hecker, PhD.
Brian Jackson

Representing:

Introducer
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
Self
University of Nebraska-Lincoln
City of Lincoln, Lincoln Police Department

Opponents:

John Lindsay

Representing:

Nebraska Association of Trial Attorneys

Neutral:

Nicole Carritt

Representing:

Project Extra Mile

Written Testimony:

Proponents:

William Stock

Representing:

University of Nebraska-Lincoln (Student)

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

Page 2, lines 19-31 state that there would be no penalty for a minor who requested emergency medical assistance for a possible alcohol overdose of himself or herself or another person. This immunity provision would also apply to the first person to make the request for emergency medical assistance as long as the person requesting medical assistance remains on the scene and cooperates with medical and law enforcement personnel.

Page 5, lines 6-22 restate the immunity provision, but adds that no person shall initiate or maintain

an action against the police, the employing state agency or political subdivision for the officer's compliance or failure to comply with this section.

Tyson Larson, Chairperson