

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2016
COMMITTEE STATEMENT (CORRECTED)
LB981

Hearing Date: Monday February 29, 2016
Committee On: Business and Labor
Introducer: Business and Labor
One Liner: Provide for payment of claims against the state

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye:	6	Senators Bloomfield, Crawford, Ebke, Harr, Howard, Johnson
Nay:		
Absent:	1	Senator Chambers
Present Not Voting:		

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:

Meghan Chaffee
Shereece Dendy

James D. Smith
Kyle Schneweis
Ruth Sorensen
David McManaman
Shawn Fitzgerald
Scott Summers

Representing:

Introducer, Business and Labor Committee
Risk Management, Department of Administrative Services
Nebraska Attorney General
Nebraska Department of Roads
Nebraska Department of Revenue
Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services
Nebraska Military Department
Nebraska Department of Education

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 981 was introduced by the Business & Labor Committee at the request of the Department of Administrative Services, Risk Management Division. This bill introduces the claims against the State that are required by statute to be reviewed and approved by the Legislature.

Explanation of amendments:

AM 2405 includes additional claims that arose after the date of introduction of LB 981.

It includes a miscellaneous claim for \$261,862; three additional tort claims for \$800,000, \$185,000, and \$400,000; and two workers' compensation claims for \$115,000 and \$275,000.

It also reduces the write-off request from the Department of Health and Human Services to \$1,590,534.29; includes a write-off request from Nebraska Game and Parks Commission for \$5,246.61; and strikes the write-off request from the Lottery Division of the Department of Revenue.
