

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 311

Introduced by Harr, 8.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to examine Second Chances, the operating while intoxicated jail diversion program in Iowa, in order to determine whether the program would be workable and successful in Nebraska. The program in Iowa is a weekend diversion program that is an alternative to jail for people convicted of a first offense of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated. Under the law in Iowa, a person convicted of first offense operating while intoxicated is sentenced to serve a minimum of two days of drinking drivers education training. The program is administered by community colleges and private entities and the costs of the program are charged to the individual.

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

1. That the Judiciary Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.