ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2018 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB426

Hearing Date: Thursday March 23, 2017 Committee On: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs Introducer: Murante One Liner: Change expense reimbursement provisions for state officers and agencies **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:** Advanced to General File with amendment(s) **Vote Results:** Aye: 8 Senators Blood, Brewer, Briese, Hilgers, Lowe, Murante, Thibodeau, Wayne Nay: Absent: **Present Not Voting: Verbal Testimony: Proponents:** Representing: Senator John Murante Introducer Bo Botelho **NE Department of Administrative Services** Russ Karpisek Auditor of Public Accounts Opponents: Representing: Frank Daley Nebraska Accountability and Disclosure Commission **Neutral:** Representing: Summary of purpose and/or changes: LB 426 changes the rate of reimbursement for any meal or incidental expenses for any state officer, employee or member of any commission, council, committee, or board of the State incurred during an approved travel status to be a percentage of the federal General Services Administrative (GSA) per diem model as determined by and in accordance with policies established by the Director of Administrative Services. **Explanation of amendments:** AM 1957 makes the operative date January 1, 2019. John Murante, Chairperson