LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA

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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 853

Introduced by Bolz, 29. Read first time January 05, 2018

Committee: Judiciary

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Department of Correctional Services; to
- 2 authorize certain contracts.
- 3 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1	Section 1. The Department of Correctional Services may continue to
2	contract with county jail facilities to house Department of Correctional
3	<u>Services facilities inmates on a temporary basis. Department of</u>
4	Correctional Services facilities inmates eligible for participation in
5	the county jail housing program shall include, but not be limited to,
6	inmates with sentences of less than one year in duration, inmates being
7	transferred into state custody for safekeeping, nonviolent offenders, and
8	inmates requiring only community-based or minimum-security supervision.
9	It is the intent of the Legislature that the department may only place
10	inmates for housing in county jails that have the capacity and agree to
11	offer services to meet one or more of the inmates prerelease programming
12	requirements.