

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA  
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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 983**

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Committee: Judiciary

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to criminal procedure; to amend section
- 2 29-4205, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; to change provisions
- 3 relating to audiovisual court appearances; and to repeal the
- 4 original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 29-4205, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is  
2 amended to read:

3 29-4205 In a proceeding in which an audiovisual court appearance is  
4 made:

5 (1) Facsimile signatures or electronically reproduced signatures are  
6 acceptable for purposes of releasing the detainee or prisoner from  
7 custody; however, actual signed copies of the release documents must be  
8 promptly filed with the court and the detainee or prisoner must promptly  
9 be provided with a copy of all documents which the detainee or prisoner  
10 signs;

11 (2) ~~The audiovisual appearance shall not be videotaped.~~ The record  
12 of the court reporting personnel reporter or stenographer shall be the  
13 official ~~and sole~~ record of the proceeding; and

14 (3) On motion of the detainee or prisoner or the prosecuting  
15 attorney or in the court's discretion, the court may terminate an  
16 audiovisual appearance and require an appearance by the detainee or  
17 prisoner.

18 Sec. 2. Original section 29-4205, Reissue Revised Statutes of  
19 Nebraska, is repealed.