FIFTY-FOURTH DAY - MARCH 28, 2017

LEGISLATIVE JOURNAL

ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE FIRST SESSION

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

Legislative Chamber, Lincoln, Nebraska Tuesday, March 28, 2017

PRAYER

The prayer was offered by Senator Hilkemann.

ROLL CALL

Pursuant to adjournment, the Legislature met at 9:00 a.m., President Foley presiding.

The roll was called and all members were present except Senator Linehan who was excused; and Senators Groene, Hansen, Kuehn, McCollister, Morfeld, and Wayne who were excused until they arrive.

CORRECTIONS FOR THE JOURNAL

The Journal for the fifty-third day was approved.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 225. Placed on Select File with amendment. FR 27

- ER27
 1 1. On page 1, strike beginning with "crimes" in line 1 through line
- 2 5 and insert "children and families; to amend sections 28-712, 28-712.01,
- 3 28-718, 43-2,108, 43-1318, 43-4218, 43-4701, 43-4702, 43-4703, 43-4704,
- 4 43-4706, 43-4707, 43-4709, and 43-4714, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 5 Nebraska; to change provisions relating to alternative response and the
- 6 confidentiality of certain juvenile records; to provide for a central
- 7 registry record checks fee; to create an advisory group, require reports,
- 8 and provide a termination date; to rename and change provisions relating
- 9 to the Normalcy Task Force; to change provisions relating to the Nebraska
- 10 Strengthening Families Act; to restate legislative intent; to define and
- 11 redefine terms; to change and provide duties for the Department of Health
- 12 and Human Services, the Office of Probation Administration, foster family
- 13 homes, child-care institutions, and juvenile facilities as prescribed; to
- 14 provide for training; to provide for rules and regulations; to eliminate
- 15 a data pilot project; to harmonize provisions; to provide for operative

16 dates; to repeal the original sections; to outright repeal section 17 43-1322, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska; and to declare an 18 emergency".

LEGISLATIVE BILL 340. Placed on Select File with amendment. FR25

- 1 1. On page 7, line 2, strike " $\underline{\text{from}}$ " and insert " $\underline{\text{transferred pursuant}}$ 2 $\underline{\text{to}}$ ".
- 3 2. On page 13, line 24, strike "80-326,".

(Signed) Anna Wishart, Chairperson

MESSAGE(S) FROM THE GOVERNOR

March 27, 2017

Mr. President, Speaker Scheer and Members of the Legislature State Capitol Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. President, Speaker Scheer and Members of the Legislature:

Please withdraw the following individual from consideration for confirmation of appointment to the Nebraska Power Review Board:

Michael Metzler, 3862 South 117 Avenue, Omaha, NE 68130

(Signed) Sincerely,
Pete Ricketts
Governor

RESOLUTION(S)

Pursuant to Rule 4, Sec. 5(b), LRs 73, 74, and 75 were adopted.

PRESIDENT SIGNED

While the Legislature was in session and capable of transacting business, the President signed the following: LRs 73, 74, and 75.

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 518A. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 39 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 7 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 210. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM113, found on page 401, was adopted with 42 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 43 ayes, 0 nays, 2 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 182. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 7 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 339. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM314, found on page 607, was adopted with 40 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 40 ayes, 0 nays, 6 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 539. Title read. Considered.

Senator Chambers offered the following amendment: AM649

1 1. On page 3, lines 21 through 25, strike the new matter; and in 2 line 28 strike the period and show as stricken.

The Chambers amendment was adopted with 35 ayes, 0 nays, 11 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Senator Ebke offered the following amendment:

AM748

- 1 1. Insert the following new sections:
- 2 Section 1. Section 47-901, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
- 3 2016, is amended to read:
- 4 47-901 Sections 47-901 to 47-919 and section 4 of this act shall be
- 5 known and may be cited as the Office of Inspector General of the Nebraska
- 6 Correctional System Act.
- 7 Sec. 3. Section 47-912, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
- 8 2016, is amended to read:
- 9 47-912 (1) Reports of investigations conducted by the office shall
- 10 not be distributed beyond the entity that is the subject of the report
- 11 without the consent of the Inspector General.
- 12 (2) The office shall redact confidential information before
- 13 distributing a report of an investigation. The office may disclose
- 14 confidential information to the chairperson of the Judiciary Committee of
- 15 the Legislature when such disclosure is, in the judgment of the Public
- 16 Counsel, desirable to keep the chairperson informed of important events,

- 17 issues, and developments in the Nebraska correctional system.
- 18 (3)(a) A summarized final report based on an investigation may be
- 19 publicly released in order to bring awareness to systemic issues.
- 20 (b) Such report shall be released only:
- 21 (i) After a disclosure is made to the chairperson pursuant to
- 22 subsection (2) of this section; and
- 23 (ii) If a determination is made by the Inspector General with the
- 24 chairperson that doing so would be in the best interest of the public.
- 25 (c) If there is disagreement about whether releasing the report
- 26 would be in the best interest of the public, the chairperson of the
- 27 Executive Board of the Legislative Council may be asked to make the final 1 decision.
- 2 (4) (3) Records and documents, regardless of physical form, that are
- 3 obtained or produced by the office in the course of an investigation are
- 4 not public records for purposes of sections 84-712 to 84-712.09. Reports
- 5 of investigations conducted by the office are not public records for
- 6 purposes of sections 84-712 to 84-712.09.
- $7\frac{(5)}{(4)}$ The office may withhold the identity of sources of
- 8 information to protect from retaliation any person who files a complaint
- 9 or provides information in good faith pursuant to the Office of Inspector 10 General of the Nebraska Correctional System Act.
- 11 Sec. 4. Any person who has authority to recommend, approve, direct,
- 12 or otherwise take or affect personnel action shall not, with respect to
- 13 such authority:
- 14 (1) Take personnel action against an employee because of the
- 15 disclosure of information by the employee to the office which the
- 16 employee reasonably believes evidences wrongdoing under the Office of
- 17 Inspector General of the Nebraska Correctional System Act;
- 18 (2) Take personnel action against an employee as a reprisal for the
- 19 submission of an allegation of wrongdoing under the act to the office by
- 20 such employee; or
- 21 (3) Take personnel action against an employee as a reprisal for
- 22 providing information or testimony pursuant to an investigation by the
- 23 office.
- 24 2. Amend the repealer and renumber the remaining section
- 25 accordingly.

The Ebke amendment was adopted with 35 ayes, 0 nays, 11 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Vargas filed the following amendment to <u>LB163</u>:

1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new 2 sections:

- 3 Section 1. Section 32-101, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska, is 4 amended to read:
- 5 32-101 Sections 32-101 to 32-1551 and section 2 of this act shall be
- 6 known and may be cited as the Election Act.
- 7 Sec. 2. The election commissioner in a county with a population of
- 8 more than one hundred thousand inhabitants shall provide additional
- 9 office hours during which ballots for early voting may be picked up or
- 10 returned pursuant to section 32-941 or registered voters of the county
- 11 may vote or pick up or return a ballot for early voting pursuant to
- 12 section 32-942. The additional hours shall be provided for any primary or
- 13 general election, but not for special elections, beginning at least two
- 14 weeks prior to the day of the election and shall include at least four
- 15 hours on each of the two Saturdays preceding the day of the election and
- 16 at least five hours during each week of such two-week period in addition
- 17 to normal business hours on business days.
- 18 Sec. 3. Original section 32-101, Reissue Revised Statutes of
- 19 Nebraska, is repealed.

EXPLANATION(S) OF VOTE(S)

Had I been present, I would have voted "aye" on final passage of LBs 8 and

(Signed) Bob Krist

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Education

LEGISLATIVE BILL 428. Placed on General File with amendment.

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and insert the following new
- 2 sections:
- 3 Section 1. The Legislature finds and declares that:
- 4 (1) Pregnant and parenting students face enormous challenges to
- 5 completing their education. The majority of young women who become
- 6 pregnant in high school leave school which detrimentally impacts their
- 7 financial, social, and educational future, as well as the future of their 8 children;
- 9 (2) Schools have an obligation to keep pregnant and parenting
- 10 students in school;
- 11 (3) Schools must remove overly restrictive or inflexible absence and
- 12 leave policies so that pregnant students can attend prenatal medical
- 13 appointments and parenting students can attend appointments for pediatric
- 14 medical care, provide opportunities for students to make up school work
- 15 or allow alternative education for students who become pregnant, and make
- 16 accommodations for breastfeeding or milk expression; and
- 17 (4) Young women should not have to choose between completing their
- 18 education and parenthood.
 19 Sec. 2. Beginning May 1, 2018, the school board of each school
- 20 district shall adopt a written policy to be implemented at the start of

- 21 the 2018-19 school year which provides for standards and guidelines to
- 22 accommodate absences related to pregnancy and child care for pregnant and
- 23 parenting students. Such policy shall include procedures and provisions
- 24 in conformance with the minimum standards set forth in the model policy 25 developed by the State Department of Education pursuant to section 3 of
- 26 this act and may include any other procedures and provisions the school
- 27 board deems appropriate.
- 1 Sec. 3. On or before December 1, 2017, the State Department of
- 2 Education shall develop and distribute a model policy to encourage the
- 3 educational success of pregnant and parenting students. At a minimum,
- 4 such policy shall:
- 5 (1) Specifically identify procedures to anticipate and provide for
- 6 student absences due to pregnancy and allow students to return to school
- 7 and, if applicable, participate in extracurricular activities after
- 9 (2) Provide alternative methods to keep a pregnant or parenting
- 10 student in school by allowing coursework to be accessed at home or
- 11 accommodating tutoring visits, online courses, or a similar supplement to
- 12 classroom attendance;
- 13 (3) Identify alternatives for accommodating lactation by providing
- 14 students with private, hygienic spaces to express breast milk during the
- 15 school day; and
- 16 (4) Establish a procedure for schools which do not have an in-school
- 17 child care facility to assist student-parents by identifying child care
- 18 providers for purposes of placing their children in child care facilities
- 19 which, where possible, participate in the quality rating and improvement
- 20 system and meet all of the quality rating criteria for at least a step-
- 21 three rating pursuant to the Step Up to Quality Child Care Act and which
- 22 collaborate with the school.
- 23 Sec. 4. In addition to the development of a model policy, the State
- 24 Department of Education shall offer training for teachers, counselors,
- 25 and administrators on each school district's policy adopted under section
- 26 2 of this act and the rights of pregnant and parenting students to
- 27 receive equal access to education.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 490. Placed on General File with amendment. AM722

- 1 1. On page 7, line 2, strike "and"; and in line 4 after "applicants"
- 2 insert "; and
 3 (5) Ensure that a student who receives an award under the College
- 4 Choice Grant Program Act does not also receive an award under the
- 5 Nebraska Opportunity Grant Act for the same academic year and that a
- 6 student who receives an award under the Nebraska Opportunity Grant Act
- 7 does not also receive an award under the College Choice Grant Program Act
- 8 for the same academic year".

LEGISLATIVE BILL 512. Placed on General File with amendment. AM724 is available in the Bill Room.

(Signed) Mike Groene, Chairperson

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 81. Introduced by Wayne, 13.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine the adoption and enforcement of state fire codes. The issues addressed by this interim study shall include, but not be limited to:

- 1. A review of the process used to adopt and update fire codes by the State Fire Marshall, as compared to the process of updating other codes, including the state building code, the Nebraska Energy Code, and the National Electrical Code;
- 2. A review of the role of political subdivisions in enforcing state fire codes; and
- 3. A review of the interaction between state fire codes and other state and local codes, including the state building code, the Nebraska Energy Code, the National Electrical Code, and local building codes.

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

- 1. That the Urban Affairs 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.

Referred to the Executive Board.

NOTICE OF COMMITTEE HEARING(S)

Health and Human Services

Room 1510

Thursday, April 6, 2017 1:00 p.m.

Marc A. Brennan - Commission for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

(Signed) Merv Riepe, Chairperson

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 166. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM143, found on page 544, was adopted with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 35. Title read. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 34 ayes, 0 nays, 13 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 151. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM334, found on page 557, was offered.

SPEAKER SCHEER PRESIDING

Senator Stinner offered his amendment, AM428, found on page 816, to the committee amendment.

The Stinner amendment was adopted with 35 ayes, 0 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

The committee amendment, as amended, was adopted with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 17 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 35 ayes, 0 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 639. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM280, found on page 551, was adopted with 31 ayes, 0 nays, 16 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 33 ayes, 0 nays, 14 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 506. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM464, found on page 639, was adopted with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 9 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 641. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM560, found on page 674, was offered.

Senator Morfeld offered the following amendment to the committee amendment:

AM747

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM560) 1 1. On page 1, line 2, strike "sections" and insert "section"; strike

2 lines 7 and 8; and in line 10 after "(e)" insert "beginning October 1,

3 2017,".

The Morfeld amendment was adopted with 30 ayes, 5 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

The committee amendment, as amended, was adopted with 30 ayes, 5 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 2 excused and not voting.

Pending.

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 82. Introduced by Baker, 30.

WHEREAS, Adam David Hanau, a member of Troop 64 of Hickman, has completed the requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in scouting, a Boy Scout must fulfill requirements in the areas of leadership, service, and outdoor skills. Throughout his scouting experience, Adam has learned, been tested on, and been recognized for various scouting skills; and

WHEREAS, to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout, a Boy Scout must earn 21 merit badges, 13 of which are in required areas, and complete a community service project approved by the troop and the scout council; and

WHEREAS, Adam earned 28 merit badges and completed the requirements to become a member of the Order of the Arrow; and

WHEREAS, for his Eagle Scout Service Project, Adam raised funds for two benches at the public splash pad in Hickman, installed the benches, and helped in other aspects of the construction of the splash pad; and

WHEREAS, only a small percentage of the boys who join the Boy Scouts of America achieve the rank of Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS, Adam Hanau, at the age of 15, will be awarded the rank of Eagle Scout on April 30, 2017, and through his hard work and perseverance, will join other high achievers who are Eagle Scouts, including astronauts, leaders of government and industry, artists, scientists, and athletes.

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

- 1. That the Legislature congratulates Adam David Hanau on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.
 - 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Adam David Hanau.

Laid over.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 83. Introduced by McCollister, 20; Craighead, 6.

WHEREAS, Westside Community Schools Superintendent Dr. Blane McCann was named the Outstanding Educational Leader of 2017 and was recognized this month at the Phi Delta Kappa World Café and Awards; and

WHEREAS, Phi Delta Kappa International (PDK) is a professional association for educators that brings together the top leaders, thinkers and doers to collaborate and inspire one another; and

WHEREAS, Dr. McCann is responsible for the current vision and strategic plan for Westside Community Schools and is a personalized learning leader. He models constant learning by leading administrative learning labs, presenting during professional learning days and serving as a week-long session leader for the Confratute at the University of Connecticut; and

WHEREAS, Dr. McCann became the superintendent for Westside Community Schools in 2012. In 1981, he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in secondary social studies education from Miami University in Ohio. He then worked as a social studies teacher in Florida and Iowa. In 1983, Dr. McCann earned a Masters in Educational Administration and Supervision from the University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill. From 1987 to 2000, Dr. McCann worked as an administrator for the Kenosha Unified School District in Wisconsin. In 2000, he earned a Ph.D. in Educational Policy and Leadership from Marquette University in Milwaukee. In 2003, Dr. McCann became superintendent of the Shorewood School District in Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, during his career, Dr. McCann has been active in numerous professional organizations, including the American Association of School Administrators, the Wisconsin Association of School District Administrators, the Kenosha School Administrators Association and the National Staff Development Council; and

WHEREAS, Dr. McCann was also one of ten superintendents from across the country to complete the first Lexington Education Leadership Award Fellowship from the Lexington Institute and was invited to the White House as a recognized thought leader for the United States Department of Education's ConnectED Summit.

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

- 1. That the Legislature congratulates Dr. Blane McCann of Westside Community Schools for being named the Outstanding Educational Leader of 2017 by PDK Chapter No. 0116.
- 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Dr. McCann, Westside Director of Communications Brandi Petersen and Westside Community Schools Board of Education President David Williams.

Laid over.

MESSAGE(S) FROM THE GOVERNOR

March 28, 2017

Patrick J. O'Donnell Clerk of the Legislature State Capitol, Room 2018 Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. O'Donnell:

Engrossed Legislative Bill 62 was received in my office on March 23, 2017

This bill was signed on March 27, 2017, and delivered to the Secretary of State on March 28, 2017.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Pete Ricketts
Governor

UNANIMOUS CONSENT - Add Cointroducer(s)

Unanimous consent to add Senator(s) as cointroducer(s). No objections. So ordered.

Senator Brewer name added to LB389. Senator Riepe name added to LB506.

VISITOR(S)

Visitors to the Chamber were 39 fourth-grade students from St. Mary's School, David City; Dr. Jerry Green from Morrill County; 45 fourth-grade students, teachers, and sponsors from LeMay Elementary, Bellevue; Genenne Gibson Didier; and 38 fourth-grade students and sponsors from Tekamah/Herman.

RECESS

At 11:55 a.m., on a motion by Senator Clements, the Legislature recessed until 1:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

The Legislature reconvened at 1:30 p.m., Speaker Scheer presiding.

ROLL CALL

The roll was called and all members were present except Senators Linehan and Watermeier who were excused; and Senators Larson and Lindstrom who were excused until they arrive.

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Krist filed the following amendment to LB339: AM770

- 1 1. On page 9, line 18, after "Engineer" insert ", subject to 2 confirmation by the Legislature, with due regard to his or her fitness
- 3 through aeronautical education and by knowledge of and recent practical
- 4 experience in aeronautics".

COMMUNICATION

March 28, 2017

Patrick O'Donnell Clerk of the Legislature State Capitol Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Mr. Clerk:

As Chairperson of the Special Committee regarding the Election Challenge to the Qualification of Senator Ernie Chambers filed by Mr. John Sciara, I hereby file with your office a Further Order on Pretrial. The Further Order on Pretrial will be sent to both parties, pursuant to Rule 10, Sec. 4(c).

> Sincerely, Senator Dan Watermeier (Signed) Chairman, Special Committee

Enclosure: Further Order on Pretrial

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 641. Considered.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 31 ayes, 2 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 161. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM141, found on page 403, was adopted with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 37 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 122. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM223, found on page 475, was adopted with 32 ayes, 0 nays, 13 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 33 ayes, 0 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 222. Title read. Considered.

Senator Blood offered the following amendment:

Strike "shall develop" in line 15, page 8 and insert instead "may review, amend, or replace provisions of the".

The Blood amendment lost with 10 ayes, 20 nays, 15 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

SENATOR KRIST PRESIDING

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 32 ayes, 1 nay, 12 present and not voting, and 4 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 600. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM605, found on page 714, was offered.

Senator Brasch offered her amendment, AM613, found on page 716, to the committee amendment.

The Brasch amendment was adopted with 30 ayes, 0 nays, 16 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

The committee amendment, as amended, was adopted with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 38 ayes, 0 nays, 8 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 263. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM538, found on page 716, was adopted with 34 ayes, 2 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Senator Bostelman withdrew his amendment, AM156, found on page 416.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 32 ayes, 2 nays, 12 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

LEGISLATIVE BILL 625. Title read. Considered.

Committee AM224, found on page 631, was adopted with 31 ayes, 0 nays, 15 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

Advanced to Enrollment and Review Initial with 36 ayes, 0 nays, 10 present and not voting, and 3 excused and not voting.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 88. Placed on Select File with amendment. ER26 is available in the Bill Room.

(Signed) Anna Wishart, Chairperson

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Health and Human Services

The Health and Human Services Committee desires to report favorably upon the appointment(s) listed below. The Committee suggests the appointments(s) be confirmed by the Legislature and suggests a record vote.

Joel Cerny - Board of Emergency Medical Services Thomas Deegan - Board of Emergency Medical Services Linda Jensen - Board of Emergency Medical Services James Smith - Board of Emergency Medical Services Scott C. Wiebe - Board of Emergency Medical Services

Aye: 7 Crawford, Erdman, Howard, Kolterman, Linehan, Riepe, Williams. Nay: 0. Absent: 0. Present and not voting: 0.

(Signed) Merv Riepe, Chairperson

GENERAL FILE

LEGISLATIVE BILL 289. Title read. Considered.

Senator Ebke offered the following amendment: AM599 is available in the Bill Room.

Senator Morfeld offered the following amendment to the Ebke amendment: AM786

(Amendments to AM599)

1 1. On page 15, line 30, strike the new matter and insert "and after

2 a hearing of which the subject person received actual notice and at which

- 3 the subject person had an opportunity to participate;"
- 4 2. On page 16, line 1, after "28-311.09" insert "and after a hearing 5 of which the subject person received actual notice and at which the
- 6 subject person had an opportunity to participate,".
- 7 3. On page 19, strike lines 21 through 24 and insert the following 8 new subdivision:
- 9 "(b) If a protection order is issued pursuant to this section after
- 10 a hearing of which the subject person received actual notice and at which
- 11 the subject person had an opportunity to participate, the court shall
- 12 enjoin the respondent from purchasing or possessing a firearm, as defined
- 13 in section 28-1201, and shall inform the respondent that such possession
- 14 is a felony under section 28-1206.".

Pending.

RESOLUTION(S)

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 84. Introduced by Urban Affairs Committee: Wayne, 13, Chairperson; Crawford, 45; Hansen, 26; Howard, 9; Larson, 40; Quick, 35; Riepe, 12.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine the statutes governing some, but not all, classes of municipalities in Chapter 19, Nebraska Revised Statutes. The goal of the study shall be to update and modernize statutes governing some, but not all, classes of municipalities through the elimination of obsolete, antiquated, and duplicate statutory language.

NOW. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST

- 1. That the Urban Affairs Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this
- 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.

Referred to the Executive Board.

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 85. Introduced by Urban Affairs Committee: Wayne, 13, Chairperson; Crawford, 45; Hansen, 26; Howard, 9; Larson, 40; Quick, 35; Riepe, 12.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to examine any issues within the jurisdiction of the Urban Affairs Committee of the Legislature that may arise during the interim.

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

- 1. That the Urban Affairs 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.

Referred to the Executive Board.

COMMITTEE REPORT(S)

Enrollment and Review

LEGISLATIVE BILL 518A. Placed on Select File. LEGISLATIVE BILL 210. Placed on Select File. LEGISLATIVE BILL 182. Placed on Select File.

(Signed) Anna Wishart, Chairperson

AMENDMENT(S) - Print in Journal

Senator Pansing Brooks filed the following amendment to <u>LB289</u>: AM785

(Amendments to AM599)

1 1. On page 13, line 13, strike the new matter; and strike beginning 2 with "The" in line 16 through "(6)" in line 19.

VISITOR(S)

Visitors to the Chamber were members of Boy Scout Troop 49 from Lincoln.

The Doctor of the Day was Dr. Michael Keralis from Lincoln.

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:55~p.m., on a motion by Senator Walz, the Legislature adjourned until 9:00~a.m., Wednesday, March $29,\,2017$.

Patrick J. O'Donnell Clerk of the Legislature