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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Laura Ebke

Committee: Judiciary

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The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

LB 136 seeks to provide protection for garnishees involved in a garnishment action by providing that a garnishee may release funds, credit, or debt that has been attached as a result of an order of garnishment if no order to pay is provided within sixty days of the creditor receiving the garnishee's answer.

Further, a garnishment summons shall apply only to the debtor (not the garnishee/employer) if that debtor is an employee of a Nebraska financial institution that receives deposits.

Principal Introducer:	
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