

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2020
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB1033

Hearing Date: Friday January 31, 2020
Committee On: Revenue
Introducer: Friesen
One Liner: Change the distribution of sales tax revenue and authorize the use of funds for certain infrastructure projects

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:
Aye: 6 Senators Briese, Crawford, Friesen, Kolterman, Lindstrom, Linehan
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting: 2 Senators McCollister, Groene

Oral Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Curt Friesen
Nathan Masten
Geary Combs
Diane Hofer
Sandi Decker

Representing:

Introducer
Nebraska Association of Airport Officials
Blair Airport Authority
Nebraska Aviation Council
Fairbury Airport

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB1033 creates the Department of Transportation Aeronautics Capital Improvement Fund. All sales and use tax imposed on the sale or lease of aircraft will be credited to the Department of Transportation Aeronautics Capital Improvement Fund. Any money in the fund will be invested by the state investment officer.

The fund is to be used to build, repair, renovate, rehabilitate, restore, modify or improve any infrastructure under the authority and administration of the Division of Aeronautics of the Department of Transportation.

The bill has the Emergency Clause.

Explanation of amendments:

The amendment allows any public use airport licensed by the state to be eligible to receive funds rather than just those under the authority and division of aeronautics.

