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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 368

Introduced by Kolterman, 24.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this study is to examine the public employees' retirement systems administered by the Public Employees Retirement Board, including the State Employees Retirement System, the County Employees Retirement System, the School Employees Retirement System of the State of Nebraska, the Nebraska State Patrol Retirement System, and the Nebraska Judges Retirement System. The study may also examine the retirement system administered under the Class V School Employees Retirement Act. The study shall examine issues as they relate to the funding needs, benefits, contributions, and administration of each retirement system.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Nebraska Retirement Systems 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.

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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 369

Introduced by Kolterman, 24.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this study is to carry out the provisions of section 13-2402 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes, which require the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee of the Legislature to monitor underfunded defined benefit plans administered by political subdivisions. The study committee shall conduct a public hearing for the presentation of reports by all political subdivisions with underfunded defined benefit plans.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Nebraska Retirement Systems 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 conduct a public hearing for the presentation of reports by all political subdivisions with underfunded defined benefit plans.
3. 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

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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 373

Introduced by Lindstrom, 18. PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to study the potential for public safety officers to retain a portion of pension funds for health care under section 402(l) of the Internal Revenue Code, commonly known as the Healthcare Enhancement for Local Public Safety Retirees (HELPS).

The study shall include, but not be limited to, an examination of the following:

- (1) The feasibility of Nebraska public safety officers benefiting from the provisions of HELPS;
- (2) The feasibility of different pension plans that allow pretax dollars to be used for health care costs; and
- (3) Any relevant considerations, benefits, and challenges of implementing this benefit for public safety officer retirees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Nebraska Retirement Systems 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

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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 396

Introduced by Lowe, 37.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine possible changes to the School Employees Retirement Act and the Class V School Employees Retirement Act.

The study shall include an examination of defined benefit plans, defined contribution plans, and cash balance plans and an analysis of which type of plan:

- (1) Is the most beneficial to taxpayers;
- (2) Is best able to withstand solvency issues; and
- (3) Is the most beneficial to retirees.

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

1. That the Nebraska Retirement Systems 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.

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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 434

Introduced by Linehan, 39.

PURPOSE: The purpose of this resolution is to study school structure and finance. The study shall include, but not be limited to:

- (1) Research on public school structure in other states;
- (2) Research on how other states pay for K-12 education; and
- (3) Comparison of Nebraska's education benefit packages, including retirement benefits, and the education benefit packages of other states.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Education 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