# ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2013 COMMITTEE STATEMENT

# LB271

Hearing Date:Thursday February 14, 2013Committee On:Government, Military and Veterans AffairsIntroducer:LautenbaughOne Liner:Change provisions relating to early voting

## **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**

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#### Vote Results:

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A	Absent:										
F	Present Not Voting:										

<b>Proponents:</b>	<b>Representing:</b>
Senator Scott Lautenbaugh	Introducer
John Gale	Secretary of State
David Shively	Lancaster County Election Commissioner
Beth Bazyn Ferrell	Nebraska Association of County Officials
<b>Opponents:</b>	<b>Representing:</b>
Adam Morfeld	Nebraskans for Civic Reform
Peggy Adair	League of Women Voters of Nebraska
Neutral:	Representing:

### Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 271 changes the time period for in-person early voting. With the bill, any registered voter may appear in person before the election commissioner or county clerk not more than 25 days prior to the day of the election and obtain his or her ballot.

Current law provides that ballots for in-person early voting will be ready at least 35 days prior to the election.

Bill Avery, Chairperson