ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2014 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB788

Hearing Date: Tuesday January 21, 2014

Committee On: Banking, Commerce and Insurance

Introducer: Schumacher

One Liner: Provide for governmental unit bond priority and rename the Nebraska Governmental Unit Security

Interest Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 6 Senators Carlson, Christensen, Garrett, Gloor, Pirsch, Schumacher

Nay: 1 Senator Howard

Absent:

Present Not Voting: 1 Senator Campbell

Proponents: Representing:

Senator Paul Schumacher Introducer

Robert Hallstrom NE Bankers Association

Sam Moyer Heritage Bank

Opponents:Representing:Paul KratzCity of OmahaJohn CorriganNebraska AFL-CIO

Neutral:Representing:Richard PedersenBond Counsel

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB788 (Schumacher) would amend the sections of the Nebraska Governmental Unit Security Interest Act, sections 10-1101 to 10-1106, and rename the act to the Nebraska Governmental Unit Security Interest and Pledge Act.

The bill would create a statutory lien and grant a security interest in bond-pledged revenue sources of the issuing governmental unit. The lien would be valid, binding, and prior against all parties having claims against the governmental unit in a bankruptcy filing.

Mike Gloor, Chairperson		