

**ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2017**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB89**

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**Hearing Date:** Thursday January 19, 2017  
**Committee On:** Government, Military and Veterans Affairs  
**Introducer:** Hughes  
**One Liner:** Change published notice of hearing requirements under the Nebraska Budget Act as prescribed

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

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**Vote Results:**  
**Aye:** 6 Senators Brewer, Briese, Craighead, Lowe, Murante, Wayne  
**Nay:**  
**Absent:**  
**Present Not Voting:** 2 Senators Blood, Hilgers

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**Verbal Testimony:**

**Proponents:**  
Senator Dan Hughes  
John Bonaiuto  
Russ Karpisek  
Christy Abraham

**Representing:**  
Introducer  
Nebraska Association of School Boards  
Auditor of Public Accounts  
League of Nebraska Municipalities

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**  
Jerry Stilmock

**Representing:**  
Nebraska State Volunteer Firefighters' Association and  
Nebraska Fire Chiefs' Association

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB 89 reduces the number of days before a public hearing on a proposed budget statement that a governing body must give notice of the hearing from five days to four calendar days.

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**Explanation of amendments:**

AM 63 expands the notice clarifications made in LB 89 to fire protection districts.

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John Murante, Chairperson