ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2019 COMMITTEE STATEMENT (CORRECTED) LB361

Hearing Date: Monday February 11, 2019

Committee On: Business and Labor

Introducer: Hansen, M.

One Liner: Prohibit retaliation under the Nebraska Wage Payment and Collection Act and the Wage and Hour

Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File with amendment(s)

Vote Results:

Aye: 6 Senators Chambers, Crawford, Hansen, B., Hansen, M., Lathrop, Slama

Nay:

Absent: 1 Senator Halloran

Present Not Voting:

Oral Testimony:

Proponents: Representing:

Matt Hansen District 26 Senator

John Antonich Nebraska Association of Public Employees

Abbie Kretz
Susan Martin
Nebraska State AFL-CIO
Schuyler Geery-Zink
Nebraska Appleseed

Opponents: Representing:

Bob Hallstrom National Federation of Independent Business; Nebraska

Retail Federation; Nebraska Restaurant Association;

Nebraska Grocery Industry Association

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 361 prohibits an employer from retaliating or discriminating against an employee or applicant for employment because the employee or applicant filed a complaint under the Wage and Hour Act or the Nebraska Wage Payment and Collection Act, or participates in an investigation concerning violations of those acts.

Explanation of amendments:

AM 289 removes applicants from the bill.

Matt Hansen, M., Chairperson