ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2022 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LR283CA

Hearing Date: Thursday February 03, 2022

Committee On: Revenue **Introducer:** Bostar

One Liner: Constitutional amendment to authorize any city, county, or other political subdivision that operates an

airport to expend revenue for developing regularly scheduled commercial passenger air service at the

airport

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Albrecht, Bostar, Briese, Flood, Friesen, Lindstrom, Linehan,

Pahls

Nay:

Absent:

Present Not Voting:

Oral Testimony:

Proponents: Representing:

Senator Eliot Bostar Introducer

David Haring Lincoln Airport Authority

William "Bill" Austin Self

Bruce Bohrer Lincoln Chamber of Commerce, Nebraska Chamber of

Commerce and Industry

Bud Synhorst Lincoln Independent Business Association

Eric Gerrard City of Lincoln

Joe Kohout Lancaster County Board of Commissioners

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LR283CA creates a new section in the Nebraska Constitution Article XV-26.

The new section will allow any city, county, or other political subdivision that owns or operates an airport to use its revenue from any source for the public purpose of developing, or encouraging the development of new or expanded regularly scheduled commercial passenger air service at such airport.

Lou Ann Linehan, Chairperson