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SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE BILL 993

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Committee: Banking, Commerce and Insurance

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Financial Innovation Act; to
- 2 amend section 8-3024, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to provide
- 3 for a limitation on digital asset and cryptocurrency custody
- 4 services; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 8-3024, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021, is

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- 2 amended to read:
- 3 8-3024 A digital asset depository is authorized to carry on one or
- 4 more of the following digital asset business activities:
- 5 (1) Provide digital asset and cryptocurrency custody services; .
- 6 Such custody services shall not be provided for a digital asset or
- 7 cryptocurrency unless the digital asset or cryptocurrency was:
- 8 (a) Initially offered for public trade more than six months prior to
- 9 the date of the custody services;
- 10 (b) Created by a bank chartered in Nebraska; or
- 11 (c) Created by a bank chartered by the United States.
- 12 (2) Issue stablecoins and hold deposits at a Federal Deposit
- 13 Insurance Corporation-insured financial institution which has a main-
- 14 chartered office in this state, any branch thereof in this state, or any
- 15 branch of the financial institution which maintained a main-chartered
- 16 office in this state prior to becoming a branch of such financial
- 17 institution that serves as reserves for stablecoins; and
- 18 (3) Use independent node verification networks and stablecoins for
- 19 payment activities.
- 20 Sec. 2. Original section 8-3024, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021,
- 21 is repealed.