

Summary of Legislative Bills for the Special Session

Legislative Bill ____ This legislation makes changes to the mainline and related appropriations bills for aid, operations, and capital construction that represent the current 2001-03 biennial budget for the State of Nebraska.

Legislative Bill ____ This legislation makes appropriations to the Legislative Council for costs related to this special session of the Legislature.

Legislative Bill ____ This legislation changes State laws in order to accomplish specific budget adjustments related to certain Funds:

- Expands the authorized use of the Supreme Court Probation Cash Fund.
- Transfers the unobligated balance of the Department of Health and Human Services Nursing Facility Conversion Cash Fund to the Department of Health and Human Services Finance and Support Cash Fund instead of the Nebraska Health Care Cash Fund.
- Reduces the \$1 share of the Documentary Stamp Tax allocated to the Affordable Housing Trust Fund to \$.50 and allocates \$.50 to the General Fund.
- Transfers excess October 2001 receipts from the Department of Health and Human Services Intergovernmental Trust Fund to the Department of Education Cash Fund to finance a portion of special education services for FY 02.
- Transfers the balance in the Attracting Excellence in Teaching Program Cash Fund to the General Fund and allocates the first \$2.7 million on an annual basis from the Education Innovation Fund to the Attracting Excellence to Teaching Program Cash Fund.
- Eliminates the allocation of school reorganization incentive payments to school systems that consolidate or unify after August 1, 2001.

Legislative Bill ____ This legislation changes State law to postpone the operative date from January 1, 2001, to January 1, 2003, for the business child care tax credit enacted in LB433 in 2001.

Note: Legislative Bill numbers will be assigned when these proposals are introduced after convening of the Special Session on Thursday, October 25, 2001.