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LEGISLATIVE BILL 1039

Introduced by McDonnell, 5.

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Committee:

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Firefighter Cancer Benefits Act; to
- 2 amend section 35-1002, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021; to provide
- 3 for reimbursement from the state as prescribed; to harmonize
- 4 provisions; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 35-1002, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2021, is
2 amended to read:

3 35-1002 Sections 35-1002 to 35-1010 and section 2 of this act shall
4 be known and may be cited as the Firefighter Cancer Benefits Act.

5 Sec. 2. (1) The State Fire Marshal shall reimburse any rural or
6 suburban fire protection district, airport authority, city, village, or
7 nonprofit corporation that provides enhanced cancer benefits pursuant to
8 the Firefighter Cancer Benefits Act for the annual cost of premiums for
9 such enhanced cancer benefits.

10 (2) To qualify for reimbursement, an entity described in subsection
11 (1) of this section shall submit information regarding the total annual
12 cost of such premiums in a manner prescribed by the State Fire Marshal.

13 (3) It is the intent of the Legislature to appropriate to the State
14 Fire Marshal the funds necessary to carry out this section.

15 Sec. 3. Original section 35-1002, Revised Statutes Supplement,
16 2021, is repealed.