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LEGISLATIVE BILL 124

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Committee:

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to the Office of Inspector General of the
- 2 Nebraska Correctional System Act; to amend section 47-918, Revised
- 3 Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2020; to change provisions relating
- 4 to reports; and to repeal the original section.
- 5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 47-918, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement,
2 2020, is amended to read:

3 47-918 On or before October ~~September~~ 15 of each year, the Inspector
4 General shall provide to each member of the Judiciary Committee of the
5 Legislature, the Governor, and the Clerk of the Legislature an annual
6 report which shall include a summary of reports and investigations made
7 under the Office of Inspector General of the Nebraska Correctional System
8 Act for the preceding year, as well as a summary of multi-year systemic
9 issues in the department and the Division of Parole Supervision
10 identified and examined by the Inspector General, including any related
11 findings and recommendations. The report summary provided to the Clerk of
12 the Legislature shall be provided electronically. The summaries shall
13 include recommendations and an update on the status of recommendations
14 made in prior summaries, if any. The recommendations may address issues
15 discovered through investigations, audits, inspections, and reviews by
16 the office that will (1) increase accountability and legislative
17 oversight of the Nebraska correctional system, (2) improve operations of
18 the department and the Nebraska correctional system, (3) deter and
19 identify fraud, abuse, and illegal acts, and (4) identify inconsistencies
20 between statutory requirements and requirements for accreditation. The
21 summaries shall not contain any confidential or identifying information
22 concerning the subjects of the reports and investigations.

23 Sec. 2. Original section 47-918, Revised Statutes Cumulative
24 Supplement, 2020, is repealed.