

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 173**

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PURPOSE: The purpose of this interim study is to examine health concerns related to the public use of and secondhand exposure to electronic nicotine delivery systems and other products including, but not limited to, e-cigarettes and vaping devices.

The interim study shall include, but not be limited to, an examination of:

(1) The chemicals, nicotine, particulate matter, heavy metals, and pollutants found in such devices;

(2) The health concerns of people who are involuntarily exposed to toxins, chemicals, particulate matter, heavy metals, and pollutants;

(3) The health problems also associated with secondhand smoke, vapor, fog, mist, gas, or aerosol products because of exposure to toxins, chemicals, particulate matter, heavy metals, and pollutants; and

(4) Potential statutory changes necessary to prevent exposure to secondhand nicotine vapor to protect population health and environmental health.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Health and Human Services Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution.

2. That the committee shall upon the conclusion of its study make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature.