



## **UNICAMERAL UPDATE**

**January 11, 2019**

**Bob Hoppe**, Legislative Committee Co-Chairman\* **Ritch Nelson**, Legislative Committee Co-Chair\* **John Deardorff**, Legislative Advisory Council Chair\* **Vincent Christensen**, InsurPac/IIANPAC Chairman\* **Sandra Ryks**, President\* **Carol McClelland**, CEO \* **Jim Cavanaugh**, Legislative Representative

**FROM: James P. Cavanaugh**

**RE: Nebraska 2018 Legislative Session, Week ending January 11,2019**

### **WEEK IN REVIEW**

The 90 day 2019 Nebraska Unicameral Legislative Session began on Wednesday January 9, 2019.

Today is the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of the session. This week the Legislature was sworn in, as was the Governor and all constitutional officers. The Speaker, Senator Scheer, was re-elected and committee chairs and assignments were decided (see attached 2019 Legislative committee lists) and bill introduction began. Bill introduction will continue until the 10<sup>th</sup> legislative day of the session (January 23, 2019).

You will receive a copy of this Week in Review at the end of each week throughout the 2019 Legislative Session. If you have any questions or wish to be removed from this list, please let us know. Our contact information: office phone: 402 341-2020, my cell phone: 402 301-9675, my email: [cavanaughlawfirm@aol.com](mailto:cavanaughlawfirm@aol.com) Cinde's email: [cinde@thecavanaughlawfirm.com](mailto:cinde@thecavanaughlawfirm.com)  
The Nebraska Legislature's website: [www.nebraskalegislature.gov](http://www.nebraskalegislature.gov)

### **2019 Bills of Potential Interest to IIAN**

<b><u>BILL</u></b>	<b><u>IIAN</u></b>	<b><u>Senator</u></b>	<b><u>TOPIC</u></b>
<b>LB19</b>		Briese	Allow withholding from public of reports of injury under the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Act as prescribed and provide duties for the Nebraska Workers' Compensation Court
<b>LB26</b>		Kolterman	Change provisions related to legal service insurance corporations
<b>LB99</b>		Wayne	Change requirements of the Prompt Payment Act
<b>LB116</b>		Kolterman	Authorize electronic delivery of insurance policies and billing information to insureds
<b>LB139</b>		Kolterman	Change provisions relating to a data base of contractors under the Contractor Registration Act

<b>LB142</b>	Geist	Change provisions relating to driving automation systems and liability
<b>LB159</b>	Williams	Change provisions of the Nebraska Life and Health Insurance Guaranty Association Act
<b>LB178</b>	Hilgers	Change provisions relating to workers' compensation claims, tort claims against the state, and state vehicles
<b>LB186</b>	Lindstrom	Adopt the Online Notary Public Act