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Committee:

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to state government; to amend section 81-132,
2 Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2012; to require
3 a report from state agencies on inefficient programs as
4 prescribed; and to repeal the original section.
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 81-132, Revised Statutes Cumulative
2 Supplement, 2012, is amended to read:

3 81-132 (1) All departments, offices, and institutions of
4 the state government requesting appropriations shall file in the
5 office of the Director of Administrative Services the budget forms
6 furnished them by the director under the provisions of sections
7 81-1113 and 81-1113.01. The budget forms required by this section
8 shall be filed on or before September 15 of each even-numbered year,
9 except that in 2002, the budget administrator of the budget division
10 of the Department of Administrative Services may extend the filing
11 deadline for budget forms to a date no later than October 15, 2002.
12 The forms shall show their total estimated requirements for the next
13 biennium for each unit of their organization and activity classified
14 as to object of expenditure. With such forms, each department,
15 office, institution, and expending agency shall file a report showing
16 all money received by such department, office, institution, or
17 expending agency together with the estimated receipts for the coming
18 biennium. Such estimates shall be accompanied by a statement in
19 writing giving facts and explanations of reasons for each item of
20 increased appropriation requested. The report submitted by the
21 Department of Health and Human Services shall include, but not be
22 limited to, the key goals, benchmarks, and progress reports required
23 pursuant to section 81-3133.

24 (2) Along with the forms and report required under
25 subsection (1) of this section, each department, office, institution,

1 and expending agency shall file a report identifying low-utilization,
2 low-priority, and inefficient programs that are required by statute
3 and are under the jurisdiction of such department, office,
4 institution, or expending agency. The report shall include
5 recommendations for improvement or elimination of such programs.

6 Sec. 2. Original section 81-132, Revised Statutes
7 Cumulative Supplement, 2012, is repealed.