### ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

### FIRST SESSION

# **LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 18CA**

### PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Introduced by Hunt, 8.

Read first time January 11, 2023

## Committee:

- 1 THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST
- 2 SESSION, RESOLVE THAT:
- 3 Section 1. At the general election in November 2024, the following
- 4 proposed amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall be submitted to
- 5 the electors of the State of Nebraska for approval or rejection:
- 6 To amend Article I, section 1:
- 7 I-1 All persons are by nature free and independent, and have certain
- 8 inherent and inalienable rights; among these are life, liberty,
- 9 reproductive freedom, the pursuit of happiness, and the right to keep and
- 10 bear arms for security or defense of self, family, home, and others, and
- 11 for lawful common defense, hunting, recreational use, and all other
- 12 lawful purposes, and such rights shall not be denied or infringed by the
- 13 state or any subdivision thereof. To secure these rights, and the
- 14 protection of property, governments are instituted among people, deriving
- 15 their just powers from the consent of the governed.
- 16 Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors
- 17 in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska, Article XVI,
- 18 section 1, with the following ballot language:
- 19 A constitutional amendment to protect the right to reproductive
- 20 freedom.
- 21 For
- 22 Against.