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Update on Proposed Agreement Between the Attorney General's Office and the NEOC

(Lincoln, Neb) A proposed agreement between the Attorney General's office and the Nebraska Equal Opportunity Commission (NEOC) was not signed today. The agreement, reviewed and supported by the Department of Housing and Urban Development, outlines a working relationship between the Attorney General's office and the NEOC for the investigation and prosecution of housing discrimination cases.

"The Attorney General's office was fully prepared to sign the document today," said David Cookson, Chief Deputy Attorney General. "The NEOC informed our office that the approval of the agreement needs to be taken up by the entire commission at a special meeting. We look forward to working with the NEOC and continuing our fight against discrimination."

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