

28-716.

Person participating in an investigation or making report; immune from liability; civil or criminal.

Any person participating in an investigation or the making of a report of child abuse or neglect required by section [28-711](#) pursuant to or participating in a judicial proceeding resulting therefrom shall be immune from any liability, civil or criminal, that might otherwise be incurred or imposed, except for maliciously false statements.

Source

- Laws 1977, LB 38, § 155;
- Laws 1994, LB 1035, § 5;
- [Laws 2005, LB 116, § 7.](#)

Annotations

- The immunity from liability under state law provided by this section does not apply to a claim advanced under federal law, even if that claim is litigated in a Nebraska court. *Shearer v. Leuenberger*, 256 Neb. 566, 591 N.W.2d 762 (1999).