



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 251

Chairperson: Vickie McDonald
Committee: General Affairs
Date of Hearing: January 22, 2007

The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

Legislative Bill 251 outright repeals section 53-174 of Nebraska statutes that prohibits alcohol from being added to beer.

Current law prohibits anyone with a liquor license from adding alcohol to beer. In addition, the law also prohibits the customer of such licensee from adding liquor to a beer while on the licensee's premises.

A violation of this statute could result in the suspension or revocation of a person's liquor license in addition to a person being guilty of a Class IV misdemeanor for a first offense and a Class II misdemeanor for a second or subsequent offense.

Principal Introducer:

Senator John Synowiecki