



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 611**

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**Chairperson:** John Synowiecki  
**Committee:** Nebraska Retirement Systems  
**Date of Hearing:** February 14, 2007

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

LB 611 would change the current employee and employer retirement contribution rates under the Nebraska State Patrol Retirement Act. The plan, for the current fiscal year, requires an additional required state contribution of \$813,159.

The current employee contribution rate is 13% of compensation and is scheduled to fall to 12% on July 1, 2007. LB 611 would set the employee contribution rate at 14%.

Currently, the employer contribution rate is 15% of compensation and is scheduled to fall to 13% on July 1, 2007. LB 611 would set the employer contribution rate at 16%.

**Principal Introducer:**

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**John Synowiecki, Chairperson**  
**Committee on Nebraska Retirement Systems**