

One Hundred Second Legislature - First Session - 2011

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB80

Chairperson: Senator Brad Ashford

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 09, 2011

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

LB 80 seeks to address an imbalance in the Nebraska Juvenile Code provisions.

Specifically, LB 80 would eliminate the burden of proof placed on the parent or child to establish that the case plan proposed by the Department of Health and Human Services is not in the child's best interest.

The Department of Health and Human Services would now have that burden, as they do for any other evidence submitted to the court to show that the case plan should be approved.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Amanda McGill