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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB130

Chairperson: Senator Ken Schilz

Committee: Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: February 25, 2015

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

LB 130 proposes to make projects that have been allocated funding from the Nebraska Resources Development Fund as of March 30, 2014, eligible for funding from the Water Sustainability Fund. Since such projects have already went through the application process, project sponsors would submit a statement of need to the Department of Natural Resources, rather than an application. The Natural Resources Commission is directed to develop a ranking system to give priority consideration to such projects.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Dan Watermeier