

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - First Session - 2015

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB225

Chairperson: Senator Les Seiler

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: January 22, 2015

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

LB225 changes provisions related to college and university competitive teams that utilize firearms. Presently, the statute that regulates possession of a firearm by a team member of a collegiate team specifies the word 'rifle' as the descriptor. There are a number of different types of firearms used by team members. Rifles are used in competitive shooting and drill teams, but pistol, shotgun and muzzleloading competition are also common at the college level. LB225 would strike the word 'rifle' with the remainder of existing firearms statute remaining untouched.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator David Schnoor