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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Jim Scheer

Committee: Banking, Commerce and Insurance

Date of Hearing: February 10, 2015

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

LB 553 defines when dental services are considered to be covered by a policy, certificate, contract, agreement or plan as a service for which full reimbursement is provided.

LB 553 also states that an alternate benefit is allowed for non-covered services and that a dentist may bill for the difference between their charge and the corresponding reimbursement, or alternate benefit.

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Principal Introducer:	

Senator Mike Gloor