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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB203

Chairperson: Senator Joni Albrecht

Committee: Business and Labor

Date of Hearing: January 23, 2017

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

LB203 seeks to amend sections 48-626 and 48-628 regarding unemployment benefits. LB203 changes the requirements for receiving unemployment benefits for individuals who voluntarily leave a job without good cause.

LB 203 would require an individual who voluntarily leaves a job without good cause to earn four times their weekly benefit amount in insured work to be eligible for unemployment benefits.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Kuehn