

One Hundred Fifth Legislature - First Session - 2017

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB212

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:

LB 212 would create the Line Of Duty Compensation Act to provide a one time death benefit to the family of a firefighter, law enforcement officer, or correctional officer who dies in the line of duty.

LB 212 would provide a one time \$50,000 benefit from State General Fund dollars and that amount would adjust annually in accordance with the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers.

The Line of Duty Compensation Act is intended to recognize the ultimate sacrifice made by a first responder or correctional officer

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Matt Hansen