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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB497

Chairperson: Senator John Murante

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 15, 2017

LB 497 updates and harmonizes current law in order to make the necessary provisions for Nebraska to utilize a new Department of Defense program that allows the official record Department of Defense Form 214 (DD Form 214) to be accessed and shared by veterans electronically. As it is, the official artifact veterans currently use is the paper form with a raised seal and original ink signature. This bill brings the law up to date in order to give veterans the opportunity to leverage new information technology.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Tom Brewer