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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1074

Chairperson: Senator Tom Carlson

Committee: Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: February 06, 2014

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

LB 1074 addresses groundwater sustainability in Nebraska. The same scientific principles currently employed by the Department of Natural Resources when designating a basin, subbasin, or reach fully appropriated will be used to determine whether existing uses in a basin, subbasin, or reach have already caused insufficient water supplies justifying an overappropriated designation.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Steve Lathrop