

One Hundred Third Legislature - Second Session - 2014

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1110

Chairperson: Senator Brad Ashford

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 26, 2014

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

Legislative Bill 1110 would amend the Concealed Handgun Permit Act. It would add language to allow active duty military personnel to have 60 days after returning home to Nebraska to renew their Nebraska Concealed Handgun Permit.

Currently, in Nebraska, to obtain a permit or renew a permit, you are required to appear in person. If a Nebraska resident, who is a concealed handgun permit holder serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, is stationed outside of Nebraska and their permit is about to expire there is no process for them to be able to renew their permit. Because of this, they are to spend the time and money to take the course and pay the full application fee to obtain a new permit. If the same person in the Military has their motor vehicle operator's license expire, Nebraska law currently gives such person and their spouse 60-days after their return to renew their operator's license.

LB1110 seeks to provide this same extension to military personnel and their spouses as it pertains to a Concealed Handgun Permit.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Mark Christensen