

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - First Session - 2015

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB28

Chairman: Senator Kathy Campbell

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: February 27, 2015

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

Legislative Bill 28 requires that all new construction will include radon resistant construction to protect Nebraskans. The Radon Resistant Building Codes Task Force will make recommendations for legislation prior to the start of the 2016 Legislature. Radon is a radioactive element found in uranium in soil and Nebraska has the third highest emission in the United States. Radon is the number one cause of lung cancer in non-smokers.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Bob Krist, District 10