

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB683

Chairperson: Senator Mike Gloor

Committee: Revenue

Date of Hearing: January 28, 2016

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

Legislative Bill 683 amends section 77-3506, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement 2014; and section 77-3509, Revised Statutes Supplement, 2015; to change provisions relating to homestead exemptions for certain surviving spouses.

The amendments in LB683 would harmonize Nebraska statute with federal law, regarding surviving spouses of veterans and the furnishing of benefits relating to dependency and indemnity of compensation, allowing a surviving spouse who remarries after the age of fifty-seven to retain their current homestead exemption status.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Joni Craighead