

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB842

Chairperson: Senator Kathy Campbell

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: March 02, 2016

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

LB 842 would amend Nebraska Revised Statute section 71-208 to meet the requirements of the U.S. Department of Education. LB 842 would require a high school diploma or GED prior to admittance to a barber school if that barber school operates as a postsecondary barber school or college. These amendments are required by the U.S. Department of Education in order for barber students to receive federal financial aid through the Department of Education.

The state Barber Board has also licensed barber schools at the high school level, specifically at Boys Town. LB 842 would also amend section 71-208 to allow the Nebraska Barber Board to continue to authorize such programs as well.

LB 842 also would define postsecondary barber school or college in section 71-202.01.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Ken Haar