

**ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2017**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB371**

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**Hearing Date:** Wednesday February 01, 2017  
**Committee On:** Judiciary  
**Introducer:** Crawford  
**One Liner:** Eliminate condemnation authority of the State Fire Marshal

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Advanced to General File

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**Vote Results:**

<b>Aye:</b>	7	Senators Baker, Ebke, Halloran, Hansen, Krist, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks
<b>Nay:</b>		
<b>Absent:</b>	1	Senator Chambers
<b>Present Not Voting:</b>		

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**Verbal Testimony:**

**Proponents:**

Senator Sue Crawford  
Jim Heine

**Representing:**

Introducer  
State Fire Marshal

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

Christy Abraham

**Representing:**

League of Nebraska Municipalities

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB 371 eliminates the authority of the State Fire Marshal to condemn buildings or structures. Upon adoption of LB 371, the statutes that previously granted this authority and outlined the process for such condemnation proceedings are repealed.

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Laura Ebke, Chairperson