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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1116

Chairperson: Senator Mike Groene

Committee: Education

Date of Hearing: February 13, 2018

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

Legislative Bill 1116 or the Quality Education Accountability Act; would create the Quality Education Accountability Commission and the Quality Education Accountability Office; to transfer authority for an accountability system; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal the original sections.

For school year 2019-20 and each school year thereafter, the commission shall implement a statewide reporting and accountability system. The reporting and accountability system shall report to the state, the public, and any other interested parties on the performance of public schools, school districts, and learning communities pursuant to this section. The system shall use student performance data from assessments pursuant to section 79-760.03 and national assessment instruments for such school years in addition to any other data the commission finds relevant.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Lou Ann Linehan