

One Hundred Fifth Legislature - First Session - 2017

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB527

Chairperson: Senator Laura Ebke

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: March 16, 2017

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

LB 527 creates a process to allow issuance of a subpoena, after notice and hearing to the custodian of those records, to access such records without requiring the filing of a lawsuit against an adverse party.

Under current law, a party must file a lawsuit against an adverse party to obtain access to reports and audio or video that could determine whether a lawsuit is warranted.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Adam Morfeld