

Legislature - First Session - 2019

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LR15

Chairperson: Senator Mike Hilgers

Committee: Executive Board

Date of Hearing: February 22, 2019

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

LR15 creates a special Workforce Development Committee of the Legislature to study incentives to promote the recruitment and retention of workers in Nebraska, with particular focus on veterans and college graduates. The Committee will explore college loan forgiveness as a potential tool to recruit and retain young people and the role workforce issues play in incentivizing employers to create and keep jobs in Nebraska. The Committee shall issue a report electronically with its findings and recommendations to the Executive Board of the Legislative Council on or before December 31, 2019 and the Committee will also terminate at such date.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Patty Pansing Brooks