

NINETY-THIRD LEGISLATURE, FIRST SESSION

INTRODUCER'S STATEMENT OF INTENT

LB 166

Senator DiAnna Schimek, Chairperson

Committee on Government, Military and Veteran Affairs

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

LB 166 replaces the current method for awarding electoral college votes in Nebraska back to the method used prior to 1992. This bill gives all five electoral college votes to the presidential candidate receiving the majority of the state's popular vote. In 1991, the legislature approved LB 115, which awards two of the electoral college votes to the state winner and then distributes the other delegate votes to the winner in each of the three congressional districts.

Date: March 18, 1993



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Senator Roger R. Wehrbein  
Principal Introducer