

One Hundred Eighth Legislature - Second Session - 2024

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1376

Chairperson: Senator Robert Clements

Committee: Appropriations

Date of Hearing: February 13, 2024

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

LB 1376 would appropriate \$6 million from the General Fund for fiscal year 2024-25 to the Department of Health and Human Services, for Program 348, for prescription reimbursement for pharmacies that own six or fewer pharmacies. The bill is designed to provide funding for an increase in the Medicaid dispensing fee for the designated group of pharmacies.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Merv Riepe