

**One Hundred Eighth Legislature - Second Session - 2024**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB972**

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**Chairperson: Senator Justin Wayne**

**Committee: Judiciary**

**Date of Hearing: February 01, 2024**

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

LB 972 adds Mitragynine commonly known as Kratom as well as synthetic forms of Mitragynine and 7-hydroxymitragynine to Nebraska's controlled substance list.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Loren Lippincott**