

## Hundredth Legislature - Second Session - 2008 Introducer's Statement of Intent LB 1125

Chairperson:	Ron Raikes
Committee:	<b>Education</b>

Date of Hearing: February 25, 2008

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

Legislative Bill 1125 offers technical changes to the Nebraska Early Childhood Education Endowment, pursuant to Nebraska Revised Statute 79-1104.

Clarification regarding "earnings" is made in accordance with private fiscal management practices. The Endowment Board of Trustees will have the latitude to designate adequate monies for technical assistance to local communities and evaluation of grantees, ensuring that dollars are spent only on programs that exhibit true impact for children who are at risk. Primary applicant is clarified. The process for appointment of urban and rural representatives on the Board of Trustees is harmonized.

Principal Introducer:	
-	Senator Greg Adams