



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 324**

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**Chairperson:** John Synowiecki  
**Committee:** Nebraska Retirement Systems  
**Date of Hearing:** February 14, 2007

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

LB 324, introduced by the Speaker at the request of the Governor, is a part of the Governor's biennial budget recommendations.

The bill eliminates existing statutory language that was scheduled to reduce both the employer and employee retirement contribution rates in the State Patrol Retirement System on July 1, 2007. Instead, this bill would continue the current employer retirement contribution rate of 15% of each officer's pay and the current employee retirement contribution rate of 13% of each officer's pay to continue to fund the expected normal cost of the accruing benefits for the State Patrol Retirement System plan.

**Principal Introducer:**

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**Senator Mike Flood**  
**At the Request of the Governor**