

One Hundred Third Legislature - Second Session - 2014

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB741

Chairperson: Senator Kate Sullivan

Committee: Education

Date of Hearing: January 27, 2014

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

LB 741 provides that school boards or boards of education for each public school district in the state adopt a policy and response plan for tornado safety in Nebraska public schools. Major provisions of the plan include but are not limited to:

- At least three tornado drills per year.
- Construction of a diagram showing a visible route to tornado shelters.
- Provisions relating to safe and orderly movement of students and staff to a sheltered area.
- A plan dictating exactly what to do when a tornado siren is sounded.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Murante