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

## **Introducer's Statement of Intent**

## LB1263

**Chairperson: Senator Dave Murman** 

**Committee: Education** 

Date of Hearing: January 30, 2024

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

LB 1263 directs the Department of Economic Development to create a scholarship program for any student enrolled in a skilled trade program in a post secondary institution or private business in Nebraska. Students would be eligible to receive \$2500 towards tuition, supplies, or expenses related to the trade program. LB 1263 appropriates \$1million to the Department of Economic Development to implement this scholarship program.

Principal Introducer:

Senator Anna Wishart