

COMMITTEE STATEMENT

LB 519 created a Community-Based Neurobehavioral Rehabilitation Advisory Board (advisory board) consisting of 9-15 members appointed by the Commissioner of Education, and required submission of a report of a statewide needs and resources assessment and action plan to the Legislature, the Department of Education and the Department of Health and Human Services by December 31, 1999. The act was to sunset on July 31, 2000. LB 519 required a one-time appropriation of \$37,500 to access federal funds of \$75,000.

LB 898 extends the date for appointing the advisory board to February 1, 2000, extends the date for reporting to June 30, 2001 and extends the sunset date of the act to July 1, 2001.

EXPLANATION OF AMENDMENTS, IF ANY:

Senator Jim Jensen, Chairperson