



Ninety-Ninth Legislature - First Session - 2005
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 624

Chairperson: **Ron Raikes**
Committee: **Education**
Date of Hearing: **March 14, 2005**

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

LB 624 would amend Section 85-1906, which relates to institutional eligibility for participation in the Nebraska Scholarship Program (NSP). NSP is a need-based grant program for Nebraska resident students.

The bill would provide a dollar matching requirement for institutions participating in the program. Grants from federal Title IV programs, such as Pell Grants, would not be considered institutional aid.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Jeanne Combs