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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Dave Murman

Committee: Education

Date of Hearing: February 25, 2025

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

The intent of LB14 is to provide free breakfast and lunch to all public and private school students. Schools would be reimbursed by the State for any meal costs that are not reimbursed by the federal school breakfast, lunch or summer meals program. Participation in the Community Eligibility Provision, a federal program that provides meals at no cost to all students ineligible schools, would be required for eligible schools.

Principal Introducer:	
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