



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 387

Chairperson: Mike Friend
Committee: Urban Affairs
Date of Hearing: February 27, 2007

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

LB 387 directs that beginning January 1, 2008, all new residential construction that will have municipal or rural water district service, shall have separate water meters and plumbing installed at the time of construction, that will separate water used outside of the residence from water used inside of the residence.

The bill also requires that beginning January 1, 2015, all residential dwellings that have municipal or rural water district service, if and when they are sold, shall have separate water meters and plumbing installed that will separate water used outside of the residence from water used inside of the residence. This requirement is dependent upon feasibility of installation.

The bill also states that beginning January 1, 2015, all buildings equipped with municipal or rural water plumbing and service, shall have a water meter installed.

The above required water meters are to be supplied, paid for and maintained by the water service provider. Installation costs are to be paid for by each individual property owner.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Chris Langemeier