

## Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007 Introducer's Statement of Intent LB 86

**Chairperson:** Joel Johnson

**Committee:** Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: January 19, 2007

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

LB86, the "Good Neighbor Bill," requires that any person seeking to obtain a license from the Nebraska Health and Human Services System to operate an assisted living facility, center or group home for developmentally disabled, an intermediate home for mentally retarded, a rehabilitation home or substance abuse treatment center in a residential neighborhood must notify any registered neighborhood association within 500 feet of the proposed facility, by certified mail, upon submission of the application for licensure. If no registered neighborhood association exists the applicant agency shall notify the clerk of the city or village in which the proposed facility is to be located.

Principal Introducer:	
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