



One Hundred First Legislature - First Session - 2009
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 573

Chairperson: Steve Lathrop
Committee: Business and Labor
Date of Hearing: February 2, 2009

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

LB 573 is intended to expand the protections and safety regulations created by the Conveyance Safety Act statewide. Currently, the Act only applies to Douglas, Lancaster, and Sarpy counties.

The Conveyance Safety Act mandates that only licensed elevator mechanics and workers under their direct supervision may install, test, alter, repair, replace, or remove elevators, escalators, moving sidewalks, and other conveyances.

LB 573 also alters the membership of the Conveyance Advisory Committee from one member from Douglas, Lancaster, and Sarpy counties to one member each representing urban, suburban, and rural interests.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Jeremy Nordquist