

One Hundred First Legislature - First Session - 2009 Introducer's Statement of Intent LB 665

Chairperson:	Greg Adams
Committee:	Education
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 665 would adopt the Teacher Shortage Loan Repayment Act.

This proposal would permit students at Nebraska's public and private universities and colleges to participate in a loan forgiveness plan if they agree to teach in a shortage area school district for a certain period of time.

The program would be administered by the Coordinating Commission for Postsecondary Education (CCPE). It would have a limited appropriation and the CCPE would be required to report the results of the program to the Legislature and Governor to evaluate its performance.

Principal Introducer:		
_	Senator Charlie Janssen	