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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB208

Chairperson: Senator Chris Langemeier

Committee: Natural Resources

Date of Hearing: January 20, 2011

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

LB 208 makes clarifications to the Nebraska Power Review Board statutes governing certified renewable export facilities adopted last year, and removes inconsistencies with other wind energy statutes. The bill also provides the Power Review Board with the discretion to waive a conditional approval hearing for a certified renewable export facility if appropriate, and provides the board with explicit authority to request injunctive relief if an entity owning or operating a certified renewable export facility violates a statutory requirement or order of the board.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Chris Langemeier