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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB820

Chairperson: Senator Kathy Campbell

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: January 20, 2012

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

By January 2013, the department shall apply for a federal Title IV-E waiver for a demonstration project that permits foster care maintenance payments to be made under Title IV-E of the federal Social Security Act, as amended, to invest in services to improve child safety and family stability as they move from foster care to safe permanent homes. The funding incentives in the IV-E demonstration waiver is in line with program goals and good practices by providing an alternative to expensive out-of-home care for in-home and reunification services

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Kathy Campbell