

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB910

Chairperson: Senator Les Seiler

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 04, 2016

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

LB910: Section 1, 2, and 3 ensure that the Inspector General for the Department of Corrections has oversight over the Office of Parole Administration when that office transitions to the Board of Parole as required by LB598 (2015).

Sections 4, 5, and 7 delay the transfer of the Office of Parole from the Department of Correctional Services to the Board of Parole from its current transfer date of July 1, 2016 to January 1, 2017. Additionally, in Section 5, further reports to the legislature are required.

Section 6 changes the appointment process for the Parole Administrator so that the Board of Parole chooses their administrator and may remove their administrator through a vote of the Board.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Kate Bolz