

**One Hundred Fifth Legislature - First Session - 2017**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB577**

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**Chairperson: Senator Laura Ebke**

**Committee: Judiciary**

**Date of Hearing: March 03, 2017**

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

LB577 amends sections 28-101, 28-929.01, 28-1351, and 28-1354 to create the offense of assault on a peace officer, firefighter, or out-of-hospital emergency care provider by ambush.

LB577 would make assault on a peace officer, firefighter, or out-of-hospital emergency care provider by ambush a Class IB felony.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

Senator Mike Hilgers