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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB649

Chairperson: Senator Merv Riepe

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: March 17, 2017

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

LB 649 would require that no additional populations or services be added to the at-risk capitated managed care program before either January 1, 2019 or the completion of a critical evaluation proving the success of such program.

LB 649 would apply only to **long-term care services**. As of January 1, 2017, all Medicaid eligible persons had been included in the at-risk capitated managed care program referred to as Heritage Health.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Patty Pansing Brooks