

**Legislature - First Session - 2019**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB137**

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**Chairperson: Senator Tom Briese**

**Committee: General Affairs**

**Date of Hearing: March 04, 2019**

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

LB137 amends 28-1101, 28-1105, and 28-113 to create the Fantasy Contests Act. The act codifies how Fantasy Contest companies will be regulated, imposes annual registration fees and registration requirements that offer consumer protections. It takes existing Fantasy Contests that are already being played in Nebraska and regulates the activity while generating revenue for Nebraska's general fund.

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

Senator Carol Blood