

Legislature - First Session - 2019

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB326

Chairperson: Senator John Stinner

Committee: Appropriations

Date of Hearing: March 26, 2019

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

LB 326 will appropriate \$50,000 from the General Fund for FY2019-20 to the Department of Health and Human Services Children and Family Services. The purpose of the appropriation is to provide for the cultural competency and race equity training of case managers and other staff, to ensure they embrace the diversity of families and are aware of disparities and disproportionality in the child welfare system, while working towards mitigating these disparities.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Dan Quick