

Legislature - First Session - 2019

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB484

Chairperson: Senator Steve Lathrop

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: March 15, 2019

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

LB 484 creates the offense of an assault on a public safety officer.

Public safety officer is defined to mean a peace officer, a probation officer, a firefighter, an out-of-hospital emergency care provider, an employee of the Department of Health and Human Services working at the youth rehabilitation and treatment centers or at a regional center, an employee of the Department of Health and Human Services if the person committing the offense is committed as a dangerous sex offender under the Sex Offender Commitment Act.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Lowe