

**One Hundred Sixth Legislature - Second Session - 2020**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB918**

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**Chairperson: Senator Tom Brewer**

**Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs**

**Date of Hearing: February 13, 2020**

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

LB 918 will create a commission on African American Affairs. It will be a 14 member board - all of whom have African ancestry - that will promote state and federal legislation beneficial to African Americans in Nebraska, work and coordinate with other similar commissions from other states, and keep the Governor's office apprised of the plight and well-being of Nebraska's African American community.

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

Senator Justin Wayne