

One Hundred Seventh Legislature - First Session - 2021

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB546

Chairperson: Senator Steve Lathrop

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 19, 2021

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

LB 546 sets up the framework for the commercial sale of marijuana in Nebraska for persons over the age of 21. It also sets up the licensing, application, and regulatory structure for store owners, cultivators, transporters, product lines, and related manufacturing. The bill provides an equity component to ensure diversity and to decrease the barriers for entry into the industry.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Justin Wayne