ONE HUNDRED EIGHTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2024 **COMMITTEE STATEMENT**

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LB839	•		

Hearing Date: Monday January 22, 2024

Committee On: General Affairs

Introducer: Lowe

One Liner: Change provisions relating to the executive director and members of the State Racing and

Gaming Commission

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

6 Aye: Senators Brewer, Cavanaugh, J., Hardin, Holdcroft, Hughes, Lowe

Nay: 1 Senator Day Senator Raybould Absent: 1

Present Not Voting:

Testimony:

Proponents: Representing: Senator John Lowe **Opening Presenter**

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 839 makes changes to provide for the removal of a commissioner of the Racing and Gaming Commission by the Governor for cause. LB 839 also changes the process for hiring the Executive Director of the Commission by requiring this position to be hired by the Commission and approved by the Governor. It also states that the Executive Director shall not engage in any other employment or business outside of this position.

John Lowe, Chairperson

^{*} ADA Accommodation Written Testimony