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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Ben Hansen

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: February 21, 2024

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

LB920 primarily aims to prompt the Department of Health and Human Services to institute a restaurant meals program within the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP). This initiative aims to provide specific SNAP clients, who may face challenges in preparing meals or lack permanent housing for storing and cooking food with the ability to use their SNAP benefits to purchase prepared meals at restaurants.

Principal Introducer:	
	Senator Terrell McKinney