

One Hundred Ninth Legislature - Second Session - 2026

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LR299CA

Chairperson: Senator Carolyn Bosn

Committee: Judiciary

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

LR299CA establishes a Nebraska Board of Commutation as a citizen-led body empowered to exercise commutation authority currently held by the Nebraska Board of Pardons. Guided by restorative justice principles, the Board would incorporate consideration of rehabilitation, accountability, and community reintegration in commutation decision-making.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Terrell McKinney