



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Committee Statement
LB 101

Hearing Date: January 22, 2007

Committee On: Education

Introducer(s): (Erdman, 47)

Title: Clarify that only one parent need sign the statement regarding private schools that elect not to meet accreditation or approval

Roll Call Vote – Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Advanced to General File with Amendments

X Indefinitely Postponed

Vote Results:

7	Yes	Senators Adams, Ashford, Avery, Howard, Johnson, Kopplin, and Raikes
0	No	
1	Present, not voting	Senator Burling
0	Absent	

Proponents:

Senator Philip Erdman
September Martin
Madison Carlson
David Lostroh
Deb Badeer

Representing:

Introducer
Valley Home School Association
Self
Nebraska Christian Home Educators Association
Self

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Brian Halstead

Representing:

Nebraska Department of Education

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

Legislative Bill 101 would amend section 79-1601 by allowing only one parent or guardian to be responsible for a student in a school which elects not to meet state accreditation or approval requirements. Currently both parents or guardians must sign the statement of election for a child to attend a school which elects not to meet state accreditation or approval requirements and both are responsible for assuring that the requirements of the section are met. The signature requirement for an immunization waiver for such students would also be changed in the same manner.

Explanation of amendments, if any:

Senator Ron Raikes, Chairperson