

Hundredth Legislature - Second Session - 2008 Committee Statement LB 201

Hearing Date: January 25, 2007

Committee On: Judiciary

Introducer(s): (Fischer)

Title: Change the penalty for false information relating to motor vehicle registration

Roll Call Vote – Final Committee Action:

Advanced to General File

Advanced to General File with Amendments

X Indefinitely Postponed

Vote Results:

6 Yes Sen. Ashford, Sen. Lathrop, Sen, McDonald, Sen. McGill, Sen.

Pedersen, Sen. Schimek

No

1 Present, not voting Sen. Pirsch1 Absent Sen. Chambers

Proponents: Representing:

Sen. Fischer

Lawrence Turner Citizen

Larry Dix Nebraska Association of County Officials

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

Legislative Bill 201 proposes to amend section 60-3,171 to increase the penalty for motor vehicle registration fraud from a Class III misdemeanor to a Class IV felony. Section 60-3,171 prohibits the registration of a motor vehicle in the name of a person other than the owner, providing a false or fictitious name or mailing address for the registrant, or otherwise providing false or fictitious information on a motor vehicle registration application. The penalty for a Class III misdemeanor is 0-3 months imprisonment and up to a \$500 fine, and the penalty for a Class IV felony is 0-5 years imprisonment and up to

Senator Brad Ashford, Chairperson
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