

Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007 Introducer's Statement of Intent LB 407

Chairperson:	Brad Ashford
Committee:	Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 22, 2007

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

LB 407 changes the ignition interlock requirements for any person who has submitted to a chemical alcohol test and has had his or her operator's license revoked for one year under the Administrative License Revocation procedure. Under the provisions of LB 407, such a person would be eligible, after a 45 day revocation period, to apply for a permit to operate a motor vehicle equipped with an ignition interlock device.

Current law states that upon conviction for a second or subsequent violation of the statutes relating to driving under the influence, the court shall order all motor vehicles owned by the person to be immobilized for a period of time "not less than five days and not more than eight months". LB 407 changes the immobilization requirement to be for a period of time "not less than the minimum period of ineligibility for an employment driving permit or ignition interlock device" as outlined in the pertinent statutes.

Principal Introducer:		
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