



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 59

Chairperson: Deb Fischer
Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications
Date of Hearing: January 22, 2007

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

LB 59 requires persons seeking a motor vehicle, motorcycle, or trailer salesperson license or dealer's license, or a dealer's agent license, to successfully complete an education program. The education requirements would not apply to current license holders or those seeking a license for operation as a franchisee.

The education program shall be developed by a motor vehicle industry association having been in operation for at least 5 years and shall be approved by the Nebraska Motor Vehicle Industry Licensing Board. The program is to be at least 8 hours in length. The education program shall include motor vehicle advertising law, odometer law and regulation, motor vehicle licensing and registration, unlawful motor vehicle dealer activities, Nebraska and industry standard motor vehicle dealer forms, motor vehicle financing, motor vehicle service and warranty contracts, and any other laws applicable to being a used motor vehicle dealer.

Applicants must pass an open-book examination to successfully complete the education program, upon which the applicant will receive a certificate of completion, to be submitted to the board at the time of application for the license.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator L. Patrick Engel