



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 690

Chairperson: LeRoy Louden
Committee: Natural Resources
Date of Hearing: February 15, 2007

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

LB 690 would create an apprentice hunter education exemption certificate program.

Persons aged twelve to twenty-nine would be eligible to purchase this certificate and, with an appropriate hunting permit, accompany an experienced hunter to gauge their interest in pursuing complete hunter education certification.

The number of hunters in Nebraska is projected to decline in the future. This new program is proposed to encourage more persons to try hunting.

LB 690 would also remove wild turkey from the big game list and would permit persons aged ten and eleven to hunt certain big game species under adult supervision.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Deb Fischer