



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 72

Chairperson: Ron Raikes
Committee: Education
Date of Hearing: January 30, 2007

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

LB 72 would require all school districts to commence the start of the school year after Labor Day (the first Monday in September). A district may still hold athletic events and schedule in-service days or work days before Labor Day. Year-round schools would be exempt. A school district may also petition the Department of Education for an exclusion to the rule based on extraordinary reasons.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Deb Fischer