



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 85**

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**Chairperson:** Ron RaikesPahls  
**Committee:** Banking, Commerce and Insurance  
**Date of Hearing:** February 27, 2007

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

LB 85 will establish the Nebraska Health Insurance Policy Coalition as a coalition of the Legislature. The Coalition shall consist of 21 members. The Nebraska Health and Human Services System shall provide support and administration to the Coalition. The bill will charge the Nebraska Health Insurance Policy Coalition with recommending legislative remedies to expand access to health care coverage to employed individuals and children in the state.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Senator Gwen Howard**