



Hundredth Legislature - First Session - 2007
Introducer's Statement of Intent
LR 37

Chairperson: Deb Fischer
Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications
Date of Hearing: March 6, 2007

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

LR 37 was introduced to petition the Federal Government to grant Nebraska the authority to allow extended loads for certain truck/trailer combinations. LR 37 asks for an immediate review of the current federal ISTEA restrictions imposed on Nebraska which prohibit extending the length of combination vehicles and an examination of the feasibility for seeking a federal exemption that would allow extended combination truck lengths for purposes of hauling corn, wheat, soybeans, sorghum, millet, dry beans, and any other grain as defined by law.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Carol Hudkins