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**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 1039**

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**Chairperson:** Bill Avery  
**Committee:** Government, Military and Veterans Affairs  
**Date of Hearing:** February 11, 2010

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

LB 1039 adopts the Fire Extinguishing Certification Act, which requires certification of persons engaged in the inspection, installation, or servicing of portable fire extinguishers and pre-engineered fire extinguishing systems. The State Fire Marshall is authorized to set certification and insurance standards and issue a licensing fee for persons servicing such fire safety equipment. Enactment of the bill would standardize servicing of fire safety equipment so as to better ensure public safety and minimize risk of property damage.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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