



**One Hundred First Legislature - First Session - 2009**  
**Introducer's Statement of Intent**  
**LB 481**

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**Chairperson:** Tim Gay  
**Committee:** Health and Human Services  
**Date of Hearing:** March 5, 2009

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

LB 481 removes language that prohibits a certified nurse midwife from attending a home delivery. This would make it legal to have a home birth with a certified nurse midwife present.

**Principal Introducer:**

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**Senator Ken Haar**