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Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 627

Chairperson: Steve Lathrop
Committee: Business and Labor
Date of Hearing: February 2, 2009

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

This legislation is introduced at the request of the Nebraska Department of Labor.

LB 627 brings Nebraska's schedule of inspection for domestic potable hot water heaters into line with the recommended legislative guidelines published by the National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors. LB 627 would authorize the Commissioner of Labor to adopt a two-year inspection cycle for such hot water heaters rather than the one year inspection cycle now required by the Boiler Safety Act (*Neb. Rev. Stat.* §§ 48-719 to 48-743).

Principal Introducer:

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