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Introducer's Statement of Intent
LB 696

Chairperson: Chris Langemeier
Committee: Natural Resources
Date of Hearing: January 28, 2010

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

LB 696 imposes a waste disposal fee on solid waste transported from transfer stations in Nebraska for disposal outside of Nebraska. The fee is the same rate as the waste disposal fee on solid waste that is disposed of at landfills in the state. (\$1.25 for each six yards of uncompacted solid waste, \$1.25 for each three yards of compacted solid waste, or \$1.25 per ton of solid waste) The fees are collected by the Department of Environmental Quality.

The fee imposed in LB 696 will be imposed on the operator of the transfer station. The current fee is imposed on the operator of the landfill.

Principal Introducer: _____
Senator Rich Pahls