

**ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2011**  
**COMMITTEE STATEMENT**  
**LB150**

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**Hearing Date:** Wednesday January 26, 2011  
**Committee On:** Government, Military and Veterans Affairs  
**Introducer:** Lathrop  
**One Liner:** Require Internet notice of public meetings by state entities

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**Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**  
Indefinitely postponed

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**Vote Results:**

<b>Aye:</b>	5	Senators Avery, Brasch, Janssen, Price, Schumacher
<b>Nay:</b>	2	Senators Karpisek, Pahls
<b>Absent:</b>		
<b>Present Not Voting:</b>	1	Senator Sullivan

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**Proponents:**

Senator Steve Lathrop  
Richard Hedrick

**Representing:**

Introducer  
Self

**Opponents:**

**Representing:**

**Neutral:**

Shawn Renner

**Representing:**

Media of Nebraska, Inc.

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**Summary of purpose and/or changes:**

LB 150 amends the Open Meetings Act to require state agencies to provide notice of their public meetings on the official Nebraska government web site.

This requirement is in addition to the current requirement for all public bodies to "give reasonable advance publicized notice of the time and place of each meeting by a method designated by each public body and recorded in its minutes."

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Bill Avery, Chairperson