

ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2012
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB817

Hearing Date: Thursday February 02, 2012
Committee On: Judiciary
Introducer: Pirsch
One Liner: Change duties of the Community Corrections Division of the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye: 8 Senators Ashford, Coash, Council, Harr, Larson, Lathrop, Lautenbaugh, McGill
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Proponents:
SEN. PETE PIRSCH
MICHAEL BEHM

Representing:
INTRODUCER
CRIME COMMISSION

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 817 would make the following changes to sections 47-624 and 47-627 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes, which sections pertain to the Community Corrections Division

(formerly the Community Corrections Council) under the Nebraska Commission on Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice (Crime Commission):

1. Data Sharing:

1. Creates a new duty requiring the Division to manage all offender data in a confidential manner and develop procedures to ensure that identifiable information is not released;

2. Section 47-627 is amended to include problem solving court and specialized program data among the data collected and analyzed by the division.

2. 47-624 Changes:

1. Strikes subsection 1 relating to developing standards for CC facilities and programs. This duty is no longer necessary now that the Council has been eliminated.

2. Adds language to subsection 2 requiring the Division to collaborate with probation, parole and DCS in developing a

plan to establish a statewide community corrections system.

Brad Ashford, Chairperson