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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1060

Chairperson: Senator Bill Avery

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 23, 2012

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

LB 1060 amends the Administrative Procedures Act to change the type of notice agencies are required to provide to the public when proposing a change to a rule or regulation.

The bill requires agencies proposing changes to their rules or regulations to submit their notices of public hearing 35 days prior to the hearing to the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State will, at least 30 days prior to the hearing, publish the notice on their website.

The bill eliminates the requirement that these notices be published in a newspaper having general circulation in the state.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Bill Avery