

# **One Hundred Second Legislature - First Session - 2011**

## **Introducer's Statement of Intent**

### **LB110**

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**Chairperson: Senator Tom Carlson**

**Committee: Agriculture**

**Date of Hearing: January 18, 2011**

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

LB 110 amends the Nebraska Fertilizer and Soil Conditioners Act by removing the requirement that all soil conditioner products be registered with the Department of Agriculture. This does not eliminate or reduce the primary enforcement mechanism of product labeling requirements elsewhere in the act and inspection of products at point of distribution for labeling compliance will continue. The bill would require that the manufacturer or product guarantor be included with labeling information provided on or with products distributed commercially. LB 110 further clarifies that that late inspection filing fees assessed by statute are for reimbursement of additional administrative expense in collecting the underlying inspection fee. This would not affect current disposition of late registration fees.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Tom Carlson**