

One Hundred Second Legislature - First Session - 2011

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB231

Chairperson: Senator Brad Ashford

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 02, 2011

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

Legislative Bill 231 would amend section 28-611 that defines the offense of issuing a bad check, so that all bad checks are treated the same.

Currently, this section requires a person to obtain property, services, or present value for the offense of issuing a bad check. This creates a situation where a person who issues a bad check at a later time after receiving property, services, or any other present value is treated differently, than if that person had paid at the time of receiving property, services, or any other present value.

To treat all bad checks equally, this bill would strike the requirement for present value.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Mark Christensen