

One Hundred Second Legislature - Second Session - 2012

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB722

Chairperson: Senator Brad Ashford

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 24, 2012

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

Convicted defendants are often ordered to pay court costs. Allowing the courts to deduct costs from bonds posted by defendants could bring in a significant amount of additional revenue. LB722 amends §29-2206 to allow courts to deduct from the convicted person's bond as an alternative to ordering a lump sum payment of court costs.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Colby Coash