

**One Hundred Second Legislature - Second Session - 2012**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB895**

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**Chairperson: Senator Greg Adams**

**Committee: Education**

**Date of Hearing: January 23, 2012**

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

LB 895 provides that the Commissioner of Education shall issue a Nebraska teaching certificate to a military spouse if that spouse holds a teaching certificate from another state and that state's requirements are equivalent or exceed the requirements for a Nebraska teaching certificate and that spouse can demonstrate competency to the Nebraska Board of Education.

LB 895 allows a temporary certificate to be issued to a military spouse while the individual is completing the requirements listed above.

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

**Senator Amanda McGill**