

One Hundred Second Legislature - Second Session - 2012

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB978

Chairperson: Senator Russ Karpisek

Committee: General Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 06, 2012

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

Under current law there is no restriction on the price an alcohol retail licensee can charge for alcohol to be sold for off-premise consumption. LB 978 would require a liquor retailer with a license to sell alcohol for off-premise consumption to sell its liquor or beer for at least the cost it paid the wholesaler. LB 978 would prevent retailers from selling alcohol for off-premise consumption as a "loss-leader."

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Russ Karpisek