

One Hundred Third Legislature - First Session - 2013

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB592

Chairperson: Senator Brad Ashford

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: March 21, 2013

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

LB592 would bring Nebraska State Law into compliance with HR218, The Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004.

LB592 would allow "qualified law enforcement officers", meeting requirements as defined in both federal law and LB592, to carry their weapons concealed while off duty anywhere they could carry while uniformed or on duty.

LB592 would further allow "qualified retired law enforcement officers", meeting requirements as defined in both federal law and LB592, to carry a concealed weapon anywhere they could carry before their retirement when they were uniformed or on duty.

LB592 would supercede any local carry restrictions in regards to these retired and active qualified law enforcement officers

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Scott Lautenbaugh