

One Hundred Third Legislature - Second Session - 2014

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB978

Chairperson: Senator Galen Hadley

Committee: Revenue

Date of Hearing: February 26, 2014

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

LB978 represents a common sense approach to helping residential energy customers reduce their energy bills. LB978 provides incentives for public utilities to allow private companies to use a simple one-stop process to decrease their customers' energy use and pay for it on their electric bills.

The Low-Income Home Energy Conservation Act provides assistance for certain energy-related home improvements by making funds available to eligible low-income Nebraska residents. The improvements are accomplished through grants offered by participating utility providers to the eligible residents.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Burke Harr