

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2015
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB452

Hearing Date: Wednesday February 11, 2015
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: Hilkemann
One Liner: Provide advertising requirements under the Uniform Credentialing Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:
Aye: 7 Senators Baker, Campbell, Cook, Crawford, Howard, Kolterman, Riepe
Nay:
Absent:
Present Not Voting:

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator Robert Hilkemann
Ann Frohman
Mark Ptacek
William Mueller

Representing:

District 4
Nebraska Medical Association
Nebraska Medical Association
Nebraska Dermatology Society;Nebraska Academy of
Eye Physicians and Surgeons

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB452 was introduced with help from the Nebraska Medical Association. There is a national movement by the American Medical Association to "know your provider" and ensure licensed professionals are using the credentials they have earned.

Section-by-section description:

Section (1): Amends 38-124 of the Uniform Credentialing Act, adding guidelines and requirements relating to advertising for health care services by credential holders. The advertisement must not be misleading or deceptive and must not misstate or falsely describe the skills, training, credentials, etc. of the credential holder.

Grammatical change made to pronoun in subsection (2).

Section (2): Amends 38-178 regarding disciplinary measures for failing to comply with the provisions of the act.

Section (3): Repealer section
