

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2016
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB680

Hearing Date: Wednesday January 27, 2016
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: Riepe
One Liner: Change requirements for pharmacy technicians

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

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

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:
Senator Merv Riepe
Joni Cover

Representing:
District 12
Nebraska Pharmacist's Association

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB680 amends the Pharmacy Practice Act, under the Uniform Credentialing Act, regarding pharmacy technicians. Strikes the pharmacy technician language from LB37 (2015) and re-inserts the requirement with added language including timing requirements for when pharmacy technicians must become certified based on when they became registered with the state. Requires that pharmacy technicians maintain certification while on the registry.

Kathy Campbell, Chairperson