

**One Hundred Fourth Legislature - First Session - 2015**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LR31CA**

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**Chairperson: Senator Bob Krist**

**Committee: Executive Board**

**Date of Hearing: February 23, 2015**

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

LR31CA seeks to clarify the confusion created when a member of the Legislature is appointed to a vacancy. LR31CA allows members to serve two consecutive full terms regardless of when in the term they were appointed.

LR31CA strikes language in Article III, section 12 regarding to service prior to January 1, 2001 and the language stating that service in office for more than one half of a term shall be deemed service for a term.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Dave Bloomfield**