

One Hundred Fifth Legislature - First Session - 2017

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB365

Chairperson: Senator John Murante

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 02, 2017

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

LB 365 changes provisions relating to fees charged for public records. With the bill, nonresidents can be charged for the existing salary of public officers and employees to fulfill their public records request, including a charge for the services of any attorney to review the records.

Residents still receive the first four cumulative hours of staff time for free and will not be charged for the services of any attorney.

Resident is defined as a person domiciled in this state and includes the news media without regard to domicile.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Carol Blood