

**One Hundred Fifth Legislature - First Session - 2017**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB40**

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**Chairperson: Senator Curt Friesen**

**Committee: Transportation and Telecommunications**

**Date of Hearing: February 27, 2017**

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

LB 40 would prohibit the use of any type of interactive wireless communication device, such as a cellular phone, by the operator of a school bus unless being used as a dispatch communication device or in the event of an emergency.

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

Senator Robert Hilkemann