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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB788

Chairperson: Senator Merv Riepe

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: January 18, 2018

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

LB 788 requires nurse midwives, nurse anesthetists, dentists, physicians, physician assistants, nurse practitioners, podiatrists and veterinarians to enroll in at least five hours of continuing education regarding the prescribing of opiates every two years. Two of the five hours shall cover the prescription drug monitoring program.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Merv Riepe