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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator John Stinner

Committee: Appropriations

Date of Hearing: January 22, 2018

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

LB 944, introduced by the Speaker at the request of the Governor, is part of the Governor's 2018 midbiennium budget adjustment recommendations for the 2017-2019 biennium.

The bill makes adjustments to appropriations and reappropriations for state operations, aid and construction programs, provides for transfers, and modifies intent language and earmarks accompanying appropriations approved by the 105th Legislature, First Session, for the current fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 and the next fiscal year ending June 30, 2019.

This legislative bill contains the emergency clause.

Detailed information regarding the Governor's mid-biennium budget recommendations can be found in the document entitled "State of Nebraska, Mid-Biennium Budget Adjustments, 2017-2019 Biennium" dated January 10, 2018, and may be viewed on the Department of Administrative Services – State Budget Division's website at http://budget.nebraska.gov/assets/2018_mid-biennium_budget_-adjustments_book.pdf .

Principal Introducer:	
	Senator Speaker Scheer, 19