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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1126

Chairperson: Senator Matt Hansen, M.

Committee: Business and Labor

Date of Hearing: February 24, 2020

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

LB1126 overrules two court cases, Dawes v. Wittrock Sandblasting & Painting, 266 Neb. 526, 667 N.W.2d 167 (2003) and Armstrong v. State, 290 Neb. 205, 859 N.W.2d 541 (2015), which held that benefits can be denied even if there isn't a basis in law or fact to deny a benefit without a risk of penalty or attorney fee.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Tony Vargas