

Legislature - First Session - 2019

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB187

Chairperson: Senator Lou Ann Linehan

Committee: Revenue

Date of Hearing: February 22, 2019

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

LB 187 amends the Sports Arena Facility Financing Assistance Act. The bill authorizes assistance for sports complexes. LB 187 redefines terms previously defined in Section 13-3102 of the Nebraska State Statutes applying to any sports complexes that include concession areas, parking facilities, and onsite administrative offices associated with operating the sports complex.

The bill defines multipurpose fields to mean a rectangular field of grass or synthetic turf whose primary purpose is used for competitive field sports, including but not limited to, soccer, football, flag football, lacrosse, or rugby.

The bill outlines qualifications for a city of the metropolitan class, a city of the primary class and cities of first and second class, village or county.

The bill includes the emergency clause.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Brett Lindstrom