

**Legislature - First Session - 2019**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB657**

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**Chairperson: Senator Steve Halloran**

**Committee: Agriculture**

**Date of Hearing: February 12, 2019**

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

LB 657 adopts the Nebraska Hemp Act, which will permit the growth and cultivation of industrial hemp in Nebraska.

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

Senator Justin Wayne