

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2021
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB251

Hearing Date: Thursday February 04, 2021
Committee On: Health and Human Services
Introducer: Cavanaugh, M.
One Liner: Change the age for organ and tissue donation

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye:	6	Senators Cavanaugh, M., Day, Murman, Hansen, B., Walz, Williams
Nay:	1	Senator Arch
Absent:		
Present Not Voting:		

Oral Testimony:

Proponents:

Machaela Cavanaugh
Marigold Helvey
Colleen Jordening
Kyle Herber

Representing:

Introducer
Self
Self
Live On Nebraska

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Marion Miner

Representing:

Nebraska Catholic Conference

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 251 would amend the organ and tissue donation statute of the Motor Vehicle Operator's License Act, and the Revised Uniform Anatomical Gift Act by changing the age for an un-emancipated minor to decide to become an organ or tissue donor from the age of sixteen to the age of fourteen. The fourteen year old applicant would indicate on their application for drivers license or state identification card that he or she would like to be a donor.

John Arch, Chairperson