

One Hundred Seventh Legislature - First Special Session - 2021

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB4

Chairperson: Senator Lou Ann Linehan

Committee: Redistricting

Date of Hearing: September 14, 2021

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

LB4 changes the boundaries of the members of the Legislature by the adoption of maps by reference.

The state is divided into 49 single-member districts. The ideal district size is 40,031.

Current Legislative District No. 44 is moved into Douglas and Sarpy Counties, respectively. The overall range of deviation is approximately 9.8 percent.

Districts are drawn using census geography and population data from the 2020 US Census.

The maps are to be kept in the Secretary of State's Office.

The bill includes an emergency clause.

Principal Introducer: _____

**Senator Lou Ann Linehan, Chairperson
Redistricting Committee**