

One Hundred Seventh Legislature - First Session - 2021

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB548

Chairperson: Senator Steve Lathrop

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 25, 2021

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

LB 548 will allow an individual convicted of a felony would allow an individual convicted of a felony to challenge their sentencing or conviction through the admission of statistical evidence and other material, on the basis that racial bias was a substantial factor in the outcome of their case.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Justin Wayne