

One Hundred Eighth Legislature - Second Session - 2024

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1109

Chairperson: Senator Justin Wayne

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: February 22, 2024

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

LB 1109 defines and adds an exception for Fetal Fatal Anomalies to the Preborn Child Protection Act (§71-6912 et seq.), permitting abortions up to twenty weeks post-fertilization in cases where Fetal Fatal Anomalies are diagnosed by two physicians;

removes criminal penalties for violations of the Preborn Child Protection Act when adhering to the conditions of the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act (§28-3,102 et seq.);

and repeals a class IV felony in the Pain-Capable Unborn Child Protection Act.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Merv Riepe