ONE HUNDRED SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2011 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB68

Hearing Date: Committee On: Introducer:	Thursday January 20, 2011 Health and Human Services Fulton
One Liner:	Permit certified nurse midwives to have clinical privileges
Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action: Advanced to General File	

Vote Results:

Aye: 6 Senators Bloomfield, Campbell, Gloor, Howard, Krist, Wallman

Nay:

Absent: 1 Senator Cook

Present Not Voting:

Proponents:Representing:Senator Tony FultonDistrict #29Gail ConsoliSelf

Heather Swanson Nebraska Affiliate of the American College of

Nurse-Midwives (ACNM)

Elizabeth Cody Self

Don Wesely

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Nebraska Nurses Association

Nebraska Friends of Midwives

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

David Buntain Nebraska Medical Association

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 68 adds "certified nurse midwives" to the list of professions with clinical privileges in hospitals under the Health Care Facility Licensure Act. Section 71-2048.01 currently lists physicians and surgeons, podiatrists, osteopathic physicians and surgeons, licensed psychologists and dentists.

Kathy Campbell, Chairperson