## ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2013 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB107

**Hearing Date:** Wednesday February 06, 2013 Committee On: **Judiciary** Introducer: Lathrop One Liner: Change waiver of hearing provisions under the Parenting Act **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:** Advanced to General File with amendment(s) **Vote Results:** Aye: 7 Senators Ashford, Christensen, Coash, Davis, Lathrop, McGill, Seiler Nay: Absent: 1 Senator Chambers **Present Not Voting: Proponents:** Representing: SEN. STEVE LATHROP **INTRODUCER** ADAM ASTLEY **NE STATE BAR** Opponents: Representing: **SELF** LAURA MCCORMICK **Neutral:** Representing: Summary of purpose and/or changes: LB 107 would amend statute section 43-2935 to provide for the waiver of final hearings in cases involving parenting plans, including paternity actions, if all parties have waived the hearing requirement and the documents have been signed by the parties under oath to resolve all issues presented by the pleadings. **Explanation of amendments:** Committee Amendment AM would require that the waivers be in writing. The amendment would also make a technical change to subsection (c) to separate for clarity the elements required for a waiver.