## One Hundred Third Legislature - First Session - 2013

## **Introducer's Statement of Intent**

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**Chairperson: Senator Bill Avery** 

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 08, 2013

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

LB 371 would adopt the Transparency in Procurement Act. Under the Act, state agencies would have to report the total number and dollar value of contracts for goods and services to the Legislature, including whether contracts were awarded to companies located within the state of Nebraska or within the United States.

**Senator Heath Mello**