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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Russ Karpisek

Committee: General Affairs

Date of Hearing: March 04, 2013

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

LB 653 would increase by five cents the gallonage tax on beer.

Fifty percent of the revenue generated by this increase would be distributed to the Nebraska State Patrol Cash Fund. Fifty percent of the revenue generated by the increase would be distributed to counties for law enforcement purposes. The amount of the county distribution would be based on sales reports filed by beer wholesalers.

Principal Introducer:	
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Senator Al Davis