

One Hundred Third Legislature - Second Session - 2014

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LR414

Chairperson: Senator Ken Schilz

Committee: Agriculture

Date of Hearing: February 25, 2014

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

LR 414 would express legislative intent to request that the United States Congress, Secretary of Agriculture and Trade Representative, and President Barack Obama defend and protect the right of all United States citizens to be informed about the origins of their meat purchases by rejecting any effort to change the current law governing country of origin labeling.

LR 414 would also request that these same officials notify the World Trade Organization that it must not intrude on the sovereignty of the United States by attempting to undermine the US law governing country of origin labeling.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Al Davis