## ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION - 2016 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB127

Thursday February 26, 2015 **Hearing Date:** Committee On: **Natural Resources** Introducer: Chambers One Liner: Eliminate provisions relating to hunting mountain lions **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:** Indefinitely postponed **Vote Results:** Aye: 8 Senators Friesen, Hughes, Johnson, Kolowski, Lindstrom, McCollister, Schilz, Schnoor Nay: Absent: **Present Not Voting: Verbal Testimony: Proponents:** Representing: Introducer Senator Ernie Chambers Jarel Vinduska Self Patricia Fuller Self Ken Winston Nebraska Sierra Club Angelika T.L. Byorth Self Western Nebraska Resources Council **Buffalo Bruce** Opponents: Representing: Jim Douglas Game and Parks Commission Sam Wilson Game and Parks Commission **Kevin Werts** Cabela's **Scott Smathers** Nebraska Sportsmen's Foundation Henry Rick Brandt Nebraska Big Game Society Neutral: Representing: Summary of purpose and/or changes: LB 127 would have eliminated the Game and Parks Commission's authority to establish a hunting season for mountain lions.

Ken Schilz, Chairperson