## ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2015 COMMITTEE STATEMENT LB18

Hearing Date: Tuesday January 20, 2015

Committee On: Education Introducer: Krist

One Liner: Change provisions relating to immunizations for students

## **Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:**

Advanced to General File

**Vote Results:** 

Aye: 6 Senators Baker, Cook, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks, Schnoor, Sullivan

Nay: 1 Senator Groene

Absent:

Present Not Voting: 1 Senator Kolowski

**Verbal Testimony:** 

Proponents: Representing:
Senator Bob Krist Introducer

Meera Varman MD Immunization Task Force - Metro Omaha, American

Academy of Pediatrics, and Pediatric Infectious

**Diseases Society** 

Maggi Pivovar Immunization Task Force

Andy Marso self

Tonja Frank Nebraska School Nurses Association

Elizabeth So Creighton University Operation Immunization

Adi Pour Friends of Public Health in Nebraska
Jason Hayes Nebraska State Education Association

Linda Ohri Immunization Task Force

Opponents: Representing:

Neutral: Representing:

## Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 18, is a bill that would amend 79-217 to require students entering the 7th grade and for students entering the academic year after the student turned 16, to be immunized for meningitis, using a vaccine recommended by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and meet the standards that are approved by the United States Public Health Services for this type of biological product.

Kate Sullivan, Chairperson