## **One Hundred Fourth Legislature - First Session - 2015**

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

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**Chairperson: Senator Jerry Johnson** 

**Committee: Agriculture** 

Date of Hearing: February 10, 2015

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

LB 176 narrows a prohibition against packers feedling livestock found in section 54-2604 of the Competitive Livestock Markets Act to confine the prohibition to feeding of cattle for the production of beef or beef products. In effect, the bill removes the existing application of the prohibition to hogs and pork production.

Principal Introducer:	
	Senator Ken Schilz