

**Legislature - First Session - 2015**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB209**

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**Chairperson: Senator Les Seiler**

**Committee: Judiciary**

**Date of Hearing: January 23, 2015**

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

LB 209 would create the Political Subdivisions Mandatory Mediation Act. The Act would require all political subdivisions of the state to submit to mandatory mediation before engaging in litigation.

The purposes of LB 209 are to achieve dispute resolution in a timely manner while saving tax payer money.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Robert Hilkemann**