

ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION - 2017
COMMITTEE STATEMENT
LB100

Hearing Date: Thursday February 02, 2017
Committee On: Judiciary
Introducer: Stinner
One Liner: Change provisions relating to removal of firearm-related disabilities under the Nebraska Mental Health Commitment Act

Roll Call Vote - Final Committee Action:
Advanced to General File

Vote Results:

Aye:	7	Senators Baker, Ebke, Halloran, Hansen, Krist, Morfeld, Pansing Brooks
Nay:		
Absent:	1	Senator Chambers
Present Not Voting:		

Verbal Testimony:

Proponents:

Senator John Stinner
Tom Perkins
Rod Moeller

Representing:

Introducer
12th Judicial District Board of Mental Health
Nebraska Firearms Owners Association

Opponents:

Representing:

Neutral:

Representing:

Summary of purpose and/or changes:

LB 100 allows individuals released from mental health commitment or treatment to petition a mental health board to reinstate their right to obtain a handgun purchase or concealed carry permit. LB 100 further provides that the petitioner must meet a "clear and convincing evidence" standard for the reinstatement of their ability to obtain the listed permits. If the petitioner meets the evidentiary standard set forth in LB 100, the mental health board shall "remove the firearm-related disabilities".

Laura Ebke, Chairperson