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Introducer's Statement of Intent

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Chairperson: Senator Merv Riepe

Committee: Health and Human Services

Date of Hearing: January 27, 2017

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

LB425 updates statutory provisions for licensure and practice requirements within the current Practice Act to allow the Nebraska APRN Board to proceed with the rules and regulation process for LB107 which passed in 2015. LB425 updates education requirements for APRN-NPs, clarifies the transition-to-practice requirement of new graduates, and simplifies licensure requirements for experienced APRN-NPs moving to Nebraska from other states.

| Principal Introducer: | |
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| | Senator Sue Crawford |