## One Hundred Sixth Legislature - Second Session - 2020

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

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**Chairperson: Senator Steve Lathrop** 

**Committee: Judiciary** 

Date of Hearing: January 31, 2020

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

LB 1036 changes the age of majority from age nineteen to eighteen for health care decisions and also allows persons under nineteen years of age who are committed to the Department of Correctional Services to consent to mental health services, medical care and related services during the period of the person's commitment.

Principal Introducer:	
-	Senator Adam Morfeld