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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB1263

Chairperson: Senator Tom Brewer

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 02, 2022

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

LB 1263 would add a new section to the Election Act requiring security improvements to a ballot drop-box for elections, including authority to promulgate rules and regulations to carry out the act.

In addition, the bill amends Section 32-1049 to require election commissioners and county clerks counting ballots in a centralized location to develop a procedure for picking up and transporting ballots from a secure ballot drop-box to the office of the election commissioner or county clerk.

Principal Introducer:

Senator Robert Clements