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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB275

Chairperson: Senator Tom Brewer

Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

Date of Hearing: February 03, 2021

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

LB 275 creates the Semiquincentennial Commission to serve as the point of contact for state and national organizations and events related to the Semiquincentennial, or two hundred fiftieth anniversary, of the founding of the United States, as marked by the Declaration of Independence in 1776. The Commission, which will be housed administratively within the Nebraska State Historical Society, shall work with the United States Semiquincentennial Commission and various other parties to execute commemorative events and implement educational activities, events, and celebrations related to the Semiquincentennial of the United States, working to promote under-represented groups including, but not limited to, women, American Indians, and persons of color.

Principal Introducer:

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