

**One Hundred Seventh Legislature - Second Session - 2022**

**Introducer's Statement of Intent**

**LB743**

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**Chairperson: Senator Tom Brewer**

**Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs**

**Date of Hearing: February 09, 2022**

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

LB 743 would limit closed meetings for public bodies, including subcommittees, to the six stated purposes already contained in Nebraska State Statute 84-1410(1). These six stated purposes include: a) Strategy sessions, b) the deployment of safety personnel, c) investigative proceedings for criminal acts, d) job performance evaluations, e) Community Trust allocations, and f) various public hospital issues. Currently, public bodies, including subcommittees are not limited to these six stated purposes.

**Principal Introducer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Senator Steve Erdman**