## One Hundred Seventh Legislature - Second Session - 2022 **Introducer's Statement of Intent LB744 Chairperson: Senator Steve Halloran Committee: Agriculture** Date of Hearing: February 15, 2022 The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby: LB 744 removes authority from the Brand Committee to promulgate rules and regulations for the non-visual identification of livestock. However, upon adoption AM 1714 becomes the bill. AM 1714 declares that any information that a person provides to the Brand Committee for the purpose of enrollment of cattle and electronic inspection is not a public record subject to disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act as per Nebraska State Statute 84-712.

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