

One Hundred Fourth Legislature - Second Session - 2016

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB990

Chairperson: Senator Les Seiler

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: March 2, 2016

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

LB 990 would create the Fetal Dignity Protection Act and prohibit any person acting within Nebraska to knowingly acquire, receive, or otherwise transfer any human fetal tissue for valuable consideration.

The Act provides that failure to comply is a violation of the professional standards of any person holding a professional license and that the Attorney General may seek an injunction preventing the further performance of abortions by any person violating the Act.

Furthermore, if the person performing abortions did so while in the employ of, or under contract with, a corporation or entity that corporation or entity shall also be named as a party and the injunction shall prevent the further performance of abortions by that corporation or entity.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Al Davis