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Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB952

Chairperson: Senator Steve Lathrop

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: January 26, 2022

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

LB952 improves reentry practices by connecting those leaving prison or jail to Medicaid coverage. LB952 directs the Department of Health and Human Services to provide Medicaid enrollment assistance for inmates at least sixty days prior to release, or as soon as practicable for inmates who have less than sixty days prior notice of release.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator John Cavanaugh