

One Hundred Seventh Legislature - First Session - 2021

Introducer's Statement of Intent

LB199

Chairperson: Senator Steve Lathrop

Committee: Judiciary

Date of Hearing: March 11, 2021

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

LB199 prohibits any governmental entity from obtaining, retaining, accessing, or using facial recognition technology. Additionally, LB199 would not allow any information collected from facial recognition technology to be accepted as evidence in any legal proceeding. Any violation of this law would allow an individual to bring a civil action for relief, including declaratory relief, damages, and reasonable attorney's fees and litigation costs, against the governmental entity committing the violation.

Principal Introducer: _____

Senator Tony Vargas