
ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 239—ASSEMBLYMAN NOLAN

FEBRUARY 15, 1999

Referred to Concurrent Committees on Judiciary
and Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes appropriation to Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History of the Department of Motor Vehicles and Public Safety for background checks of criminal history for volunteers who work with children. (BDR S-61)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State or on Industrial Insurance: Contains Appropriation not included in Executive Budget.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making an appropriation to the Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History of the Department of Motor Vehicles and Public Safety for background checks of criminal history for volunteers who work with children; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE
AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- 1 **Section 1.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the state general
2 fund to the Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History of
3 the Department of Motor Vehicles and Public Safety the sum of \$200,000
4 for use as provided in section 2 of this act.
5 2. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1
6 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2001, and reverts to
7 the state general fund as soon as all payments of money committed have
8 been made.
9 **Sec. 2.** 1. The money appropriated by section 1 of this act must be
10 set aside to cover costs directly related to requests for information relating
11 to sexual offenses, as that term is defined in NRS 179A.065, from
12 nonprofit agencies regarding volunteers who work directly with children or
13 prospective volunteers who have applied to do so. Upon receipt of such a
14 request for information, the Central Repository for Nevada Records of

1 Criminal History of the Department of Motor Vehicles and Public Safety
2 shall undertake a search for the information in the manner provided in
3 NRS 179A.210 and Public Law 105-251, unless the request does not
4 conform to the requirements of the Repository. The Repository shall,
5 within the limits set forth in subsection 2, deduct from the money
6 appropriated by section 1 of this act the costs of the search and shall
7 maintain a record of the agency that requested the search and the amount
8 of the related costs.

9 2. The Repository shall process each such request in the order received
10 and shall limit the amount of costs deducted from the appropriation made
11 by section 1 of this act on behalf of an individual nonprofit agency to not
12 more than \$20,000 per year or the remaining balance of the money
13 appropriated for this purpose, whichever is less. If an agency requests
14 such a search, the costs of which will exceed the limit set forth in this
15 section for the agency or after no money from the appropriation made by
16 section 1 of this act remains, the Repository shall charge and collect a
17 reasonable fee for undertaking the search requested.

18 **Sec. 3.** 1. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

19 2. Section 2 of this act expires by limitation on June 30, 2001.