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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 226—ASSEMBLYMEN ANGLE, BERMAN,
CEGAVSKE, HETTRICK, LEE AND PRICE

FEBRUARY 22, 2001

JOINT SPONSOR: SENATOR WASHINGTON

Referred to Committee on Education

SUMMARY—Makes various changes relating to treatment of pupils. (BDR 34-88)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: No.

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

AN ACT relating to education; prohibiting an employee or agent of a school district from taking certain actions with regard to pupils; authorizing certain employees of a school district to suggest that a pupil be evaluated for placement in a special program; 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.** Chapter 392 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a
2 new section to read as follows:
3 ***1. A person who is an employee or agent of a school district shall***
4 ***not:***
5 ***(a) Suggest to a pupil or to a parent or guardian of the pupil that the***
6 ***pupil should take a psychotropic drug unless the person is a physician;***
7 ***and***
8 ***(b) Prohibit a pupil from attending class unless the pupil takes a***
9 ***psychotropic drug.***
10 ***2. A person who is an employee or agent of a school district may***
11 ***suggest that the pupil be evaluated for determination of whether the pupil***
12 ***should be placed in a special program pursuant to NRS 388.470.***
13 ***3. As used in this section:***
14 ***(a) "Physician" means a person who is licensed to practice medicine***
15 ***as a physician pursuant to chapter 630 of NRS.***
16 ***(b) "Psychotropic drug" means a controlled substance listed in***
17 ***schedule II by the state board of pharmacy pursuant to NRS 453.146, or***



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- 1 *a neuroleptic or other psychoactive drug which produces a mind-altering*
- 2 *effect in a person.*
- 3 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.

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