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SENATE BILL NO. 33—COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION  
AND HOMELAND SECURITY

(ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES)

PREFILED FEBRUARY 4, 2005

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Referred to Committee on Transportation and Homeland Security

**SUMMARY**—Authorizes Director of Department of Motor Vehicles to enter into agreements for certain placements of advertisements. (BDR 43-396)

**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.

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**AN ACT** relating to the Department of Motor Vehicles; authorizing the Director of the Department to enter into an agreement with a person for the placement of advertisements in certain areas of a building owned or occupied by the Department, in official mailings sent by the Department to the public and in material published electronically by the Department; specifying the purposes for which money received by the Department from such agreements must be used; authorizing the Director to adopt certain regulations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

- 1 Existing law establishes the Department of Motor Vehicles and prescribes its  
2 powers and duties. (Chapter 481 of NRS)  
3 This bill authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to enter into agreements  
4 to place private advertisements in public areas of its buildings, in its official  
5 mailings and in material published electronically by the Department. The money  
6 received from such agreements must be deposited in the Motor Vehicle Fund. The  
7 bill requires that this money must be used by the Department to promote alternative  
8 methods by which the public, by technological means, may conduct business with  
9 the Department without personal assistance from an employee of the Department.  
10 The alternative methods may include self-service kiosks, use of the Internet or a  
11 network site and interactive voice recognition systems.
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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN  
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1       **Section 1.** Chapter 481 of NRS is hereby amended by adding  
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:

3       **1. *The Director may enter into an agreement with a person***  
4 ***for the placement of advertisements in:***

5       ***(a) Areas of a building owned or occupied by the Department***  
6 ***which are frequented by the public.***

7       ***(b) Official mailings that the Department sends to the public.***

8       ***(c) Material published electronically by the Department,***  
9 ***including, without limitation, material posted on the Internet***  
10 ***website of the Department.***

11       **2. *A person who enters into an agreement with the***  
12 ***Department pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection 1 shall***  
13 ***ensure that each advertisement placed pursuant to the agreement***  
14 ***does not inhibit or disrupt the functioning of the Department.***

15       **3. *Money received by the Department from an agreement***  
16 ***entered into pursuant to subsection 1 must be deposited with the***  
17 ***State Treasurer for credit to the Motor Vehicle Fund. The money***  
18 ***in the Fund must be used by the Department to promote***  
19 ***alternative methods offered by the Department by which the***  
20 ***public, by technological means, may conduct business with the***  
21 ***Department without personal assistance from an employee of***  
22 ***the Department. Such alternative methods may include, without***  
23 ***limitation, self-service kiosks, services provided through the use of***  
24 ***the Internet or a network site and interactive voice recognition***  
25 ***systems.***

26       **4. *The Director may adopt regulations to carry out the***  
27 ***provisions of this section.***

28       **Sec. 2.** NRS 331.200 is hereby amended to read as follows:

29       331.200 1. It ~~shall be~~ **is** unlawful for any person to commit  
30 any of the following acts upon the grounds of the State Capitol or of  
31 any other state building or property:

32       (a) Willfully deface, break down or destroy any fence upon or  
33 surrounding such grounds;

34       (b) ~~Erect~~ **Except as otherwise provided in section 1 of this act,**  
35 **erect** any bulletin board or other advertising device in or upon such  
36 grounds;

37       (c) Deposit any garbage, debris or other obstruction in or upon  
38 such grounds;

39       (d) Injure, break down or destroy any tree, shrub or other thing  
40 upon such grounds; or

41       (e) Injure the grass upon such grounds by walking upon it.



1       2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section  
2 ~~shall be~~ *is* guilty of a public offense, as prescribed in NRS  
3 193.155, proportionate to the value of the property damaged or  
4 destroyed, and in no event less than a misdemeanor.

5       **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2005.



