Senate Bill No. 433-Committee on Finance

CHAPTER.....

AN ACT relating to public employees; establishing the maximum allowed salaries for certain employees in the classified and unclassified service of the State; requiring employees of the State to take a certain number of days of unpaid furlough leave during the 2009-2011 biennium; providing exceptions to the furlough requirement; making appropriations from the State General Fund and State Highway Fund for the salaries of certain employees of the State; making certain appropriations contingent on specified projections of unappropriated balances in the State General Fund; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

Section 1. The following state officers, employees, and medical and related positions in the unclassified service of the State of Nevada are entitled to receive approximate annual salaries of not more than the maximum amounts set forth following their specified titles or positions:

Title or Position	Approximate Annual Salary
Governor's Office for Consumer Health	Surary
Assistance:	
Chief Ombudsman for Consumer Health	
Assistance	\$97.901
Ombudsman for Consumer Health Assistance	
(each)	78.070
2. Governor's Office of Homeland Security:	·····
Division Administrator, Homeland Security	\$117.030
Analyst Supervisor / NAIC Manager	
3. State Office of Energy:	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Director, Office of Energy	\$99.397
Deputy Director, Office of Energy	
4. High Level Nuclear Waste:	,
Executive Director, Nuclear Projects Office	\$115.285
Executive Assistant	
Planning Division Administrator	
Technical Division Administrator	104,946
Planner/Researcher	



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Title or Position	Salary
5. Office of the Lieutenant Governor:	Φ7.4.2.67
Chief of Staff	
Assistant to the Lieutenant Governor (each)	
Executive Assistant	
Administrative Secretary	47,807
6. Office of the Secretary of State:	
Chief Deputy	\$117,030
Deputy Secretary of State, Commercial	
Recordings	97,901
Recordings Deputy Secretary of State, Southern Nevada	97,901
Deputy Secretary of State, Elections	107,465
Deputy Secretary of State, Operations	97.901
Securities Administrator	102.242
Chief, Enforcement	
Executive Assistant	56 265
7. Office of the State Treasurer:	
Chief Deputy State Treasurer	\$117.030
Senior Deputy State Treasurer (each)	107 465
Chief of Staff	117 030
Deputy State Treasurer, Debt Service	97 901
Deputy State Treasurer, Investments	117 030
Deputy State Treasurer, Cash Management	07 001
Executive Director, Millennium Scholarship	07 001
Executive Director, whilefulfulfulfulfulfulfulfulfulfulfulfulfulf	
Deputy State Treasurer, Unclaimed Property	07.001
8. Office of Controller:	97,901
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Chief Deputy ControllerAssistant Controller	\$107,403
Assistant Controller	81,113
Executive Assistant	30,203
9. Office of the Attorney General:	
(a) Attorney General's Office:	Φ1.40.66 2
Assistant Attorney General	\$140,662
Attorney General Counsel for Prosecuting	10000
Attorneys, Executive Director	102,260
Ombudsman for Victims of Domestic	
Violence	
Chief Deputy Attorney General (each)	
Chief of Staff	
Solicitor General	
Senior Deputy Attorney General (each)	106,904



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
Deputy Attorney General (each)	\$95,650
Public Information Officer	70,894
Chief Investigator	
Deputy Chief Investigator	70,894
Senior Investigator (each)	69,529
Investigator (each)	65,951
Division Administrator, Personnel Services	81.584
Executive Assistant	
Chief Financial Officer	102.242
Legal Researcher (each)	46.102
Supervising Legal Researcher (each)	56,265
Construction Law Counsel	132,600
Executive Director, Technological Crimes	70.894
Administrative Assistant, Technological	,
Crimes	47,245
Program Specialist, Technological Crimes	56.265
Investigator, Technological Crimes	65,951
Computer Forensic Examiner, Technological	
Crimes (each)	81.584
Supervising Insurance Fraud Investigator	69.529
Insurance Investigator (each)	65,951
Deputy Chief Workers' Compensation Fraud	
Investigator	72.892
Investigator	
Investigator (each)	69.529
(b) Bureau of Consumer Protection:	
Senior Economist	\$102.260
Senior Investigator	
Senior Engineer	91.320
Senior Legal Researcher	54.332
Legal Researcher	46.102
Senior Regulatory Analyst	85.337
Investigator (each)	65.951
Chief Deputy Attorney General (each)	118.156
Regulatory Manager	
Technical Staff Manager	
Deputy Attorney General (each)	95.650
Engineer	82.339
Administrative Services Officer	74,091
Senior Deputy Attorney General (each)	106,904



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
10. Commission on Ethics:	3
Executive Director	\$97,901
Counsel, Ethics Commission	95,650
Executive Assistant	56,265
Investigator	
11. Supreme Court:	
Supervisory Staff Attorney (each)	\$106,904
Supervisory Staff Attorney, Settlement	106,904
Reporter of Judicial Decisions	118,156
Legal Counsel, Criminal	129,409
Legal Counsel, Civil	129,409
Chief Assistant Clerk	
Chief Clerk	140,662
Chief Deputy Clerk	
Court Administrator	123,783
Deputy Court Administrator (each)	106,904
Staff Attorney (each)	95,650
Law Librarian	101,276
Senior Law Clerk (each)	62,186
12. Commission on Judicial Discipline:	
General Counsel	\$140,662
13. Department of Administration:	
Director	
Deputy Director	117,030
Information Systems Specialist	59,221
Division Administrator, Internal Audits	
Manager, Internal Controls	91,399
Chief Assistant Budget Administrator	88,952
Senior Appeals Officer	118,156
Appeals Officer, Hearings (each)	106,904
Hearing Officer (each)	70,894
Deferred Compensation Executive Officer	97,901
Chief Assistant, Planning	81,567
Division Administrator, State Motor Pool	
Division Administrator, Administrative Services	
Division Administrator, Risk Management	
Division Administrator, Purchasing	
Division Administrator, Information Technology	
Division Administrator, Buildings and Grounds	87,773
Manager, State Public Works Board	123,/83



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
Deputy Manager, Professional Services, State	¢117.020
Public Works Board	\$117,030
Deputy Manager, Code Compliance and	117.020
Enforcement, State Public Works Board	
Deputy Manager, Administrative and Fiscal Services, State Public Works Board	07 001
Public Works Board, Project Manager III (each	
Public Works Board, Project Manager II (each)	
14. Department of Information Technology:	
Director	\$123 783
Deputy Director	107 465
Chief of Administration	
15. Department of Personnel:	
Director	\$107.465
Executive Assistant	
Director, Equal Employment Opportunity	81,584
Division Administrator, Personnel (each)	87,773
16. Department of Taxation:	
Director	
Deputy Director (each)	
Executive Assistant	
Administrative Law Judge (licensed attorney)	106,904
Administrative Law Judge (other than licensed	
attorney)	95,650
Chief Administrative Law Judge (licensed	110 156
attorney)	118,156
Chief Administrative Law Judge (other than	106.004
licensed attorney)	106,904
17. Department of Education: Superintendent of Public Instruction	¢124 000
Deputy Superintendent of Instruction, Research	\$124,908
Evaluative Services	
Deputy Superintendent for Administrative and	107,403
Fiscal Services	106 904
Executive Assistant	
18. Department of Cultural Affairs:	50,203
Director	\$117 030
Executive Assistant	
Division Administrator, Museums and History.	
Division Administrator, Historic Preservation	
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Title or Position	Approximate Annual Salary
Division Administrator, State Library and Archives	•
Rehabilitation:	
Director, Employment, Training and	
Rehabilitation	\$127,721
Chief, Disability Employment Policy	70,894
Division Administrator, Rehabilitation	107,465
Chief Auditor	90,023
Deputy Director	117,030
Executive Assistant	
Division Administrator, Employment Security	117,030
Division Administrator, Equal Rights Commission	
Commission	87,773
Division Administrator, Information Developme	ent
and Processing	
Hearing Officer (each)	70,894
Senior Attorney	106,904
20. Department of Health and Human Services:	,
Director	\$127,721
Deputy Director, Programs	107,465
Deputy Director, Fiscal Services	
Deputy Director, Administrative Services	97,901
Executive Assistant (each)	
Division Administrator, Health Care Financing a	and
Policy	
Deputy Division Administrator, Health Care	,
Financing and Policy	107.465
Division Administrator, Health	117,030
State Health Officer	161,470
Chief Biostatistician	
State Epidemiologist	97,901
Medical Program Coordinator, Mental Health	·····
Program (each)	189.601
Medical Program Coordinator, Statewide Menta	1
Health Services	203.681
Division Administrator, Mental Health and	
Developmental Services	123.783
Deputy Division Administrator, Mental Health a	and
Developmental Services	107 465
Developmental pervices	



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Annual
Title or Position Salary
Division Administrator, Welfare and Supportive
Services\$117,030
Division Administrator, Child and Family
Services
Deputy Division Administrator, Child and Family
Services (each)
Deputy Division Administrator, Administrative
Services, Child and Family Services
Division Administrator, Aging Services107,465
Deputy Division Administrator, Aging Services
(each)
Statewide Suicide Prevention Coordinator
Statewide Suicide Prevention Trainer/Networking Facilitator
Chief, Elder Rights 87,773
Superintendent, Nevada Youth Training Center97,901
Superintendent, Caliente Youth Center
Superintendent, Camente Touth Center Superintendent, Summit View Youth Correctional
Center
Bureau Chief, Youth Parole Bureau97,901
Executive Director, Nevada Indian Commission70,894
21. Office of the State Public Defender:
State Public Defender \$118,156
Supervising Public Defender (office)
Supervising Public Defender (trial)106,904
Supervising Public Defender (appeals)106,904
Deputy Public Defender (each)95,650
Deputy Public Defender, Appellate (each)95,650
Investigator (each)65,951
22. Department of Business and Industry:
Director
Deputy Director, Administration
Deputy Director, Programs
Executive Assistant
Division Administrator, Financial Institutions97,901
Deputy Division Administrator, Financial
Institutions
Ombudsman, Real Estate
Institutions
institutions



Approximate
Annual
Title or Position Salary
Certified Public Accountant, Mortgage Lending\$67,704
Division Administrator, Manufactured Housing87,773
Division Administrator, Real Estate97,901
Deputy Division Administrator, Real Estate81,584
Division Administrator, Housing
Deputy Division Administrator, Housing81,584
Chief Assistant, Housing67,518
Chief Financial Officer, Housing95,650
Division Administrator, Insurance117,030
Deputy Division Administrator, Insurance
(each)
Deputy Division Administrator, Insurance, Captive
Insurers
Lead Actuary, Insurance (each)126,081
Insurance Counsel/Hearing Officer (each)97,901
Division Administrator, Taxicab Authority97,901
Division Administrator, Transportation
Authority
Chief Transportation Inspector77,417
Commissioner, Transportation Authority (each)107,127
Financial Analyst (each)
Manager, Transportation95,650
Deputy Division Administrator, Transportation
Authority
Attorney, Transportation Authority
Division Administrator, Mortgage Lending97,901
Deputy Division Administrator, Mortgage
Lending
Division Administrator, Industrial Relations107,465
Deputy Division Administrator, Industrial Relations (each)
Attorney, Industrial Relations (each)95,650
Senior Attorney, Industrial Relations106,904
Deputy Division Administrator, Safety Consultation81,584
Deputy Division Administrator, Mine Safety
Division Administrator, Attorney for Injured Workers118,156
Deputy Attorney for Injured Workers (each)95,650
Deputy Attorney for injured workers (each)93,030



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Title or Position	Salary
Senior Deputy Attorney for Injured Workers	
(each)	\$106,904
Division Administrator, Employee-Management	
Relations Board	87,773
Executive Assistant, Employee-Management	
Relations Board	56,265
Division Administrator, Dairy Commission	87,773
Division Administrator, Office of Labor	
Commissioner	97,901
Deputy Division Administrator, Office of Labor	
Commissioner	81,584
Chief Assistant, Office of Labor Commissioner	52,504
Division Administrator, Athletic Commission	97,901
Ombudsman of Consumer Affairs for Minorities.	
23. State Department of Agriculture:	•
Director, Agriculture	\$107,465
Division Administrator, Livestock Inspection	81,584
Division Administrator, Veterinary Medical	•
Services	109,680
Senior Veterinary Diagnostician (each)	93,356
Supervisor, Animal Disease Laboratory	97,013
Division Administrator, Measurement Standards.	
Division Administrator, Plant Industry	
24. Commission on Mineral Resources:	,
Administrator, Minerals	\$104,957
Deputy Administrator, Minerals	83,964
Chief for Dangerous Mines	68,112
Chief for Mine Regulation	75,518
Field Specialist, Minerals (each)	58,221
Program Manager, Oil, Gas and Geothermal	
25. Commission on Economic Development:	
Executive Director	\$117.030
Deputy Director	97,901
Senior Associate, Industrial Development	,
(each)	81,584
Associate, Industrial Development (each)	64.377
Grants Project Analyst	
Director, Film	
Associate, Film (each)	64,377
Program Specialist	



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Annual
Title or Position Salary
26. Commission on Tourism:
Director, Tourism117,030
Chief Deputy, Administration97,901
Executive Assistant
Public Information Officer
Deputy Director, Sales and Industry Partners77,600
Deputy Director, Marketing and Advertising77,600
Development Specialist II, Tourism (each)77,600
Development Specialist, Tourism (each)72,860
Project Analyst II (each)65,172
Project Analyst (each)55,894
Development Specialist, Nevada Magazine
(each)
Editor Publisher, Nevada Magazine88,165
Managing Editor, Publications67,772
Production Manager
Art Director (each)
Advertising Sales Representative
Operations and Finance Manager77,561
27. State Gaming Control Board:
Chairman, Gaming Control Board\$149,729
Member, Gaming Control Board (each)
Executive Assistant
Chief, Investigation
Chief, Enforcement
Chief, Audit
Chief, Corporate Securities
Chief, Tax and License
Chief, Administration
Chief Deputy, Administration
Executive Secretary, Gaming Control Board
Manager, Electronics Lab
Chief, Technology
Senior Lab Engineer (each)
Electronic Lab Engineer (each)
Coordinator, Applicant Services
Chief Deputy, Enforcement (each)
Information Service Manager99,400



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
Senior Network Specialist	\$85,269
Network Specialist II	78,576
Network Specialist I (each)	71,163
Data Management Analyst	84,089
System Manager	93,558
Programming Manager	93,558
Programming Supervisor	88,126
Chief Deputy, Audit (each)	97,159
Chief Deputy, Investigations (each)	97,159
Chief Deputy, Corporate Securities	97,159
Chief Deputy, Tax and License	
Hearings Officer (each)	93,592
Administrative Coordinator	84,089
Financial Officer	
Supervisor, Investigations (each)	88,326
Supervisor, Enforcement (each)	88,326
Supervisor, Corporate Securities (each)	88,326
Supervisor, Audit (each)	88,326
Supervisor, Tax and License (each)	88,326
Supervisor (each)	88,326
District Office Manager	94,511
Senior Agent, Corporate Securities (each)	
Senior Agent, Investigations (each)	76,474
Training Officer	84,089
Senior Agent, Audit (each)	76,474
Senior Agent, Tax and License	76,474
Senior Research Specialist (each)	
Senior Agent, Enforcement (each)	76,474
Senior Agent, Technology (each)	
Agent, Corporate Securities (each)	
Agent, Audit (each)	
Agent, Investigations (each)	
Agent, Enforcement (each)	
Agent, Tax and License (each)	69,523
Agent, Technology (each)	
Electronics Technician (each)	
Senior Program Analyst (each)	79,220
Special Agent (each)	



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
28. Public Utilities Commission of Nevada:	
Executive Director	\$117,030
Chairman	
Public Utilities Commissioner (each)	117,030
Executive Assistant (each)	56,265
Financial Analyst (each)	81,680
Chief Attorney (each)	118,156
Senior Attorney (each)	106,904
Supervisor, Consumer Complaint Resolution	81,584
Manager, Safety and Quality Assurance	97,901
Manager, Systems Operation	87,773
Public Education and Statistical Analysis Office	er
(each)	67,518
Administrative Attorney (each)	70,894
Manager, Resource and Market Analysis	97,901
Engineer, Water	81,680
Engineer, Electric (each)	85,836
Senior Gas Pipeline Engineer	86,170
Engineer, Gas Pipeline (each)	81,680
Senior Engineering Analyst	73,194
Manager, Policy Analysis	97,901
Director, Regulatory Operations	117,030
Manager, Consumer Complaint Resolution	97,901
Senior Analyst	
Rural Consumer Representative	
Manager, Tariffs and Compliance	
Commission Secretary	97,901
Assistant Commission Secretary	87,773
Senior Regulatory Economist	87,667
Regulatory Economist (each)	87,667
Commission Policy Advisory (each)	90,127
Senior Utility Analyst (each)	73,194
Resource Planning Engineer	81,680
Legal Case Manager	57,124
29. Department of Motor Vehicles:	
Director	\$127,721
Deputy Director, Motor Vehicles	123,783
Executive Assistant	56,265
Division Administrator, DMV Motor Carrier	97,901



Approximate
Annual
Title or Position Salary
Division Administrator, DMV Research and
Development\$97,901
Division Administrator, DMV Automation97,901
Division Administrator, DMV Field Services107,465
Division Administrator, DMV Compliance
Enforcement 107,465
Division Administrator, DMV Central Services97,901
Division Administrator, DMV Administrative
Services
Chief Administrative Law Judge, DMV (licensed
attorney)118,156 Chief Administrative Law Judge, DMV (other than
Chief Administrative Law Judge, Diviv (other than
licensed attorney)
DMV Administrative Law Judge (licensed attorney) (each)
DMV Administrative Law Judge (other than
licensed attorney) (each)95,650
30. Department of Public Safety:
Director\$127,721
Deputy Director, Public Safety
Executive Officer to the Director
Executive Assistant
Division Administrator, Parole and Probation123,783
Chairman, State Board of Parole
Commissioners
Parole Board Member (each)87,773
Executive Assistant, Parole Board56,265
Division Administrator, Emergency
Management95,650
Division Administrator, Records and
Technology112,276
Division Administrator, State Fire Marshal107,465
Division Administrator, Administrative
Services
Division Administrator, Capitol Police97,901
Division Administrator, Investigations
Division Administrator, Highway Safety Planning
and Administration
Division Administrator, Training
Chief, Nevada Highway Patrol123,783



	Approximate
Title or Position	Annual
31. Department of Corrections:	Salary
Director	\$127.721
Executive Assistant	\$127,721
Medical Director	
Deputy Director, Operations, Northern Region	
Deputy Director, Operations, Northern Region Deputy Director, Industrial Programs	117,030
Deputy Director, Industrial Programs	117,030
Deputy Director, Operations, Southern Region	117,030
Deputy Director, Support Services	117,030
	87,773
32. Peace Officers' Standards and Training	
Commission:	Φ0 7 001
Director	
Deputy Director	
Executive Assistant	
33. State Department of Conservation and Natura Resources:	I
Director	\$127.721
Deputy DirectorDivision Administrator, Environmental	100,904
Protection	
Division Administrator, Water Resources	
Division Administrator, Forestry	
Division Administrator, State Parks	107,405
Division Administrator, State Lands	07,001
District Supervisor, Water Commissioner, Water	
Resources	
Division Administrator, Wild Horse	/0,694
Commission	70.904
Division Administrator, Natural Heritage	
34. Department of Wildlife	01,364
Director	\$117.020
Deputy Director (each)	107.465
Evacutive Assistant	107,403
Executive Assistant	30,203
Division Administrator, Conservation Education	
Division Administrator, Fisheries	
Division Administrator, Game Management	81,113
Division Administrator, Habitat	81,113
Division Administrator, Wildlife Administration	
Division Administrator, Wildlife Diversity	87,773



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
35. Department of Transportation:	
Director	\$127,721
Deputy Director (each)	124,908
Executive Assistant	56,265
Division Administrator, Administrative	
	107,465
Division Administrator, Planning and Program	
Development	
Division Administrator, Engineering	123,783
Division Administrator, Operations	123,783
Hearings Officer	70,894
Administrative Coordinator	84,089
36. Colorado River Commission of Nevada:	
Director	\$131,826
Deputy Director	125,340
Special Assistant Division Head, Power	88,000
Division Head, Power	119,445
Division Head, Water	119.445
Administrative Services Officer	119,445
Office Manager	65,654
Senior Energy Accountant (each)	89,528
Natural Resource Specialist (each)	103,853
Environmental Program Manager	107,434
Network Administrator (each)	77,591
Power Supply Manager	
Assistant Director Engineering and Operations.	119,372
Assistant Director Energy Information Systems	
Power Facilities Manager	107,434
Power Facilities Communication Technician	
(each)	83,560
Senior Power Facilities Electrician (each)	83,560
Senior Power Facilities Engineer	103,302
Power Facilities Electrician	77,591
Hydropower Program Manager	113,404
Assistant Hydropower Program Manager	101,466
Natural Resource Technician	74,608
Manager, Power Planner	106,904
Power Supply Planner	107,465
Assistant Power Supply Planner	93,186



	Approximate
	Annual
Title or Position	Salary
Manager, Power Accounting	
Energy Accountant (each)	78,771
37. Office of the Military:	,
Adjutant General	\$117.030
Executive Assistant	56.265
38. Public Employees' Benefits Program:	·····
Executive Officer	\$123,783
Executive Assistant	
Quality Control Officer	
Operations Officer	
Chief Financial Officer	95,650
Chief Information Officer	
Financial Analyst	·
39. Veterans' Services:	
Executive Director, Veterans' Services	\$95,650
Deputy Director, Veterans' Services	
Administrator, Veterans' Home	107,465
40. Medical and Related Positions:	,
Senior Physician (Range C) (each)	\$155,624
Senior Psychiatrist (Range C) (each)	176,902
Senior Institutional Dentist (Range A) (each)	122,714
Senior Institutional Dentist (Range B) (each)	
Pharmacist 3	
Pharmacist 2 (each)	109.518
Pharmacist 1 (each)	
A Senior Psychiatrist (Range C) is a psychiatrist of	ertified by the
American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology.	
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- Sec. 2. 1. If any unclassified position is omitted from this act for the Fiscal Years 2009-2010 and 2010-2011, the Department of Personnel shall examine the duties and responsibilities of the position and submit to the Interim Finance Committee a list of those duties and responsibilities and a recommended salary for the position. The Interim Finance Committee shall review the duties and responsibilities of the position and establish the salary for the position.
- 2. If the Fiscal Analysis Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau determines that the title or maximum salary for a position set forth in section 1 of this act contains a typographical or other error that misrepresents the maximum salary intended to be set forth in section 1 of this act, the Interim Finance Committee may review the



duties and responsibilities of the position and establish the appropriate title and maximum salary for the position pursuant to the intent of the 75th Session of the Nevada Legislature.

- 3. An employee occupying a position that is currently in the classified service that is moved into the unclassified service pursuant to this act has the option to remain in the classified service at his current grade, with all rights afforded classified employees, or move into the unclassified service. If the employee chooses to move into the unclassified service, the employee cannot at a later date choose to return to the classified service while occupying this position.
- 4. Once an employee vacates the position moved into the unclassified service pursuant to this act, the employee who is the replacement in the position will be in the unclassified service.
- 5. If the salary for a position that is currently in the classified service or non-classified service and that is moved into the unclassified service is reduced pursuant to this act, the salary for the employee currently serving in the position will be retained at its current level and the employee will be subject to unpaid furlough leave pursuant to section 3 of this act. Once the employee serving in the position vacates the position, the unclassified salary is established at the level in section 1 of this act, as adjusted pursuant to section 3 of this act.
- 6. If the salary for an employee occupying a position in the unclassified service on June 30, 2009, is more than the maximum salary for that position as set forth in section 1 of this act, the salary for that employee must be retained at the level in effect on June 30, 2009. Such an employee is subject to unpaid furlough leave pursuant to section 3 of this act. Once an employee vacates a position for which the previous salary is retained pursuant to this section, the maximum salary for that position must be reduced to the amount set forth in section 1 of this act, as adjusted pursuant to section 3 of this act.
- **Sec. 3.** 1. Except as otherwise provided in section 5 of this act:
- (a) For the period beginning on July 1, 2009, and ending on June 30, 2011, each employee of the State, other than a classified employee, shall take 1 day of unpaid furlough leave each month.
- (b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection 5, the furlough requirement applies to all branches of state government and includes the Nevada System of Higher Education, the Public Employees' Retirement System and all other entities of state government.



- → The requirements of this section do not apply to employees of the Department of Cultural Affairs whose standard workweek was reduced from 40 hours to 32 hours effective July 1, 2009.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, for the purposes of this section "1 day" consists of the number of hours an employee works in a standard workday, but not more than 8 hours. An employee must take 1 day of furlough leave each month and cannot take portions of a day that combine to total the amount of the required monthly furlough leave. A full-time employee whose standard workday is longer than 8 hours shall take 8 hours of furlough leave on a single workday and may take annual leave for the remainder of the day, work a reduced schedule that day or work a modified schedule approved by his employer. An employee who works less than full time with a fixed schedule shall take as furlough leave the portion of an 8-hour day that his scheduled workweek or biweekly schedule.
- 3. For the period beginning on July 1, 2009, and ending on June 30, 2011, each employee in the classified service of the State shall:
- (a) If he is a full-time employee, take 96 hours of unpaid furlough leave each year.
- (b) If he is employed less than full time, take a number of hours of unpaid furlough leave each year which is equal to the average number of hours worked per working day multiplied by 12.
- → An employee in the classified service of the State may take unpaid furlough leave in portions of a day that combine to total the amount of required yearly leave. To the extent practicable, full-time classified employees should take 8 hours of unpaid furlough leave per month. To the extent practicable, a classified employee who works less than full time with a fixed schedule should take as unpaid furlough leave the portion of an 8-hour day his scheduled workweek or biweekly schedule bears to a full-time workweek or biweekly schedule.
- 4. Furlough leave pursuant to this section must be scheduled and approved in the same manner as other leave. Notwithstanding any statute or regulation to the contrary and except as otherwise provided by regulation adopted pursuant to this section by the Personnel Commission, an employee who is on furlough leave is considered to have worked that day or portion of a day, as applicable, for all purposes except payment of salary and determination of overtime, including without limitation:
 - (a) Accrual of sick and annual leave;



- (b) Determining the employee's pay progression date;
- (c) Continuity of service and years of service for the purposes of payments pursuant to the plan to encourage continuity of service;
 - (d) The duration of a probationary period;
- (e) Determining eligibility for holiday pay if the shift immediately precedes a holiday;
 - (f) Seniority for all purposes, including layoffs;
 - (g) The Public Employees' Benefits Program; and
- (h) The Public Employees' Retirement System, including for the purposes of contributions to the System, subject to the requirements of sections 4 and 5 of this act.
- 5. The Board of Regents of the University of Nevada shall determine and implement the method by which:
- (a) The professional employees of the Nevada System of Higher Education will participate in the furlough requirement pursuant to this section; or
- (b) The overall costs for the professional employees of the Nevada System of Higher Education will be reduced in an amount at least equal to the savings which would have otherwise been produced by furlough leave pursuant to this section.
- 6. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 5, the Personnel Commission shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions of this section.
- **Sec. 4.** 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to establish a program whereby employees of the State and other participating employers who take furlough leave due to extreme fiscal need, including employees required to take furlough leave pursuant to section 3 of this act, be held harmless in the accumulation of retirement service credit and reported salary pursuant to chapter 286 of NRS.
- 2. Except as otherwise required as a result of NRS 286.537 and notwithstanding the provisions of NRS 286.481, an employee is entitled to receive full service credit for time taken as furlough leave pursuant to the program established pursuant to section 3 of this act if:
- (a) The employee does not take more than 96 hours of furlough leave in a year; and
- (b) The public employer certifies to the System that the employer is participating in the furlough program established pursuant to section 3 of this act and that the furlough leave which is reported for the employee is taken in accordance with the requirements of section 3 of this act.



- 3. In any month in which a day of furlough leave is taken, an employee is entitled to receive full-time service credit for the furlough leave in accordance with the normal workday for the employee. An employee who is less than full time is entitled to service credit in the same manner and to the same extent as though the employee had worked the hours taken as furlough leave.
- 4. When a member is on furlough leave pursuant to the program certified by the public employer in accordance with this section, the public employer must:
- (a) Include all information required by the System on the public employer's regular monthly retirement report as provided in NRS 286.460; and
- (b) Pay all required employer and employee contributions to the System based on the compensation that would have been paid to the member but for the member's participation in the program. The public employer may recover from the employee the amount of the employee contributions set forth in NRS 286.410.
- 5. Service credit under the program established pursuant to this section must be computed according to the fiscal year.
 - 6. As used in this section:
 - (a) "Member" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 286.050.
- (b) "Public employer" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 286.070.
 - (c) "System" means the Public Employees' Retirement System.
- **Sec. 5.** 1. It is the intent of the Legislature to limit exceptions to the requirement of furlough leave for employees of the State pursuant to section 3 of this act to identified areas of critical need. If an employer, including the State, participating in the program established pursuant to section 3 of this act determines that a position cannot be subject to furlough leave because of the need to provide appropriate services that are necessary to the protection of public health, safety and welfare, the governing body of the agency must make findings on the record in a public meeting that:
- (a) The position is necessary to the protection of public health, safety, or welfare;
- (b) The public health, safety or welfare will be significantly diminished if mandatory furlough leave is implemented for employees in these positions;
- (c) No alternatives exist to provide for the protection of public health, safety or welfare; and
- (d) The agency has identified and will implement other methods to reduce overall costs equal to the savings produced by furlough



leave under the program or received an allocation of funds as set forth in section 8 of this act.

- 2. For the purposes of subsection 1:
- (a) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the State Board of Examiners shall determine positions within the Executive Branch of State Government that cannot be subject to furlough leave.
- (b) The Board of Regents shall determine positions within the Nevada System of Higher Education that cannot be subject to furlough leave.
- (c) The Public Employees' Retirement Board shall determine positions within the

Public Employees' Retirement System that cannot be subject to furlough leave.

- (d) The Supreme Court shall determine positions within the Judicial Branch of State Government that cannot be subject to furlough leave.
- (e) The Legislative Commission shall determine positions within the Legislative Branch of State Government that cannot be subject to furlough leave.
- 3. The entities described in subsection 2 shall report to the Interim Finance Committee on a quarterly basis all positions that have been determined not to be subject to furlough leave pursuant to this section and the reasons for such determinations.
- **Sec. 6.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the State Board of Examiners the sum of \$23,882,673 for the purpose of meeting any deficiencies for the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2009, and ending on June 30, 2010, and the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, which may be created between the appropriated money of the respective departments, commissions and agencies of the State of Nevada, as fixed by the 75th Session of the Legislature, and the actual salary net of requirements for unpaid furlough leave of the personnel of those departments, commissions and agencies, necessary under section 3 of this act due to extreme fiscal need and to hold those personnel harmless in the accumulation of retirement service credit under section 4 of this act, to become effective on July 1, 2009.
- 2. The State Board of Examiners, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Administration, may allocate and disburse to various departments, commissions and agencies of the State of Nevada, out of the money appropriated by this section such sums of money as may from time to time be required, which when



added to the money otherwise appropriated or available equal the amount of money required to pay the salaries of the employees of the respective departments, commissions and agencies under the adjusted pay plan.

- Sec. 7. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State Highway Fund to the State Board of Examiners the sum of \$4,657,094 for the purpose of meeting any deficiencies for the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2009, and ending on June 30, 2010, and the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2010, and ending June 30, 2011, which may exist between the appropriated money of the Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Public Safety and Transportation Authority, as fixed by the 75th Session of the Legislature, and actual salaries net of the requirements for unpaid furlough leave of personnel of the Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Public Safety and Transportation Authority necessary under section 3 of this act due to extreme fiscal need and to hold those personnel harmless in the accumulation of retirement service credit under section 4 of this act, to become effective on July 1, 2009.
- 2. The State Board of Examiners, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Administration, may allocate and disburse to the Department of Motor Vehicles, the Department of Public Safety and the Transportation Authority out of the money appropriated by this section such sums of money as may from time to time be required, which when added to the money otherwise appropriated or available equal the amount of money required to meet and pay the salaries of the employees of the Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Public Safety and Transportation Authority under the adjusted pay plan.
- **Sec. 8.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the State Board of Examiners the sum of \$4,000,000 for the purpose of meeting any deficiencies for the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2009, and ending on June 30, 2010, and the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2010, and ending on June 30, 2011, which may be created between the appropriated money of the respective departments, commissions and agencies of the State of Nevada, as fixed by the 75th Session of the Legislature and the requirements of section 5 of this act for identified areas of critical need.
- 2. The State Board of Examiners, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Administration, may allocate and disburse to various departments, commissions and agencies of the State of Nevada, out of the money appropriated by this section such sums of money as may from time to time be required, which when



added to the money otherwise appropriated or available equal the amount of money required to pay the salaries of the employees of the respective departments, commissions and agencies who are employed in positions of critical need pursuant to section 5 of this act.

- **Sec. 9.** On or before May 31, 2010, the Interim Finance Committee shall project the unappropriated balance of the State General Fund and the State Distributive School Account in the State General Fund as of June 30, 2010, using all relevant information known to it. The results of the projections of the State General Fund and the State Distributive School Account must be combined into a single projection.
- **Sec. 10.** 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, based on the projection required by section 9 of this act, the following amounts are hereby contingently appropriated, to provide for reductions in unpaid furlough leave for the respective groups of employees for the Fiscal Year 2010-2011:
- (a) If the projected balance is at least \$390,000,000 to effect an estimated reduction from 12 unpaid days of furlough leave to 9 unpaid days of furlough leave:
- (1) From the State General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee for:

(2) From the State Highway Fund to the Interim Finance Committee for positions in the Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Public Safety and Transportation Authority of Nevada:

Classified and unclassified employees.....\$1,329,364

- (3) From the State General Fund to the Legislative Fund for employees of the Legislative Counsel Bureau and Interim Legislative Operations......\$297,539
- (b) If the projected balance is at least \$425,000,000, to effect an estimated reduction from 12 unpaid days of furlough leave to 7 unpaid days of furlough leave:
- (1) From the State General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee for:

Nonclassified, classified and unclassified employees of the State\$12,223,167



Classified and professional employees of Nevada System of Higher Education\$11,032,510

(2) From the State Highway Fund to the Interim Finance Committee for positions in the Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Public Safety and Transportation Authority of Nevada: \$2.215,607

- (3) From the State General Fund to the Legislative Fund for employees of the Legislative Counsel Bureau and Interim Legislative Operations......\$495,899 → The Interim Finance Committee shall allocate the appropriations pursuant to this section among the respective departments, commissions and agencies of the State.
- The provisions of this section do not apply if the State Treasurer borrows money on or after July 1, 2009, from the Local Government Pooled Investment Fund pursuant to the provisions of Section 1 of chapter 1, Statutes of Nevada 2008, 25th Special Session, at page 2, as amended by the 2009 Legislature.
- **Sec. 11.** 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, based on the projection required by section 9 of this act, the following amounts are hereby contingently appropriated for the Fiscal Year 2010-2011:
- (a) If the projected balance is at least \$390,000,000, to provide funding sufficient for a 1 percent increase in salaries for personnel employed by school districts, charter schools and university schools for profoundly gifted pupils:
- (1) From the State General Fund to the State Distributive School Account in the State General Fund\$24,099,622

- → This additional appropriation, if any, must be apportioned in the same proportion per pupil as established by the Department of Education for the 17 county school districts for Fiscal Year 2010-2011.
- (2) From the State General Fund to the Account for Programs for Innovation and the Prevention of Remediation created by NRS 385.379......\$267,521 → This additional appropriation, if any, must be added to any other appropriations made to the Account for the 2009-2011 biennium and

expended in the same manner as those other appropriations. (b) If the projected balance is at least \$425,000,000, to provide funding sufficient for a 2 percent increase in salaries for personnel



employed by school districts, charter schools and university schools for profoundly gifted pupils:

(1) From the State General Fund to the State distributive School Account in the State General

- → This additional appropriation, if any, must be apportioned in the same proportion per pupil as established by the Department of Education for the 17 county school districts for Fiscal Year 2010-2011.
- (2) From the State General Fund to the Account for Programs for Innovation and the Prevention of Remediation created by NRS 385.379......\$535,042 → This additional appropriation, if any, must be added to any other appropriations made to the Account for the 2009-2011 biennium and expended in the same manner as those other appropriations.
- The provisions of this section do not apply if the State Treasurer borrows money on or after July 1, 2009, from the Local Government Pooled Investment Fund pursuant to the provisions of Section 1 of chapter 1, Statutes of Nevada 2008, 25th Special Session, at page 2, as amended by the 2009 Legislature.
- Sec. 12. The Department of Health and Human Services may adopt a plan to authorize additional payments of up to \$60 for a specified period on a weeknight and of up to \$100 for a specified period on a weekend day for unclassified employees, who are Senior Psychiatrists, Senior Physicians or Pharmacists to perform on-call responsibilities to ensure 24-hour coverage in psychiatric treatment facilities. On-call responsibilities for Senior Psychiatrists and Senior Physicians include, without limitation, attending to clinical emergencies, evaluation of patients subject to seclusion and restraint, and completing rounds during weekends. On-call responsibilities for pharmacists, including, without limitation, consultation with medical personnel and first dosage reviews.
- Sec. 13. The State Gaming Control Board may adopt a plan to authorize additional payments of up to \$5,000 annually for unclassified employees who possess a current Nevada certified public accountant certificate, a license to practice law in the State of Nevada or any other state, or are in a qualifying position as an electronic laboratory engineer and possess a bachelor of science or higher degree in engineering, electronic engineering or computer science and utilize, in the opinion of the Board, the skills evidenced by these qualifications to further enhance the performance of their job duties and responsibilities.



- **Sec. 14.** Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by sections 6 to 8, inclusive, of this act must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2011, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 16, 2011, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the fund from which it was appropriated on or before September 16, 2011.
- **Sec. 15.** 1. Money in subsection 1 of sections 6 and 8 of this act can be transferred among each section to finance the requirements of section 3 to 5, inclusive, of this act.
- 2. When determining the allocations of the money appropriated in sections 6 to 8, inclusive, the Board of Examiners must not distribute money to an account beyond the maximum salary need amount determined for the account. Appropriations established for an account within a department, agency or commission must not be distributed to another account within the department, agency or commission if that action results in the distribution of money beyond the maximum salary need amount determined for the account.
 - **Sec. 16.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2009.



