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SENATE BILL 538

Adopts provisions to protect Internet privacy.

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS:

Thank you, (Mr./Madam) President. The President of the United States recently overturned the Federal Communications Commission's Internet privacy rules, which were established in 2016. The rules would have given Internet users greater control over what service providers can do with their data.

To address this privacy issue in Nevada, we are obligated as public servants to pass Senate Bill 538, which protects our residents' personal information from operators of commercial websites or online services. The bill requires such operators to provide a notice containing information relating to the privacy of personally identifiable information about consumers collected through the website or online service.

The measure also allows an operator to remedy any failure for not making such a notice available, but the operator is prohibited from knowingly and willfully failing to remedy such a failure within 30 days after being informed. The operator is also prohibited from making a knowing and material misrepresentation or omission in such a notice that is likely to mislead consumers.