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Introduced in the Assembly on Mar 17, 2015.

By: (**Bolded** name indicates primary sponsorship)

Swank, Joiner, Kirkpatrick, Carlton

Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program. (BDR 17-1011)

Fiscal Notes [View Fiscal Notes](#)

Effect on Local Government: No.

Effect on State: Yes.

Most Recent History Action: Approved by the Governor. Chapter 183.
(See full list below)

Upcoming Hearings

Past Hearings

Assembly Legislative Operations and Elections	Mar 26, 2015	04:00 PM	Heard
Assembly Legislative Operations and Elections	Apr 02, 2015	04:00 PM	Do pass
Senate Legislative Operations and Elections	May 04, 2015	03:30 PM	Heard, No Action
Senate Legislative Operations and Elections	May 06, 2015	03:30 PM	Do pass

Final Passage Votes

Assembly Final Passage	(As Introduced)	Apr 16, 2015	Yea 40,	Nay 0,	Excused 2,	Not Voting 0,	Absent 0
Senate Final Passage	(As Introduced)	May 17, 2015	Yea 21,	Nay 0,	Excused 0,	Not Voting 0,	Absent 0

Bill Text [As Introduced](#) [As Enrolled](#)

Bill History

Mar 17, 2015

- Read first time. Referred to Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections. To printer.

Mar 19, 2015

- From printer. To committee.

Apr 03, 2015

- From committee: Do pass.

Apr 06, 2015

- Read second time.

Apr 08, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

Apr 10, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

Apr 14, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

Apr 15, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

Apr 16, 2015

- Read third time. Passed. Title approved. (Yeas: 40, Nays: None, Excused: 2) To Senate.

Apr 17, 2015

- In Senate.

- Read first time. Referred to Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections. To committee.

May 07, 2015

- From committee: Do pass.

May 08, 2015

- Read second time.

May 11, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

May 12, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

May 13, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

May 14, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

May 15, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

May 16, 2015

- Taken from General File. Placed on General File for next legislative day.

May 17, 2015

- Read third time. Passed. Title approved. (Yeas: 21, Nays: None.) To Assembly.

May 18, 2015

- In Assembly. To enrollment.

May 19, 2015

- Enrolled and delivered to Governor.

May 25, 2015

- Approved by the Governor. Chapter 183.

- **Effective May 25, 2015.**



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BILL SUMMARY
78th REGULAR SESSION
OF THE NEVADA LEGISLATURE

ASSEMBLY BILL 384 (Enrolled)
Relates to the Nevada Oral History Program

Summary

Assembly Bill 384 establishes the Nevada Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). The Legislative Commission shall approve a plan and procedures to conduct oral histories of current and former legislators. Materials are confidential unless released pursuant to policies approved by the Legislative Commission. The Director of the LCB may accept gifts, grants, or donations in support of the program.

Effective Date

This bill is effective on May 25, 2015.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 384—ASSEMBLYWOMEN SWANK, JOINER,
KIRKPATRICK AND CARLTON

MARCH 17, 2015

Referred to Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

SUMMARY—Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program. (BDR 17-1011)

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

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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 the Legislature; establishing the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 In 2007, the Legislature appropriated money to enable the Research Division of
2 the Legislative Counsel Bureau to create an oral history of the Nevada Legislature.
3 (Section 17 of chapter 345, Statutes of Nevada 2007, p. 1605) This bill establishes
4 the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program in statute to provide for the ongoing
5 conduct and preservation of oral histories of current and former Legislators. The
6 Program is required to be administered by the Research Division.

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

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 218A of NRS is hereby amended by
2 adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

3 *1. The Nevada Legislature Oral History Program is hereby*
4 *established, to be administered by the Research Division.*

5 *2. Within the limits of money available, the Research*
6 *Division shall cause the conduct and preservation of oral histories*
7 *of current and former Legislators.*

8 *3. The Research Division shall:*

9 *(a) Prepare a plan setting forth any oral histories proposed to*
10 *be conducted during a biennium and submit the plan to the*
11 *Legislative Commission for its approval.*



1 ***(b) With the approval of the Legislative Commission, adopt***
2 ***procedures for the conduct and preservation of the oral histories***
3 ***and any related materials, including, without limitation, books,***
4 ***papers, documents, records, photographs and recordings.***

5 ***(c) With the approval of the Legislative Commission, adopt***
6 ***policies:***

7 ***(1) Governing the acceptance by the Research Division of***
8 ***oral histories of current and former Legislators and any related***
9 ***materials submitted by any person or public or private entity. Such***
10 ***policies must include, without limitation, policies relating to the***
11 ***format for submitting, and the standards for the acceptance of,***
12 ***such an oral history and any related materials.***

13 ***(2) Governing the release to the public of oral histories***
14 ***conducted or accepted pursuant to this section and any related***
15 ***materials.***

16 ***(3) Governing the transfer of oral histories conducted or***
17 ***accepted pursuant to this section and any related materials to the***
18 ***Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of***
19 ***Administration pursuant to subsection 6.***

20 ***(4) Necessary to carry out the Program.***

21 ***4. The Director may accept any gifts, grants or donations for***
22 ***the support of the Program. All money received for the Program***
23 ***pursuant to this subsection must be credited to the Legislative***
24 ***Fund. The Legislative Counsel Bureau shall maintain separate***
25 ***accounting records for the receipt and expenditure of that money.***

26 ***5. An oral history conducted or accepted for the Program***
27 ***pursuant to this section and any related materials are confidential***
28 ***and may only be released to the public pursuant to the policy***
29 ***adopted pursuant to subsection 3.***

30 ***6. The Research Division may transfer an oral history***
31 ***conducted or accepted for the Program pursuant to this section***
32 ***and any related materials to the Division of State Library and***
33 ***Archives of the Department of Administration for preservation.***

34 ***7. On or before September 1 of each even-numbered year, for***
35 ***the biennium ending June 30 of such year, the Research Division***
36 ***shall submit a report to the Legislative Commission concerning***
37 ***the activities of the Program during that biennium.***

38 **Sec. 2.** NRS 239.010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

39 239.010 1. Except as otherwise provided in this section and
40 NRS 1.4683, 1A.110, 49.095, 62D.420, 62D.440, 62E.516,
41 62E.620, 62H.025, 62H.030, 62H.170, 62H.220, 62H.320, 76.160,
42 78.152, 80.113, 81.850, 82.183, 86.246, 86.54615, 87.515, 87.5413,
43 87A.200, 87A.580, 87A.640, 88.3355, 88.5927, 88.6067, 88A.345,
44 88A.7345, 89.045, 89.251, 90.730, 91.160, 116.757, 116A.270,
45 116B.880, 118B.026, 119.260, 119.265, 119.267, 119.280,



1 119A.280, 119A.653, 119B.370, 119B.382, 120A.690, 125.130,
2 125B.140, 126.141, 126.161, 126.163, 126.730, 127.007, 127.057,
3 127.130, 127.140, 127.2817, 130.312, 159.044, 172.075, 172.245,
4 176.015, 176.0625, 176.09129, 176.156, 176A.630, 178.39801,
5 178.4715, 178.5691, 179.495, 179A.070, 179A.165, 179A.450,
6 179D.160, 200.3771, 200.3772, 200.5095, 200.604, 202.3662,
7 205.4651, 209.392, 209.3925, 209.419, 209.521, 211A.140,
8 213.010, 213.040, 213.095, 213.131, 217.105, 217.110, 217.464,
9 217.475, 218E.625, 218F.150, 218G.130, 218G.240, 218G.350,
10 228.270, 228.450, 228.495, 228.570, 231.069, 233.190, 237.300,
11 239.0105, 239.0113, 239B.030, 239B.040, 239B.050, 239C.140,
12 239C.210, 239C.230, 239C.250, 239C.270, 240.007, 241.020,
13 241.030, 242.105, 244.264, 244.335, 250.087, 250.130, 250.140,
14 250.150, 268.095, 268.490, 268.910, 271A.105, 281.195, 281A.350,
15 281A.440, 281A.550, 284.4068, 286.110, 287.0438, 289.025,
16 289.080, 289.387, 293.5002, 293.503, 293.558, 293B.135,
17 293D.510, 331.110, 332.061, 332.351, 333.333, 333.335, 338.070,
18 338.1379, 338.1725, 338.1727, 348.420, 349.597, 349.775, 353.205,
19 353A.085, 353A.100, 353C.240, 360.240, 360.247, 360.255,
20 360.755, 361.044, 361.610, 365.138, 366.160, 368A.180, 372A.080,
21 378.290, 378.300, 379.008, 386.655, 387.626, 387.631, 388.5275,
22 388.528, 388.5315, 388.750, 391.035, 392.029, 392.147, 392.264,
23 392.271, 392.652, 392.850, 394.167, 394.1698, 394.447, 394.460,
24 394.465, 396.3295, 396.405, 396.525, 396.535, 398.403, 408.3885,
25 408.3886, 412.153, 416.070, 422.290, 422.305, 422A.320,
26 422A.350, 425.400, 427A.1236, 427A.872, 432.205, 432B.175,
27 432B.280, 432B.290, 432B.407, 432B.430, 432B.560, 433.534,
28 433A.360, 439.270, 439.840, 439B.420, 440.170, 441A.195,
29 441A.220, 441A.230, 442.330, 442.395, 445A.665, 445B.570,
30 449.209, 449.245, 449.720, 453.1545, 453.720, 453A.610,
31 453A.700, 458.055, 458.280, 459.050, 459.3866, 459.555,
32 459.7056, 459.846, 463.120, 463.15993, 463.240, 463.3403,
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39 629.069, 630.133, 630.30665, 630.336, 630A.555, 631.368,
40 632.121, 632.125, 632.405, 633.283, 633.301, 633.524, 634.212,
41 634.214, 634A.185, 635.158, 636.107, 637.085, 637A.315,
42 637B.288, 638.087, 638.089, 639.2485, 639.570, 640.075,
43 640A.220, 640B.730, 640C.400, 640C.745, 640C.760, 640D.190,
44 640E.340, 641.090, 641A.191, 641B.170, 641C.760, 642.524,
45 643.189, 644.446, 645.180, 645.625, 645A.050, 645A.082,



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3 647.0947, 648.033, 648.197, 649.065, 649.067, 652.228, 654.110,
4 656.105, 661.115, 665.130, 665.133, 669.275, 669.285, 669A.310,
5 671.170, 673.430, 675.380, 676A.340, 676A.370, 677.243,
6 679B.122, 679B.152, 679B.159, 679B.190, 679B.285, 679B.690,
7 680A.270, 681A.440, 681B.260, 681B.280, 683A.0873, 685A.077,
8 686A.289, 686B.170, 686C.306, 687A.110, 687A.115, 687C.010,
9 688C.230, 688C.480, 688C.490, 692A.117, 692C.190, 692C.420,
10 693A.480, 693A.615, 696B.550, 703.196, 704B.320, 704B.325,
11 706.1725, 710.159, 711.600, *and section 1 of this act*, sections 35,
12 38 and 41 of chapter 478, Statutes of Nevada 2011 and section 2 of
13 chapter 391, Statutes of Nevada 2013 and unless otherwise declared
14 by law to be confidential, all public books and public records of a
15 governmental entity must be open at all times during office hours to
16 inspection by any person, and may be fully copied or an abstract or
17 memorandum may be prepared from those public books and public
18 records. Any such copies, abstracts or memoranda may be used to
19 supply the general public with copies, abstracts or memoranda of the
20 records or may be used in any other way to the advantage of the
21 governmental entity or of the general public. This section does not
22 supersede or in any manner affect the federal laws governing
23 copyrights or enlarge, diminish or affect in any other manner the
24 rights of a person in any written book or record which is
25 copyrighted pursuant to federal law.

26 2. A governmental entity may not reject a book or record
27 which is copyrighted solely because it is copyrighted.

28 3. A governmental entity that has legal custody or control of a
29 public book or record shall not deny a request made pursuant to
30 subsection 1 to inspect or copy or receive a copy of a public book or
31 record on the basis that the requested public book or record contains
32 information that is confidential if the governmental entity can
33 redact, delete, conceal or separate the confidential information from
34 the information included in the public book or record that is not
35 otherwise confidential.

36 4. A person may request a copy of a public record in any
37 medium in which the public record is readily available. An officer,
38 employee or agent of a governmental entity who has legal custody
39 or control of a public record:

40 (a) Shall not refuse to provide a copy of that public record in a
41 readily available medium because the officer, employee or agent has
42 already prepared or would prefer to provide the copy in a different
43 medium.

44 (b) Except as otherwise provided in NRS 239.030, shall, upon
45 request, prepare the copy of the public record and shall not require



1 the person who has requested the copy to prepare the copy himself
2 or herself.

3 **Sec. 3.** NRS 378.240 is hereby amended to read as follows:

4 378.240 The State Library and Archives Administrator shall,
5 within the limits of legislative appropriations:

6 1. Maintain and properly equip safe and secure premises and
7 vaults at the seat of government for the preservation and use of
8 material deposited in the archives.

9 2. Employ persons in the classified service of the State to
10 preserve, index and aid in the use of material deposited in the
11 archives.

12 3. Give an appropriate receipt for material received by him or
13 her for the archives.

14 4. Subject to the provisions of NRS 378.310 and subsection 4
15 of NRS 239.090, make material deposited in the archives readily
16 available for use.

17 5. Receive into the archives any material when directed to do
18 so by the Committee to Approve Schedules for the Retention and
19 Disposition of Official State Records created pursuant to
20 NRS 239.073.

21 *6. Receive into the archives and preserve oral histories of*
22 *current and former Legislators and any related materials*
23 *transferred from the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel*
24 *Bureau pursuant to section 1 of this act.*

25 **Sec. 4.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

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**NON-EXECUTIVE AGENCY
 FISCAL NOTE**

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Date Prepared: March 25, 2015

Agency Submitting: Legislative Counsel Bureau

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2014-15	Fiscal Year 2015-16	Fiscal Year 2016-17	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

This legislation would establish the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program in statute to provide for the ongoing conduct and preservation of oral histories of current and former legislators. Although the Research Division would be tasked with preparing a plan setting forth the oral histories proposed to be conducted during a biennium for the approval of the Legislative Commission, we have indicated that the bill will not have a fiscal impact on the Research Division. Since the legislation does not require the Research Division to conduct any particular number of oral histories in any given biennium, the Division will propose to the Legislative Commission that it conduct only as many oral histories as it can complete within its existing budgetary resources. The Administrative Division's Broadcast and Production Services Unit can assist with a limited number of such histories as time permits.

If appropriations are approved for the program at any point or if gifts or donations are received pursuant to the legislation, the additional funds could be used to obtain outside assistance conducting the oral histories and enable the completion of more histories than would otherwise be possible.

Name Richard S. Combs
 Title Director

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE FORTY-FOURTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), March 17, 2015

Assembly called to order at 11:57 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Peggy Locke.

Ah Lord God, great and mighty God, great in counsel and mighty in deed! You have made the heavens and the earth by Your great power! Nothing is too difficult for You!

We come to You today and ask for Your grace and wisdom. Help us to trust in You and seek You first above all else. May all we do and say be acceptable in Your sight, O God. May we be a blessing to our fellow workers and friends, showing love, respect, kindness, and consideration to all.

Bless and protect our families and those serving in harm's way. God bless everyone who serves the people of our great state of Nevada.

And finally, a St. Patrick's Day blessing:

May the road rise up to meet you.

May the wind be always at your back.

May the sun shine warm upon your face;

The rains fall soft upon your fields and until we meet again,

May God hold you in the palm of His hand.

In the Name above all Names, we pray.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections.

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick:

Assembly Bill No. 382—AN ACT relating to business; revising provisions governing the amount of the annual fee for a state business license; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Taxation.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Kirkpatrick and Paul Anderson; Senator Hammond:

Assembly Bill No. 383—AN ACT relating to drivers' licenses; authorizing reciprocal agreements with certain other countries concerning the licensing of drivers; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Motion carried.

By Assemblywomen Swank, Joiner, Kirkpatrick and Carlton:

Assembly Bill No. 384—AN ACT relating to the Legislature; establishing the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections.

Motion carried.

By Assemblywoman Kirkpatrick:

Assembly Bill No. 385—AN ACT relating to tow cars; prohibiting operators of tow cars from towing certain vehicles to any location other than a designated vehicle storage lot under certain circumstances; revising provisions relating to operators of tow cars; providing civil and criminal penalties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Transportation.

Motion carried.

By Assemblymen Flores, Seaman, Dooling, Carrillo, Kirkpatrick, Dickman, Joiner, O'Neill, Spiegel, Thompson, Titus, Wheeler and Woodbury; Senators Denis and Kihuen:

Assembly Bill No. 386—AN ACT relating to real property; establishing procedures for the retaking of a dwelling subject to forcible entry or forcible detainer; revising provisions relating to unlawful detainer; revising the procedures for removing a tenant who is guilty of an unlawful detainer;

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING
OF THE
ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS**

**Seventy-Eighth Session
March 26, 2015**

The Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections was called to order by Chair Lynn D. Stewart at 4:01 p.m. on Thursday, March 26, 2015, in Room 3142 of the Legislative Building, 401 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada. The meeting was videoconferenced to Room 4401 of the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada. Copies of the minutes, including the Agenda (Exhibit A), the Attendance Roster (Exhibit B), and other substantive exhibits, are available and on file in the Research Library of the Legislative Counsel Bureau and on the Nevada Legislature's website at www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/78th2015. In addition, copies of the audio or video of the meeting may be purchased, for personal use only, through the Legislative Counsel Bureau's Publications Office (email: publications@lcb.state.nv.us; telephone: 775-684-6835).

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Assemblyman Lynn D. Stewart, Chair
Assemblywoman Shelly M. Shelton, Vice Chair
Assemblyman Elliot T. Anderson
Assemblywoman Michele Fiore
Assemblyman John Moore
Assemblyman Harvey J. Munford
Assemblywoman Victoria Seaman
Assemblyman Tyrone Thompson
Assemblyman Glenn E. Trowbridge

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

Assemblyman James Ohrenschall (excused)

GUEST LEGISLATORS PRESENT:

Assemblyman David M. Gardner, Assembly District No. 9
Assemblyman Chris Edwards, Assembly District No. 19
Assemblywoman Marilyn K. Kirkpatrick, Assembly District No. 1
Assemblyman Jim Wheeler, Assembly District No. 39

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Chair Stewart:

I cannot imagine anyone having questions about removing boards that are not doing anything. Is anyone in support of the bill? [There was no one.] Is there anyone opposed to the bill? [There was no one.] Is anyone neutral on the bill? [There was no one.] The hearing is closed on A.B. 456 and we will open the hearing on Assembly Bill 384.

Assembly Bill 384: Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program.
(BDR 17-1011)

Assemblywoman Heidi Swank, Assembly District No. 16:

Joining me today is Assemblywoman Amber Joiner, who will start off the presentation on Assembly Bill 384, and then I will join her.

Assemblywoman Amber Joiner, Assembly District No. 24:

The purpose of A.B. 384 is to formalize in statute the Nevada Legislature's Oral History Project which has been dormant for the last six years. In 2007, Senate Bill No. 579 of the 74th Session appropriated funds to enable the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB) to create an oral history of the Nevada Legislature.

Between 2008 and 2009, I was fortunate enough to be assigned as a project coordinator for this project while serving as a Senior Research Analyst for LCB. We contracted with a skilled oral history team to conduct 17 videotaped and audiotaped interviews of former legislators who had made significant contributions in the state. Highlights from these interviews were compiled into a half-hour video that some of you may have seen either at Old Timer's Day in the last several sessions or at the freshman orientation. It was called "Remembering Citizen Legislators: The Nevada Legislative Oral History Project." You should have a two-page handout in front of you (Exhibit L). There is a fact sheet and also a list of all the oral histories we have currently. There is a transcript, video, and audio for each of them. The compilation video is at the top of the page if you want to click on it and watch it. In these videos, you will see a veritable treasure trove of historical nuggets. You will hear everything from fun anecdotes to factoids that give a glimpse of how Nevadans lived. Also, there is timeless wisdom shared on how to represent constituents and how to work across party lines. I find it fascinating that a lot of the policy issues they grappled with in these oral history interviews are some of the same ones we still work hard to overcome, the many challenges involved with equal rights, education, and how to fund essential services. We can learn a lot by listening to our predecessors.

Chair Stewart:

One of the first people you should interview is Assemblyman Munford if this bill passes. This man has a wealth of information on history. Would you agree to that, Assemblyman Munford?

Assemblyman Munford:

Yes.

Assemblywoman Joiner:

Despite how amazing these videos were, since the project ended in 2009, no additional oral histories have been conducted and no additional funds have been allocated to the project. Unfortunately, since those interviews, we have lost five interview participants. The reason I bring this up is because in the subsequent six years, we were unable to conduct oral histories on people because they had passed away. For me, this is a time-sensitive issue. I hate to miss anymore legendary legislators who have a lot to offer in these histories by not moving forward with this bill this session.

This bill has a fiscal note of zero because it does not require that the LCB conduct a certain number of oral histories. It stays within the limits of available money. It also provides that the Research Division will propose a plan to the Legislative Commission for conducting legislative oral histories and a budget proposal prepared during their normal budgeting process. The bill will be explained by Assemblywoman Swank, and after her explanation, we have a Nevada historian, Dana Bennett, with us who was the main interviewer in the original project, as well as other supporters who were involved in the project. Before I conclude, on your fact sheet you will notice that it is prepared by Amber Joiner and Donald Williams. Mr. Williams is Director of the Research Division, and I received word from him that he was not able to make it here today, but he supports the bill and worked incredibly hard on this project.

Assemblywoman Swank:

Section 2 gives the Research Division of LCB the permission to protect and preserve these oral histories as money is available.

Subsection 3 states that the Research Division must submit a plan to the Legislative Commission for approval of this project and that the plan should include procedures for conducting and preserving oral histories and related materials. This could be books, documents, or whatever the individual would like to add to their oral history. They also must develop policies which would include a format for any oral histories that were done externally. So if there was someone who had his own oral history prepared, he could submit it as long as it met the standards that were set in this plan by the Research Division for

the oral history and related materials. The policies deal with release of the oral histories and related materials to the public. This is important because one of the things that I want to include in this plan is that we could interview current legislators, not just past legislators. Looking at this as an anthropologist, in your first legislative session, there are a lot of things that seem remarkable but in later sessions, they seem less remarkable and become part of the flow of the Legislature. We want to make sure that people who are going to continue to run for office would not need to release their oral histories until they no longer run for office. They would have that control. The policies would have to cover the transferring of oral histories and related materials to the Division of State Library and Archives, and any other additional policies that are needed for the program.

Subsection 4 allows the director of the Research Division to accept gifts, grants, and donations for the program. As you retire from the Legislature, you can make donations to help keep the history of this body alive.

Subsection 5 states that the oral histories are to be kept confidential and there must be a policy for their release to be developed by the Research Division and approved by the Legislative Commission. This refers back to protecting legislators' information.

Subsection 6 states that the Research Division can transfer the oral histories and related materials to the Nevada State Library and Archives.

Subsection 7 outlines the reporting requirements for the program.

The long list of numbers in subsection 8 exempts this program from the requirement that all books and records of a government entity be made public. This also protects legislators' information as long as they want it protected.

Chair Stewart:

Are both of you going to be in this program?

Assemblywoman Swank:

I hope to be.

Assemblywoman Joiner:

Yes, I would love to.

Assemblyman Trowbridge:

I think this may seem like a fluff project but it is not. I have been involved in programs such as this, and they are incredibly important. The only thing

I would suggest to enhance it would be to involve someone from the library early on in the process just because of the way things are organized and how librarians think.

Chair Stewart:

Assemblywoman Joiner, do you know where the early interviews are kept?

Assemblywoman Joiner:

The original idea was to keep them in the LCB Research Library, which is where they are currently. The only time I envisioned the State Library and Archives being involved is if for some reason the Research Library ran out of space or if it was determined through the Legislative Commission's approval and plan that there was a need to transfer them. I believe we have the capacity to keep them here at the Legislature.

Chair Stewart:

Ms. Stonefield tells me that is where they are. Is there anyone in support of this bill?

Dana Bennett, Private Citizen, Reno, Nevada:

I am here as the former project manager of the Nevada Legislature Oral History Project.

Chair Stewart:

I believe you are the first historian to head up the Nevada Mining Association, correct?

Dana Bennett:

Yes, and the first woman. I began working at the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau in December 1988. During my ten years in the Division, I developed a deep interest in the history of this institution. I worked on the revision of the political history of Nevada in 1996 and published several articles related to legislative history, one of which was co-authored with my former boss, Lorne Malkiewich.

Recently I completed a doctor of philosophy (Ph.D.) in history with a dissertation that focused on Nevada women lawmakers and their involvement in tax policy development before 1960. While I was a history doctoral student, I was part of a group that successfully bid for the job of conducting oral histories that Assemblywoman Joiner described. Over that 18-month period, I had the privilege and the joy of interviewing some of Nevada's legendary legislators, such as Senator Virgil Getto, who I believe has the distinction of being a freshman five times. One of the people who got me to thinking about

this process was Senator Jack Vergiels, who I believe is the only person to have served as both the Speaker of the Assembly and Senate Majority Leader. Senator Vergiels started telling me fantastic stories, and I wanted to get them recorded but that did not happen. He was on the list of people to be interviewed as part of the Legislature's Oral History Project, but he had become ill and deteriorated very quickly. So, we lost those stories.

That is emblematic about the importance of this project. As the project manager, I interviewed more than half of them and was able to capture an interview with William D. "Bill" Swackhamer who first served in the Legislature in 1947 as Speaker and eventually became Secretary of State. It was a privilege and a lot of fun. The importance of oral history is that it captures the color commentary. The legislative record, history, and journals are the play-by-play, but the color commentary is when the people involved tell you what happened in the back rooms. In the records there is information about when the state Senate passed the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) in the 1970s, but until you hear Senator Joseph M. "Joe" Neal explain how he maneuvered that, you do not get a full understanding of what really happened. I am happy to answer any questions.

Lorne Malkiewich, Private Citizen, Reno, Nevada:

I am here today as a former employee of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). I was employed by the LCB for 30 years; 18 years as Director, and I also participated in the original oral history project. I am strongly in favor of the bill and in continuing this project. I spent a number of years in charge and loved every minute of it. I had the pleasure of working with many of the legislators who were interviewed as part of this project. I have worked with Assemblyman Ohrenschall's mother, was hired by his stepfather, worked with Assemblywoman Neal's father, and with Senator Segerblom's mother. I think the bill is very well done to put it in the Research Division and have the Legislative Commission approve it. There is no cost and it is within the limits of appropriation allowing gifts, grants, and working with the State Library and Archives. I think it is a wonderful project and I encourage your support.

Chair Stewart:

Assemblywoman Swank, I think we could expand this bill to not only include legislators but those who worked in the Legislative Building. I think these two people in front of us, plus the legislator to my right, would be excellent people to interview. Is there anyone else in support of A.B. 384? [There was no one.] Is there anyone opposed to this bill? [There was no one.] Is anyone neutral to this bill? [There was no one.] Assemblywoman Joiner and Assemblywoman Swank, I have one condition on passing this bill, which is that both of you need to consult with me as to the list of people who need

to be interviewed. I think on the top of that list would be former Assemblyman John C. Carpenter. I would appreciate being involved with that input. The hearing is closed on A.B. 384. Is there any public comment? [There was none.] The meeting is adjourned [at 6:12 p.m.].

[(Exhibit M) and (Exhibit N) were submitted but not discussed and will become part of the record.]

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Patricia Hartman
Committee Secretary

APPROVED BY:

Assemblyman Lynn D. Stewart, Chair

DATE: _____



NEVADA LEGISLATURE ORAL HISTORY PROJECT

PREPARED BY: AMBER JOINER AND DONALD O. WILLIAMS
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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU

UPDATED NOVEMBER 2012

The purpose of the Nevada Legislature Oral History Project is to conduct and archive the interviews of former legislators who have made significant historical contributions to our State. By making the recordings and transcripts available to the public, it is hoped that the stories captured will enhance the historical understanding of public policy, political culture, and the legislative process in Nevada.

Between 2008 and 2009, the Nevada Legislature Oral History Project conducted 17 video-and audio-taped interviews of former legislators who have made significant contributions to Nevada. In commemoration of the Legislature's 75th Regular Legislative Session, portions of 16 of the interviews were compiled into a 27-minute film titled, "Remembering Citizen Legislators: The Nevada Legislature Oral History Project." Transcripts and videos of all the interviews are now available to the general public for purchase through the Gift Shop of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). The following libraries and museums have also received a set of transcripts and videos: the Research Library of the LCB; the Nevada State Library and Archives; the Mathewson-IGT Knowledge Center at the University of Nevada, Reno; the Lied Library at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas; the Nevada Historical Society; and the Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas.

The interviews are topical interviews lasting between one and two hours. They focus on important projects, events, and legislation in which the legislator played a leadership role during his or her legislative career. The interviews attempt to capture the unofficial history of the Nevada Legislature by asking questions about the portion of the legislator's life relevant to his or her term(s) in office. Some common themes include how he or she came to serve in the Nevada Legislature, his or her most significant contribution to the legislative process or public policy in Nevada, and "what it was really like" behind the scenes at the Legislature.

PARTICIPANTS

Several factors were considered when identifying former legislators to be interviewed. Some factors included age, length of legislative tenure, contributions to the State of Nevada, and whether a formal oral history of the individual had been published or was underway. The final list provided to the contractor reflected a careful balance of legislative house, political party, and geographic distribution among the interviewees. The following former legislators have been interviewed to date:

Robert R. Barengo	Donald R. Mello
Byron L. "Bill" Bilyeu	Joseph M. "Joe" Neal Jr.
Melvin D. Close, Jr.	Ann O'Connell
Joseph E. "Joe" Dini Jr. *	Robert E. "Bob" Price Jr.
Virgil M. Getto	Raymond D. "Ray" Rawson
Lynn C. Hettrick	William D. "Bill" Swackhamer
Thomas J. "Tom" Hickey	Chester C. "Coe" Swobe
John E. "Jack" Jeffrey	Thomas R.C. "Spike" Wilson II
John W. Marvel	

* Included in the collection is an oral history of Joseph Dini's wife, Mouryne B. Landing Dini. Mrs. Dini served as the Chief Clerk of the Nevada State Assembly from 1973 to 1995.

Assembly Committee: Legislative Operations and Elections
Exhibit: L Page: 1 of 3 Date: 03/26/15
Submitted by: Assemblywoman Amber Joiner

BACKGROUND

During the 74th Legislative Session in 2007, the Nevada Legislature approved Senate Bill 579 (Chapter 345, *Statutes of Nevada 2007*), which appropriated funds to the Legislative Fund for the Research Division of the LCB to create an oral history of the Nevada Legislature. During the same legislative session, another measure that would have allocated funds for the Project, Senate Bill 373, was considered by the Senate Committee on Finance. Testimony proposing the Project was provided at the April 4, 2007, Committee meeting, but no action was taken.

The Research Division of the LCB conducted a competitive bid process to identify and retain a contractor to carry out the project. A committee consisting of LCB and other State personnel with expertise in Nevada history and politics evaluated and ranked the proposals received, which included applicants from across the country. In January 2008, a contract was signed between the LCB and Get Consensus, LLC, for an 18-month program, which ended in June 2009.

Legislative Counsel Bureau
 Research Division website

<http://www.leg.state.nv.us/Division/Research/LegInfo/OHP/index.html>



Nevada Legislature's
 Oral History
 Project

-  About the Oral History Project
-  More Legislator Information
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 <p>Robert R. Barengo 5 Regular Sessions and 1 Special Session</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Byron L. Bilyeu 2 Regular Sessions and 1 Special Session</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Melvin D. Close, Jr. 9 Regular Sessions and 4 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   
 <p>Joseph E. Dini, Jr. 18 Regular Sessions and 6 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Mouryne B. Landing Dini 12 Regular Sessions and 3 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Front Desk Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Virgil M. Getto 12 Regular Sessions and 4 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   
 <p>Lynn C. Hettrick 7 Regular Sessions and 6 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Thomas J. Hickey 11 Regular Sessions and 3 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>John E. Jeffrey 8 Regular Sessions and 3 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   
 <p>John W. Marvel 15 Regular Sessions and 11 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Donald R. Mello 13 Regular Sessions and 6 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Joseph M. Neal, Jr. 16 Regular Sessions and 7 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   
 <p>Ann O'Connell 10 Regular Sessions and 5 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Robert E. Price, Jr. 14 Regular Sessions and 5 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   	 <p>Raymond D. Rawson 10 Regular Sessions and 5 Special Sessions</p> <p>⊕ Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p>   
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**MINUTES OF THE MEETING
OF THE
ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS**

**Seventy-Eighth Session
April 2, 2015**

The Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections was called to order by Chair Lynn D. Stewart at 4:02 p.m. on Thursday, April 2, 2015, in Room 3142 of the Legislative Building, 401 South Carson Street, Carson City, Nevada. The meeting was videoconferenced to Room 4404B of the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada. Copies of the minutes, including the Agenda (Exhibit A), the Attendance Roster (Exhibit B), and other substantive exhibits, are available and on file in the Research Library of the Legislative Counsel Bureau and on the Nevada Legislature's website at www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/78th2015. In addition, copies of the audio or video of the meeting may be purchased, for personal use only, through the Legislative Counsel Bureau's Publications Office (email: publications@lcb.state.nv.us; telephone: 775-684-6835).

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Assemblyman Lynn D. Stewart, Chair
Assemblywoman Shelly M. Shelton, Vice Chair
Assemblyman Elliot T. Anderson
Assemblywoman Michele Fiore
Assemblyman John Moore
Assemblyman Harvey J. Munford
Assemblyman James Ohrenschall
Assemblywoman Victoria Seaman
Assemblyman Tyrone Thompson
Assemblyman Glenn E. Trowbridge

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

None

GUEST LEGISLATORS PRESENT:

Assemblywoman Jill Dickman, Assembly District No. 31
Assemblyman Stephen H. Silberkraus, Assembly District No. 29

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STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Brenda Erdoes, Legislative Counsel
Carol M. Stonefield, Committee Policy Analyst
Patricia Hartman, Committee Secretary
Olivia Lloyd, Committee Assistant

OTHERS PRESENT:

Janine Hansen, State President, Nevada Families for Freedom
Lynn Chapman, Washoe County Chairman, Independent American Party
Shawn Meehan, representing Nevada Republican Party, and Private
Citizen, Minden, Nevada
Bonnie McDaniel, Private Citizen, Las Vegas, Nevada
Tom Jones, Clark County Chairman, Independent American Party
Jim Sallee, Private Citizen, Las Vegas, Nevada
Jack Mallory, representing Nevada State AFL-CIO
Larry Jackson, Private Citizen, Fallon, Nevada
Stacey Shinn, representing Progressive Leadership Alliance of Nevada
Juanita Clark, representing Charleston Neighborhood Preservation
Marlene Lockard, representing Nevada Women's Lobby and Local 1107,
Service Employees International Union Nevada
Andrew Zaninovich, representing America Votes
Yvanna Cancela, Political Director, Culinary Workers Union Local 226
Greg Gardella, Private Citizen, Reno, Nevada
Bruce Woodbury, Private Citizen, Boulder City, Nevada
Daniel Stewart, Policy Analyst, Assembly Leadership
Robert Frank, Private Citizen, Henderson, Nevada

Chair Stewart:

[Roll was taken.] We have three bill introductions and a work session on five bills. We will start with the work session and turn the time over to Ms. Stonefield.

Carol M. Stonefield, Committee Policy Analyst:

In your binder and on the Nevada Electronic Legislative Information System (NELIS) is the first work session document (Exhibit C). The bills are arranged in numerical order, and we will begin with Assembly Bill 384.

**Assembly Bill 384: Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program.
(BDR 17-1011)**

Assembly Bill 384 was heard in this Committee on March 26. It was brought forward by Assemblywomen Swank and Joiner. It proposes to establish the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). The bill proposes that the Research Division shall prepare a plan for oral histories, procedures for conducting and preserving oral histories, and policies governing the acceptance and release of oral histories with the approval of the Legislative Commission. Materials gathered are confidential and may be released only pursuant to policies approved by the Legislative Commission. The Director of the LCB may accept gifts, grants, or donations for support of this program. The fiscal note provides information that there is no particular appropriation and the program will be implemented as funding is available. There are no amendments.

Chair Stewart:

Do I have a motion to do pass?

ASSEMBLYMAN THOMPSON MADE A MOTION TO DO PASS
ASSEMBLY BILL 384.

ASSEMBLYMAN OHRENSCHALL SECONDED THE MOTION.

Is there any discussion? [There was none.]

THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

Assemblywoman Swank will present the floor statement on this bill.

Carol M. Stonefield, Committee Policy Analyst:

The next bill for consideration is Assembly Bill 289 and was heard in this Committee on March 24. [Referred to work session document (Exhibit D).]

Assembly Bill 289: Directs the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study concerning issues related to the provision of mental health services. (BDR S-693)

This bill was presented by Assemblyman Araujo. The bill proposes to require the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study concerning a regionalized structure for the provision of mental and other behavioral health services. The study must include the manner in which such regions may be formed and the governance model for those regions.

Committee Action:
Do Pass _____
Amend & Do Pass _____
Other _____

Assembly Legislative Operations and Elections

This measure may be considered for action during today's work session.

April 2, 2015

ASSEMBLY BILL 384

Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program. (BDR 17-1011)

Sponsored by: Assembly Members Swank, Joiner, Kirkpatrick, and Carlton

Date Heard: March 26, 2015

**Fiscal Impact: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: Yes.**

Assembly Bill 384 proposes to establish the Nevada Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). With the approval of the Legislative Commission, the Research Division shall prepare a plan for oral histories to be conducted during a biennium, procedures for conducting and preserving oral histories, and policies governing the acceptance and release of oral histories, as well as the transfer of oral histories to the State Library and Archives. The materials gathered are confidential and may be released pursuant to policies approved by the Legislative Commission. The Director of LCB may accept gifts, grants, or donations for support of this program.

Amendments: No amendments have been offered.

Special Note: The fiscal note provides that the program would be put into effect as funding is approved or made available from other sources.

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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE SIXTY-FIRST DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), April 3, 2015

Assembly called to order at 12:21 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblyman Thompson, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

We pray for the members of this body, its officers, and all those who share in its work. We remember that You never were in a hurry nor lost Your inner peace when under pressure. But we are only human. We feel the strain of meeting deadlines, and we chafe under frustration. We need poise and peace of mind, and only You can supply the deepest needs of tired bodies, jaded spirits, and frayed nerves.

Give to us your peace and refresh us in our weariness that this may be a good day with much done and done well.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Government Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 14, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Government Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 24, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Government Affairs, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 53, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JOHN C. ELLISON, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Health and Human Services, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 164, 169, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JAMES OSCARSON, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 8, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Judiciary, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 132, 183, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 153, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

IRA HANSEN, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 273, 384, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 23, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 252, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 457, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 266, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Without recommendation, and rerefer to the Committee on Ways and Means.

LYNN D. STEWART, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Taxation, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 57, 451, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Taxation, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 71, 83, 116, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

DEREK ARMSTRONG, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 422, 449; Senate Bill No. 145, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Transportation, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 103, 204, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JIM WHEELER, *Chair*

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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), April 6, 2015

Assembly called to order at 12:23 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

In this prayer, O God, we come to You as children to a loving Father. We pray that You will help our Assembly men and women face the problems that confront them, not alone, by giving them wisdom greater than their own, also by relieving their minds of all other anxieties. May they now turn over to You loved ones who need the healing touch of the Great Physician, with every confidence that You will hear our prayers of intercession, and as we do the work that is before us, You will do Your work of healing in those whom we love. May Your help be so plain and practical in our family affairs that we shall come to believe strongly in Your ability to solve the problems we face in guiding the thinking and planning of this state.

Deliver Your servants from personal worries that they may be able to give themselves wholly to the challenges of this hour.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Special musical presentation by Robert Bledsaw, Chaplain and Society Piper, Nevada Society of Scottish Clans, in honor of Tartan Day.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

Commission is carrying out its duties pursuant to sections 11, 12 and 13 of this act.

Assemblyman Stewart moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Assemblyman Stewart.

ASSEMBLYMAN STEWART:

Assembly Bill 252 relates to the Legislative Advisory Commission on Reapportionment and Redistricting. The amendment eliminates that appointment made by the Chief Justice of the Nevada Supreme Court. It permits the members to elect their own chair. The Advisory Commission will submit its plans and maps no later than 15 days after the date that the census data is reported to the Governor.

Amendment adopted.

Bill ordered reprinted, engrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 273.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 384.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 422.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 449.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 451.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 457.

Bill read second time.

The following amendment was proposed by the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections:

Amendment No. 224.

If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative Counsel's Digest will be changed as follows:

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

This bill revises provisions relating to reports required to be submitted by various governmental entities. **Section 1** of this bill eliminates the requirement for the Court Administrator to submit a separate report relating to certain statistics regarding specialty court programs, and instead requires such statistics to be included in the annual report on court statistics. **Section 1** also eliminates the requirement for the Court Administrator to submit a report containing statistics on cases relating to competency, convictions and malpractice of certain licensed medical professionals. **Sections 15 and 16** of

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

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ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE SIXTY-SIXTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), April 8, 2015

Assembly called to order at 12:18 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

Our Father, since we cannot always do what we like, grant that we may like what we must do, knowing that truth will one day be vindicated and in the end must prevail. Bless these Your servants this day and keep them all in Your peace.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 112, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 351, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

MELISSA WOODBURY, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Government Affairs, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 100, 159, 429, 430, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Nevada to enroll in the Program for the Education of Motorcycle Riders. This bill is effective upon passage and approval.

In the past, several military personnel assigned to Nevada who are nonresidents have attempted to take this course. We have had to reject them. This bill is trying to allow our active military personnel in Nevada to take the course at the state rate or state-sponsored course. I request all of you to vote for it.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 145:

YEAS—41.

NAYS—Hickey.

Senate Bill No. 145 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 14, 19, 23, 24, 53, 57, 83, 116, 131, 132, 141, 143, 153, 164, 169, 183, 204, 250, 252, 273, 301, 384, 420, 422, 451, 456, 457; Senate Bill No. 109 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Resolution No. 6

Assemblyman Hansen moved that the Assembly recess until 4:45 p.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 1:35 p.m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 5:08 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Quorum present.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 299, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Without recommendation, and rerefer to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also, your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 375, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Without recommendation, and rerefer to the Committee on Judiciary.

MELISSA WOODBURY, *Chair*

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THE SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), April 10, 2015

Assembly called to order at 11:59 a.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblyman Thompson, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

We pray for the members of this body, its officers, and all those who share in its work. We remember that You never were in a hurry nor lost Your inner peace when under pressure. But we are only human. We feel the strain of meeting deadlines, and we chafe under frustration. We need poise and peace of mind, and only You can supply the deepest needs of tired bodies, jaded spirits, and frayed nerves.

Give to us Your peace and refresh us in our weariness, that this may be a good day with much done and done well.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assembly in recess at 12:03 p.m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 12:15 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Quorum present.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN BUSTAMANTE ADAMS:

Assembly Bill 116 revises provisions governing the Clark County Regional Business Development Advisory Council, which was originally enacted by the Legislature pursuant to Assembly Bill 7 of the 20th Special Session. The changes include revising the membership of the Council, changing the information which must be reported from certain public entities, and requiring that the Council submit a report every two years to the Legislature.

YEAS—41.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Thompson.

Assembly Bill No. 116 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 117.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblyman Elliot Anderson.

ASSEMBLYMAN ELLIOT ANDERSON:

Assembly Bill 117 allows a school district permissive authority to enter into written agreements to lease school buses or vehicles for special events that are not part of any school program as long as the agreement does not interfere with the regular transport of the district's pupils. The provisions of a lease agreement must include several requirements to ensure our school district is protected and we do not have any damage to our property.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 117:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—Armstrong.

EXCUSED—Thompson.

Assembly Bill No. 117 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the Speaker and Chief Clerk signed Assembly Bills Nos. 82 and 165.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 24, 48, 57, 121, 126, 131, 132, 141, 143, 151, 153, 164, 169, 183, 194, 201, 204, 206, 231, 250, 252, 273, 301, 384, 420, 422, 451, 456, 457; Senate Bill No. 109 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE SEVENTY-SECOND DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), April 14, 2015

Assembly called to order at 12:34 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblymen Wheeler and Woodbury, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Nick Emery.

To all those gathered here, we ask of You, Lord, for strength and wisdom as they conduct the business of our great state, Nevada.

The Word of God, in Micah 6:8 says: "He has told you, what is good; and what the Lord requires of you: to do justice, to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God." Heavenly Father, You have made it clear what we must do. We must do what is fair and just to those around us; we must be compassionate and loyal in our love. And, we must take You seriously and seek You with all our hearts.

Guide these leaders this day, we pray, in the mighty name of Jesus.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 86, 93, 115, 270, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

RANDY KIRNER, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Transportation, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 189, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JIM WHEELER, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 480, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Without recommendation, and rerefer to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

Also, your Committee on Ways and Means, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 481, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Without recommendation, and rerefer to the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

PAUL ANDERSON, *Chair*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, April 10, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bills Nos. 164, 244.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 476.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day adopted Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, April 13, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bills Nos. 311, 318, 402, 458, 473.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bills Nos. 177, 418, 480.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Thompson moved that Assembly Bill No. 156 be taken from the Chief Clerk's desk and placed at the top of the General File.

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 51, 67, 100, 121, 139, 159, 252, 287, 288, 297, 301, 351, 384, 391, 420, 422, 424, 425, 429, 444, 451, 456, 457; Assembly Joint Resolution No.1; Senate Bill

No. 109 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

April 10, 2015

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of: Assembly Bill No. 280.

CINDY JONES
Fiscal Analysis Division

April 10, 2015

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of: Senate Joint Resolution No. 13.

MARK KRMPOTIC
Fiscal Analysis Division

April 14, 2015

The Fiscal Analysis Division, pursuant to Joint Standing Rule 14.6, has determined the eligibility for exemption of: Senate Bill No. 414.

MARK KRMPOTIC
Fiscal Analysis Division

WAIVER OF JOINT STANDING RULE(S)

A Waiver requested by Senator Roberson.

For: Senate Bill No. 77.

To Waive:

Subsection 1 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of final committee of house of origin by 68th day).

Subsection 2 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of house of origin by 79th day).

Subsection 3 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of final committee of 2nd house by 103rd day).

Subsection 4 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of 2nd house by 110th day).

Has been granted effective: Friday, April 10, 2015.

SENATOR MICHAEL ROBERSON
Senate Majority Leader

ASSEMBLYMAN JOHN HAMBRICK
Speaker of the Assembly

A Waiver requested by Senator Roberson.

For: Senate Bill No. 79.

To Waive:

Subsection 1 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of final committee of house of origin by 68th day).

Subsection 2 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of house of origin by 79th day).

Subsection 3 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of final committee of 2nd house by 103rd day).

Subsection 4 of Joint Standing Rule No. 14.3 (out of 2nd house by 110th day).

Has been granted effective: Friday, April 10, 2015.

SENATOR MICHAEL ROBERSON
Senate Majority Leader

ASSEMBLYMAN JOHN HAMBRICK
Speaker of the Assembly

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), April 15, 2015

Assembly called to order at 2:16 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblywoman Woodbury, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Nick Emery.

To all those gathered here, we ask of You, Lord, for strength and wisdom as they conduct the business of our great state, Nevada.

Help us this day to recognize the lies of our current culture. Just because we disagree with someone, it doesn't mean we fear them or hate them. And when we say we love someone, it doesn't mean we have to agree with all they do or believe. We do not have to compromise our convictions to be compassionate. So help us, Lord, to understand what true compassion looks like and may we live it out boldly.

In the mighty name of Jesus we pray.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 275, 294, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

RANDY KIRNER, *Chair*

Assembly Bill No. 156.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblyman Thompson.

ASSEMBLYMAN THOMPSON:

Assembly Bill 156 requires the Director of the Department of Health and Human Services to analyze demographics and data when declaring a community an “at-risk community.” The definition of an “at-risk community” is revised to include families who are at imminent risk of homelessness.

The bill clarifies that a family resource center is a facility where families can directly obtain social services. Family resource centers are required to include input from their local and state elected officials when developing an action plan related to a grant. Case managers are required to collect and analyze data to monitor the performance of family members who receive services.

Family resource centers are essential to our communities. They were established well over 20 years ago. Keeping them well equipped with resources and funding streams through grants and other opportunities is important for sustainability. I would appreciate your support of this bill.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 156:

YEAS—41.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Woodbury.

Assembly Bill No. 156 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 164, 179, 252, 287, 288, 301, 351, 384, 391, 415, 420, 422, 424, 425, 428, 444, 447, 451, 456, 457, 460; Senate Bill No. 109 be taken from the General File and place on the General File for the next legislative day

Motion carried.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that the Assembly recess until 4:45 p.m.

Motion carried.

Assembly in recess at 4:16 p.m.

ASSEMBLY IN SESSION

At 5:08 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Quorum present.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS, AND NOTICES

Mr. Speaker appointed Assemblywomen Shelton and Swank as a committee to invite the Senate to meet in Joint Session with the Assembly to hear an address by Nevada Supreme Court Chief Justice James W. Hardesty.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), April 16, 2015

Assembly called to order at 12:36 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblywoman Woodbury, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Rabbi Sanford D. Akselrad.

O source of light and truth. Watch over all people. Watch over our wisdom; watch over our empathy; and watch over our sense of right and wrong. You are the ultimate source of all truth, and we who are created in Thy image, form a sacred partnership and a holy trust to insure that we remain good and caring stewards over the world in which we live.

Help us to respect those of all faiths and embolden us to protect the rights of all who seek a more just and caring world.

Let none of us remain silent in the face of true evil. Nor shall we turn aside our hearts or avert our gaze when we see justice denied for any, for ours is a sacred responsibility.

Embolden all who gather here in service to our public with this knowledge, and may they fulfill this duty with fullness of heart and soul.

O source of light and truth, watch over us now and always.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 89, 173, 182, 228, 295, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

RANDY KIRNER, *Chair*

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 351:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Ellison, Woodbury—2.

Assembly Bill No. 351 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 352.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblywoman Fiore.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN FIORE:

Assembly Bill 352 limits the prohibition on carrying concealed firearms in public buildings to public buildings that have both metal detectors at each public entrance and signs at each public entrance stating that no firearms are allowed in the building.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 352:

YEAS—26.

NAYS—Elliot Anderson, Araujo, Benitez-Thompson, Carlton, Diaz, Flores, Joiner, Munford, Neal, Ohrenschall, Spiegel, Sprinkle, Swank, Thompson—14.

EXCUSED—Ellison, Woodbury—2.

Assembly Bill No. 352 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 384.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblywoman Swank.

ASSEMBLYWOMAN SWANK:

Assembly Bill 384 establishes the Nevada Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau [LCB]. The Legislative Commission shall approve a plan and procedures to conduct oral histories of current and former legislators. Materials are confidential unless released pursuant to policies approved by the Legislative Commission. The Director of the LCB may accept gifts, grants, or donations in support of the program.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 384:

YEAS—40.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Ellison, Woodbury—2.

Assembly Bill No. 384 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. Speaker declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Assembly Bill No. 391.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Assemblyman Hickey.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), April 17, 2015

Senate called to order at 12:39 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present.

Prayer by Rajan Zed.

We meditate on the transcendental Glory of the Deity Supreme, who is inside the heart of the earth, inside the life of the sky and inside the soul of the Heaven. May He stimulate and illuminate our minds.

Lead me from the unreal to the Real. Lead me from darkness to Light. Lead me from death to immortality.

Fulfill all your duties; action is better than inaction. Even to maintain your body, you are obliged to act. Selfish action imprisons the world. Act selflessly, without any thought of personal profit.

Strive constantly to serve the welfare of the world; by devotion to selflessness one attains the supreme goal of life. Do your work with the welfare of others always in mind.

May we be protected together. May we be nourished together. May we work together with great vigor. May our study be enlightening. May no obstacle arise between us.

United your resolve, united your hearts, may your spirits be at one, that you may long together dwell in unity and concord.

Peace, peace, peace be unto all.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Commerce, Labor and Energy, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 67, 223, 286, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JAMES A. SETTELMAYER, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Finance, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 427, 469, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

BEN KIECKHEFER, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Government Affairs, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 81, 185, 254, 285, 406, 481, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

PETE GOICOECHEA, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Health and Human Services, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 248, 394, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JOSEPH P. HARDY, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 321, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

GREG BROWER, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 331, 433; Senate Joint Resolution No. 21, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

PATRICIA FARLEY, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Natural Resources, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 305, 488, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

DONALD G. GUSTAVSON, *Chair*

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, Carson City, April 16, 2015

To the Honorable the Senate:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day passed Assembly Bills Nos. 219, 301, 384, 391, 422, 424, 425, 428, 444, 447, 451, 456; Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bill No. 109; Assembly Bills Nos. 16, 32, 65, 81, 93, 129, 164, 179, 189, 214, 223, 236, 252, 287, 288, 351, 352, 415, 449, 457; Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1.

CAROL AIELLO-SALA

Assistant Chief Clerk of the Assembly

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Roberson moved that all necessary rules be suspended, and that all bills and joint resolutions that were amended on the General File be immediately placed, upon return from reprint, on the General File, next agenda.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 287.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 288.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 301.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 351.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Education.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 352.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 384.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 391.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Revenue and Economic Development.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 415.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Government Affairs.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 422.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Transportation.

Motion carried.

Assembly Bill No. 424.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that the bill be referred the Committee on Health and Human Services.

Motion carried.

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS**

**Seventy-Eighth Session
May 4, 2015**

The Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections was called to order by Chair Patricia Farley at 3:40 p.m. on Monday, May 4, 2015, in Room 2144 of the Legislative Building, Carson City, Nevada. The meeting was videoconferenced to Room 4404B of the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada. Exhibit A is the Agenda. Exhibit B is the Attendance Roster. All exhibits are available and on file in the Research Library of the Legislative Counsel Bureau.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senator Patricia Farley, Chair
Senator James A. Settelmeyer, Vice Chair
Senator Greg Brower
Senator Kelvin Atkinson
Senator Tick Segerblom

GUEST LEGISLATORS PRESENT:

Assemblywoman Amber Joiner, Assembly District No. 24
Assemblywoman Victoria Seaman, Assembly District No. 34
Assemblywoman Shelly M. Shelton, Assembly District No. 10
Assemblywoman Heidi Swank, Assembly District No. 16

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Michael Stewart, Policy Analyst
Kevin C. Powers, Counsel
Daniel Stewart, Policy Advisor, Assembly Leadership
Linda Hiller, Committee Secretary

OTHERS PRESENT:

James Smack, Chief Deputy Controller, Office of the State Controller
Yvonne Nevarez-Goodson, Executive Director, Commission on Ethics
David Cherry, City of Henderson
Jacob Reynolds

Mr. Powers:

As far as the Category E felony, under NRS 193.130, generally, when you are sentenced to a Category E felony, the judge provides for a minimum term of not less than 1 year and a maximum term of not more than 4 years. However, except in serious violent crimes, a Category E felony requires the judge to suspend the sentence and enter a sentence of probation. There is not a jail time sentence with a Category E felony as long as a violent crime is not involved.

Mr. Frank:

I support this bill. I had the impression A.B. 461 and A.B. 177 were not in conflict, would deal with the same statute and would be merged in some way to not conflict. Am I right about this?

Mr. Powers:

Yes, that is correct. The provisions of these two bills were crafted so if both bills are enacted, they can be fused together in codification without conflict.

Mr. Frank:

Thank you. I support both bills.

Mr. Anderson:

Assembly Bill 461 is a much narrower bill than A.B. 177. It gives some teeth to the law and may be a deterrent to candidates filing for election in a district where they do not live.

Chair Farley:

I will close the hearing on A.B. 461 and open the hearing on A.B. 384.

ASSEMBLY BILL 384: Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program.
(BDR 17-1011)

Assemblywoman Heidi Swank (Assembly District No. 16):

This bill would establish a Nevada Legislature Oral History Program.

Assemblywoman Amber Joiner (Assembly District No. 24):

The purpose of this bill is to formalize in statute the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program, which has been dormant for the last 6 years. I have submitted my written testimony (Exhibit F). We also have a handout with information about the original project that took place in 2008 and 2009 (Exhibit G).

Don Williams, the former research director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB) who was involved in the last Oral History Program, was unable to be here today but sends his strong support in the form of a letter (Exhibit H).

Assemblywoman Swank:

Section 1, subsection 2 specifies that oral histories will be collected and preserved as money is available. Section 1, subsection 3 directs the Research Division of the LCB to submit a plan to the Legislative Commission for approval. This plan should include procedures for conducting and preserving the oral histories and any related materials.

The plan would also include policies, such as the format for submitting externally conducted oral histories. Some Legislators have brought in their own oral histories, and we want to match the formats and standards, both for the oral history and the material.

Policies also deal with the release of oral histories and related materials to the public. This is about Legislators having control over the release of their own information. We would like to see oral histories of current Legislators who are early in their career, not just experienced Legislators. These would be held and kept confidential until the Legislator authorized the release or passed away. The aim of the Program is to not release information the subject would be uncomfortable with. Another policy of concern is to govern the transfer of the oral histories and related materials to the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration.

Section 1, subsection 4 allows the Director of the Research Division to accept gifts, grants and donations for the Program.

Section 1, subsection 5 states that all oral histories are confidential and must follow the policies for their release developed by the Research Division and approved by the Legislative Commission.

Section 1, subsection 6 says the Research Division may transfer the oral history and related materials to the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration.

Section 1, subsection 7 lays out additional requirements for the Program. Section 2 of the bill states that this program is exempt from the requirement

that all public books and records of a government entity be made public. This is because we will be collecting the oral histories of current Legislators, and we want to ensure those are kept confidential until ready to be released.

Senator Brower:

Before this Session started, I was thinking about what this place must have been like in the 1860s, 1870s and 1880s. I assumed someone had written a book about it, but it does not appear that anyone has. Senators Segerblom and Settlemeyer have probably heard family stories about what it was like, but the rest of us do not get the chance to hear those stories. I support this bill.

Senator Segerblom:

Did Mark Twain say something about the Nevada Legislature in his writing? Is there immunity in case Legislators say things they did were illegal, so you cannot come after Legislators until after they die?

Assemblywoman Swank:

I would suggest that Legislators not disclose illegal acts.

Lorne Malkiewich:

I support A.B. 384. I am the living fossil here, having worked in the 1980s with many of the people who had their oral histories completed. I worked on that project and with many of the Legislators involved. You know you are old when you have worked with the parents of Legislators. I worked with Senator Segerblom's mother, and I worked with Alan Glover from the Office of the Secretary of State when he was Senator Glover. This is a good bill with no fiscal impact.

Mr. Frank:

I support the concept of this bill and think it is long overdue. Are all members of both the Assembly and Senate eligible for oral histories? I would hope everyone would qualify because I would like to know more about the new as well as the old members of the Legislature. The histories of all of our people willing to serve the public should be preserved.

Assemblywoman Joiner:

In the original Oral History Program, we used several criteria in choosing the first wave of subjects. We did try to choose Legislators who had made large contributions, but we also wanted a variety from rural and urban areas and

different political parties. The vision we have with this bill and this phase of oral histories is that all Legislators would be eligible, and every year the LCB would look at its budget and prioritize them. Some Legislators could contribute their own oral histories and add them to the collection.

Mr. Frank:

I would encourage all the new members of the Legislature as well as the experienced members to collect your information as you go along because the public would like to know what you have to say about your service, no matter how long it is. That would be a good thing to do as a matter of discipline.

Chair Farley:

I will close the hearing on A.B. 384 open the work session.

Michael Stewart (Policy Analyst):

The first bill we are addressing is A.B. 23, an election bill from the Office of the Secretary of State heard on April 29. I have submitted a work session document explaining this bill (Exhibit I).

ASSEMBLY BILL 23 (1st Reprint): Makes various changes to provisions governing elections. (BDR 24-446)

SENATOR SETTELMAYER MOVED TO AMEND AND DO PASS AS AMENDED A.B. 23.

SENATOR BROWER SECONDED THE MOTION.

Senator Atkinson:

I think I remember the amendment. Did it come after the passage from the other House?

Mr. Anderson:

There was an amendment put in through the Assembly side. We had added "independent" in four different spots, but it should have only gone into two. The amendment on this side is to take those two out.

Senator Atkinson:

Thank you. Our legal counsel just showed it to me.

Testimony Assembly Bill 384
Assemblywoman Amber Joiner
May 6, 2015

- The purpose of AB 384 is to formalize in statute the Nevada Legislature’s Oral History Project, which has been dormant for the last 6 years.
- In 2007, Senate Bill 579 appropriated funds to enable the research division of LCB to create an oral history of the Nevada Legislature.
- Between 2008 and 2009, I was fortunate to be assigned as the project coordinator for the Project while serving as a Senior Research Analyst at the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). We contracted with a very skilled oral history team to conduct 17 video and audio taped interviews of former legislators who made significant contributions to NV.
- Highlights from the interviews were compiled into a half hour video to commemorate the Legislature’s 75th Regular Legislative Session called “Remembering Citizen Legislators: The Nevada Legislature Oral History Project”
 - Some of you may have seen it at old timer’s day or freshman orientation, where it has been shown;
 - It is available on the LCB website (see the handout); and
 - The participants in the project at that time, and details about how they were conducted are also in the handout provided.
- In these oral histories, you will find
 - A treasure trove of historical nuggets and humorous stories that reveal what life was like in Nevada overall.
 - Timeless wisdom about how to be an effective representative of the people and serve our constituents, as well as advice about how best to collaborate across the aisle.
 - It is also fascinating to see that many of the policy issues they were grappling with in the past are still some of the ones we find most challenging today. For example, we are still debating the best way to provide Education, and how to fund essential services.

EXHIBIT F Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections	
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- Unfortunately, since the project ended in 2009, no additional oral histories have been added and no additional funds have been allocated. Since the interviews, 5 of the participants have passed away, and just in the last six years we have missed out on capturing stories from several other legislators who we have lost.
- This bill has a fiscal note of zero, because it does not require that a certain number of oral histories be conducted. Instead, it requires LCB to conduct and preserve oral histories within the limits of money available. It also provides that LCB will propose a plan for conducting oral histories to the legislative commission as part of their regular budgeting process.
- Assemblywoman Swank will walk through the bill, and after her we have some supporters ready to testify. I also wanted to mention that Don Williams, the former Director of the Research Division in LCB was not able to attend today, but he wanted me to convey for the record his support for this bill. As you can see on the handout you have, he supported this project and put a lot of work into it when he was here.



NEVADA LEGISLATURE ORAL HISTORY PROJECT

PREPARED BY: AMBER JOINER AND DONALD O. WILLIAMS
RESEARCH DIVISION
LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL BUREAU

UPDATED NOVEMBER 2012

The purpose of the Nevada Legislature Oral History Project is to conduct and archive the interviews of former legislators who have made significant historical contributions to our State. By making the recordings and transcripts available to the public, it is hoped that the stories captured will enhance the historical understanding of public policy, political culture, and the legislative process in Nevada.

Between 2008 and 2009, the Nevada Legislature Oral History Project conducted 17 video-and audio-taped interviews of former legislators who have made significant contributions to Nevada. In commemoration of the Legislature's 75th Regular Legislative Session, portions of 16 of the interviews were compiled into a 27-minute film titled, "Remembering Citizen Legislators: The Nevada Legislature Oral History Project." Transcripts and videos of all the interviews are now available to the general public for purchase through the Gift Shop of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). The following libraries and museums have also received a set of transcripts and videos: the Research Library of the LCB; the Nevada State Library and Archives; the Mathewson-IGT Knowledge Center at the University of Nevada, Reno; the Lied Library at the University of Nevada, Las Vegas; the Nevada Historical Society; and the Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas.

The interviews are topical interviews lasting between one and two hours. They focus on important projects, events, and legislation in which the legislator played a leadership role during his or her legislative career. The interviews attempt to capture the unofficial history of the Nevada Legislature by asking questions about the portion of the legislator's life relevant to his or her term(s) in office. Some common themes include how he or she came to serve in the Nevada Legislature, his or her most significant contribution to the legislative process or public policy in Nevada, and "what it was really like" behind the scenes at the Legislature.

PARTICIPANTS

Several factors were considered when identifying former legislators to be interviewed. Some factors included age, length of legislative tenure, contributions to the State of Nevada, and whether a formal oral history of the individual had been published or was underway. The final list provided to the contractor reflected a careful balance of legislative house, political party, and geographic distribution among the interviewees. The following former legislators have been interviewed to date:

Robert R. Barenjo
Byron L. "Bill" Bilyeu
Melvin D. Close, Jr.
Joseph E. "Joe" Dini Jr. *
Virgil M. Getto
Lynn C. Hettrick
Thomas J. "Tom" Hickey
John E. "Jack" Jeffrey
John W. Marvel

Donald R. Mello
Joseph M. "Joe" Neal Jr.
Ann O'Connell
Robert E. "Bob" Price Jr.
Raymond D. "Ray" Rawson
William D. "Bill" Swackhamer
Chester C. "Coe" Swobe
Thomas R.C. "Spike" Wilson II

* Included in the collection is an oral history of Joseph Dini's wife, Mouryne B. Landing Dini. Mrs. Dini served as the Chief Clerk of the Nevada State Assembly from 1973 to 1995.

BACKGROUND

During the 74th Legislative Session in 2007, the Nevada Legislature approved Senate Bill 579 (Chapter 345, *Statutes of Nevada 2007*), which appropriated funds to the Legislative Fund for the Research Division of the LCB to create an oral history of the Nevada Legislature. During the same legislative session, another measure that would have allocated funds for the Project, Senate Bill 373, was considered by the Senate Committee on Finance. Testimony proposing the Project was provided at the April 4, 2007, Committee meeting, but no action was taken.

The Research Division of the LCB conducted a competitive bid process to identify and retain a contractor to carry out the project. A committee consisting of LCB and other State personnel with expertise in Nevada history and politics evaluated and ranked the proposals received, which included applicants from across the country. In January 2008, a contract was signed between the LCB and Get Consensus, LLC, for an 18-month program, which ended in June 2009.

Legislative Counsel Bureau
Research Division website

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Nevada Legislature's
Oral History
Project

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 <p>Robert R. Barengo 5 Regular Sessions and 1 Special Session</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 	 <p>Byron L. Bilyeu 2 Regular Sessions and 1 Special Session</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 	 <p>Melvin D. Close, Jr. 9 Regular Sessions and 4 Special Sessions</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 
 <p>Joseph E. Dini, Jr. 18 Regular Sessions and 6 Special Sessions</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 	 <p>Mouryne B. Landing Dini 12 Regular Sessions and 3 Special Sessions</p> <p>Front Desk Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 	 <p>Virgil M. Getto 12 Regular Sessions and 4 Special Sessions</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 
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 <p>John W. Marvel 15 Regular Sessions and 11 Special Sessions</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 	 <p>Donald R. Mello 13 Regular Sessions and 6 Special Sessions</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 	 <p>Joseph M. Neal, Jr. 16 Regular Sessions and 7 Special Sessions</p> <p>Legislative Service</p> <p>Oral History Files:</p> 
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Subject: Assembly Bill 384 -- Legislature Oral History Program
Date: Monday, May 04, 2015 3:53:23 PM

Chair and Members

Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

Dear Senators Farley, Settlemeyer, Brower, Atkinson, and Segerblom,

I am writing to express my strong support for A.B. 384 establishing the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program. As the recently retired Research Director and 30-year employee of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB), I understand the importance of creating and maintaining an oral history of the Nevada Legislature and its members. With the assistance of Assemblywoman Amber Joiner when she worked for LCB, I administered the Legislature's previous oral history project (conducted between 2008 and 2009 under contract to Dana Bennett and Dale Erquiaga). As a result of that project, the Legislature now has a collection of oral histories of 17 legislators and a former Chief Clerk of the Assembly.

I believe that A.B. 384 will allow for future oral histories to be conducted and maintained by the LCB Research Division, including the Research Library, and with the assistance of various staff in the Administrative Division and possibly other LCB Divisions. It is a good proposal that will contribute much to the institutional history of the Legislature.

I appreciate your favorable consideration of this legislation.

Sincerely,

Donald O. (Don) Williams

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EXHIBIT H Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections	
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**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS**

**Seventy-Eighth Session
May 6, 2015**

The Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections was called to order by Chair Patricia Farley at 3:42 p.m. on Wednesday, May 6, 2015, in Room 2144 of the Legislative Building, Carson City, Nevada. The meeting was videoconferenced to Room 4412E of the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada. Exhibit A is the Agenda. Exhibit B is the Attendance Roster. All exhibits are available and on file in the Research Library of the Legislative Counsel Bureau.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senator Patricia Farley, Chair
Senator James A. Settelmeyer, Vice Chair
Senator Greg Brower
Senator Kelvin Atkinson
Senator Tick Segerblom

GUEST LEGISLATORS PRESENT:

Assemblywoman Jill Dickman, Assembly District No. 31
Assemblywoman Victoria A. Dooling, Assembly District No. 41
Assemblyman John Ellison, Assembly District No. 33
Assemblyman David M. Gardner, Assembly District No. 9
Assemblyman Pat Hickey, Assembly District No. 25

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Michael Stewart, Policy Analyst
Kevin Powers, Counsel
Claire Clift, Secretary of the Senate
Haley Johnson, Committee Secretary

OTHERS PRESENT:

John Wagner, Independent American Party
Ed Uehling
Shawn Meehan

Mr. Powers:

The increase from 1,500 to 3,000 takes place in section 6. Statute has a procedure that the county clerk would have to follow in order to consolidate precincts. This bill would not change that procedure, but under NRS 293.207, in theory the county clerks could consolidate the precincts to increase the size.

Senator Segerblom:

Is the procedure a public procedure?

Mr. Powers:

Yes. The county clerk has to follow an existing public procedure.

Senator Segerblom:

I have fought against this before, but I guess you cannot win every battle forever.

SENATOR SETTELMAYER MOVED TO AMEND AND DO PASS AS AMENDED A.B. 462 WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT 6876.

SENATOR BROWER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION PASSED. (SENATOR ATKINSON VOTED NO.)

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Senator Atkinson:

I will be voting no today, but I reserve my right to change my vote later. I need to check with some of the clerks on the signature aspect because I am still a little confused on that.

Chair Farley:

I close the work session on A.B. 462 and open the work session on A.B. 384.

ASSEMBLY BILL 384: Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program.
(BDR 17-1011)

Mr. Stewart:

Assembly Bill 384 establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau. I have submitted the work document (Exhibit O).

SENATOR SETTELMAYER MOVED TO DO PASS A.B. 384.

SENATOR BROWER SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

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Senator Farley:

I close the work session on A.B. 384.

With Senate Bill 434, as you recall, we adopted a conceptual amendment on April 10 and the bill was subsequently waived from the deadline. We now have the amendment ready to go. Since the amendment requested by the Committee was conceptual, I asked Committee staff to bring the amendment back for a quick review. There is no need for further action by the Committee, but I want to make sure that you have a chance to look at the amendment before it goes to the Senate floor for adoption.

SENATE BILL 434: Makes various changes relating to initiative and referendum petitions. (BDR 24-1150)

Mr. Stewart:

As you recall, on April 10, the Committee adopted the conceptual amendment described on page 2 of the work session document (Exhibit P).

When discussing S.B. 434, I would note that Brett Kandt, Special Assistant to the Attorney General, said that with the adoption of the conceptual amendment, the bill no longer has a fiscal impact.

Mr. Powers:

In preparing Proposed Amendment 527, Mr. Stewart and I worked extensively with the proponents of the bill and the Secretary of State's Office.

Committee Action:
Do Pass _____
Amend & Do Pass _____
Other _____

Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections
This measure may be considered for action during today's work session.
May 6, 2015

ASSEMBLY BILL 384

Establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program. (BDR 17-1011)

Sponsored by: Assembly Members Swank, Joiner, Kirkpatrick, and Carlton
Date Heard: May 4, 2015
Fiscal Impact: Effect on Local Government: No
Effect on the State: Yes

Assembly Bill 384 establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). The Legislative Commission shall approve a plan and procedures to conduct oral histories of current and former legislators. Materials are confidential unless released pursuant to policies approved by the Legislative Commission. The Director of the LCB may accept gifts, grants, or donations in support of the program.

Amendments: No amendments were offered.

Special Note: Between 2008 and 2009, the Nevada Legislature Oral History Project conducted 17 video- and audio-taped interviews of former legislators who were deemed to have made notable contributions to Nevada.

EXHIBIT O Senate Committee on Legislative
Operations and Elections
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NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE NINETY-FIFTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), May 7, 2015

Senate called to order at 12:15 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senator Segerblom, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Lieutenant Leslie Cyr.

On this day “The National Day of Prayer”, it is my honor to lift up to heaven the doings and the decisions in the Senate of our great State of Nevada. A day that is so rich in prayer throughout our nation.

Oh Father God, may your presence be here, may your heart be sought as decisions of consequence are brought before these dedicated and faithful public servants. May your hand of blessing and guidance be on them and their families as they lead us and govern us. Oh Lord, we ask for your Spirit to bring to this place your essence of vision, unity, integrity and peace. Bring to these Senators understanding and wisdom to see clearly the needs of our State and of the people of Nevada. We thank you, Lord, for our freedom to live and to thrive and to give honor to you. In the name of our Lord Jesus we pray,

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Health and Human Services, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 156, 200, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JOSEPH P. HARDY, *Chair*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections, to which were referred Senate Bill No. 510; Assembly Bills Nos. 24, 60, 384, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

PATRICIA FARLEY, *Chair*

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE NINETY-SIXTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), May 8, 2015

Senate called to order at 12:20 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senator Segerblom, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Lieutenant Leslie Cyr.

Father God, we entreat you to be present in this place. We ask for your blessings and for your wisdom to rest on these leaders of our State. As decisions of consequence rise before them, I pray for your hand of guidance and vision to rest on them and for your favor to touch them and their families.

Oh Lord, we pray for your Spirit to bring peace and unity as decisions are being made and that you will give these Senators true wisdom to see clearly the needs of Nevada and its people. I thank you Lord for this privilege to pray to you for this government which I love, respect and am subject to by your design. In the Name of Jesus Christ I pray,

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Commerce, Labor and Energy, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 246, 270, 292, 454, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

JAMES A. SETTELMAYER, *CHAIR*

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Education, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 112, 150, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

BECKY HARRIS, *CHAIR*

Remarks by Senator Hammond.

Amendment No.667 to Assembly Bill No. 383 removes reference to the “Republic of China (Taiwan),”and instead refers just to Taiwan.

Amendment adopted.

Bill ordered reprinted, reengrossed and to third reading.

Assembly Bill No. 384.

Bill read second time and ordered to third reading.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Assembly Bill No. 79.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Settelmeyer.

Assembly Bill No. 79 deletes obsolete provisions related to State grazing boards and revises the procedures for determining the compensation of owners of animals destroyed due to infection or exposure to dangerous diseases. The bill also provides for the deposit of administrative fines for violation of statutes relating to the control of diseases in animals into a loan program for persons 21 years of age or younger who are engaged in agriculture and the Account for the Control of Weeds. The measure also revises the exclusions from the definition of “food establishment.” With respect to statutes affecting agricultural products and seeds, the bill adds civil penalty provisions for the violation of such statutes and repeals the criminal penalties. Finally, A.B. 79 repeals criminal penalties applicable to the regulation of garlic and onions and to the regulation of commercial livestock feed. The bill is effective on July 1, 2015.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 79:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Segerblom.

Assembly Bill No. 79 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 144.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Goicoechea.

Assembly Bill No. 144 sets forth the legislative intent that members of the Executive Council of the State Land Use Planning Advisory Council (SLUPAC) should be representative of the geographic areas of the State. The bill also transfers responsibility for making recommendations and adopting proposed regulations for land use planning involving areas of critical environmental concern from the Executive Council to the SLUPAC. The bill is effective on July 1, 2015.

The bill was a recommendation of the Sunset Subcommittee of the Legislative Commission from the 2013–2014 Interim. The Sunset Subcommittee concluded that the SLUPAC, with a membership of 18 persons representing each county and the Nevada Association of Counties, was a more appropriate entity for making recommendations on areas of critical environmental concern than the Executive Council, which is composed of only the Administrator of the State Lands Division and 4 members from the SLUPAC. It’s a good bill.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 144:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Segerblom.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE NINETY-NINTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), May 11, 2015

Senate called to order at 1:54 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senator Smith, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

We come in prayer to You O God, who never had to take back anything spoken, to correct anything said, or to apologize for any statement made.

Bless the Members of this body as they think together and work together in this Chamber, in the committee rooms and in their offices. Help them to stand up under the strains and the tensions of problems and decisions, of meetings and conferences, and the endless demands made upon them. Teach them how to relax and to take time to turn to You for guidance and for grace and thus discover the secret of power. Thank you for Your promise to help them.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Revenue and Economic Development, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 380, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

MICHAEL ROBERSON, *CHAIR*

MESSAGES FROM THE ASSEMBLY

ASSEMBLY CHAMBER, Carson City, May 11, 2015

To the Honorable the Senate:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Assembly on this day adopted Assembly Concurrent Resolutions Nos. 4, 5.

CAROL AIELLO-SALA
Assistant Chief Clerk of the Assembly

The FY 2016 one-time cost of \$222,900 to implement SB 472 was included in the Governor's recommended budget for PEBP, which was approved by the Senate Finance/Assembly Ways and Means Joint Subcommittee on General Government on April 30, 2015. Senate Bill 472 is effective July 1, 2015.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 472:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Smith.

Senate Bill No. 472 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 510.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Farley.

Senate Bill No. 510 authorizes certain employees of the Legislative Branch of Government to transfer, as part of the normal transfer process afforded to other State employees in the classified service, to any position in the classified service of the State for which he or she is qualified, without regard to the duties and compensation of the position. These provisions apply only to employees of the Legislative Branch who have served four consecutive months or more in the Legislative Branch. The bill is effective upon passage and approval.

Existing law allows Legislative Branch employees to transfer to positions having similar duties and compensation in the classified service of the State on the same basis as other employees within the Executive Branch. This includes an exemption from a competitive examination, the retention of annual and sick leave credits, and the listing of priority for eligible employees. Testimony indicated that many employees of the Legislative Branch have unique jobs and may be well-qualified for a transfer position in the classified service, but their specific duties and compensation do not match the available position. Senate Bill 510 clarifies that a Legislative Branch employee, if qualified, may transfer into such available classified positions without regard to the specific duties and compensation of the position.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 510:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Smith.

Senate Bill No. 510 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Kieckhefer moved that all remaining Assembly Bills Nos. 24, 60, 156, 200, 383 and 384 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 421.

Bill read third time.

The following amendment was proposed by Senator Settlemeyer:

Amendment No. 698.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDREDTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Tuesday), May 12, 2015

Senate called to order at 2:09 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senator Smith, who was excused.

Prayer by Senator Joseph P. Hardy.

Our Father in Heaven, we thank Thee for moisture that has come; we are thankful for the health that we have. We are appreciative of the talents that we have been given. We are grateful for the support of family and friends. We are appreciative of food and shelter. We recognize there are many who are struggling, who are sick, who have problems and if you could for us, fill in the blanks with the names of the father who is sick, the legislator who is missing, the wife who is ill, the mother who has challenges, the child we worry about. Thou knows them and we ask Thee to bless them.

We are thankful for the interactions that we have within our caucuses and between our caucuses. We are appreciative of the admonition of blessed be the peacemakers.

We ask that even when we are hurt, insulted or offended personally, that we take it not personally. May we forgive, even when someone does not ask for forgiveness. May we not say I have no need of Thee to whatever small or irritating part of this extended legislative body there may be. In sum, may we be like Thee, we pray. I humbly ask in the name of Jesus Christ.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Finance, to which were re-referred Senate Bills Nos. 391, 405, 420, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

BEN KIECKHEFER, *CHAIR*

Senate Bill No. 421 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 428.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Kieckhefer.

Senate Bill No. 428, as amended, appropriates \$1,140,613 from the State General Fund to the Division of Forestry of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the replacement of emergency response and firefighting equipment and vehicles; and appropriates \$1,795,518 from the State General Fund to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the forestry conservation camps for the replacement of critical vehicles used to transport crews. Senate Bill 428, as amended, is effective on July 1, 2015.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 428:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Smith.

Senate Bill No. 428 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Senate Bill No. 429.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Kieckhefer.

Senate Bill No. 429, as amended appropriates \$62.0 million from the General Fund to the Distributive School Account (DSA) for a shortfall resulting from an unanticipated increase in K-12 enrollment for the 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 school years and increased costs related to the provisions of hold harmless for declining enrollment in charter schools and several school districts. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 429:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Smith.

Senate Bill No. 429 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Kieckhefer moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 24, 60, 156, 200, 383, 384 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

SIGNING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

There being no objections, the President and Secretary signed Senate Bill No. 271; Assembly Bills Nos. 79, 144; Assembly Joint Resolution No. 2.

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST DAY

CARSON CITY (Wednesday), May 13, 2015

Senate called to order at 1:04 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senators Segerblom and Smith, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

“Dear Lord and Father of mankind,
Forgive our feverish ways;
Re-clothe us in our rightful mind,
In purer lives Thy service find,
In deeper reverence, praise.
Take from our souls the strain and stress,
And, let our ordered lives confess
The beauty of Thy peace.”

Deliver us, O Lord, from the foolishness of impatience. Let us not be in such a hurry as to run on without You. We know that it takes a lifetime to make a tree; we know that fruit does not ripen in an afternoon and You Yourself took a week to make the universe.

Slow us down, O Lord that we may take time to think, time to pray and time to find out Your will. Then give us the sense and the courage to do it for the good of our country and the glory of Your name.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Commerce, Labor and Energy, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 6, 227, 231, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

JAMES A. SETTELMAYER, *Chair*

~~21. Any remaining balance of the allocations made by subsection 9 for Fiscal Year 2015-2016 must be added to the allocations for Fiscal Year 2016-2017 and may be expended as that money is expended. Any remaining balance of the allocations made by subsection 9 for Fiscal Year 2016-2017, including any money added from the previous fiscal year, must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2017, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 15, 2017.~~

~~22.] distributed by the 2015 Legislature to the Account for Programs for Innovation and the Prevention of Remediation for Zoom schools.~~

20. As used in this section:

(a) "Limited English proficient" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 385.007.

(b) "Probationary employee" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 391.311.

Sec. 2. For the purposes of NRS 385.347 and 385.3487 and any related provisions, the State Board of Education shall develop for recommendation as proposed legislation to the 79th Session of the Nevada Legislature:

1. A definition of "long-term limited English proficient"; and
2. A procedure for the school districts and charter schools to separately count and report on pupils who are identified as long-term limited English proficient, including, without limitation, the number of and progress made by such pupils.

Sec. 3. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2015.

Senator Kieckhefer moved the adoption of the amendment.

Remarks by Senator Kieckhefer.

Senate Bill 405, as amended, strips the appropriation out of the bill and those funds will later be placed in the State budget. It also puts a cap on the amount of the expenditures for Zoom schools that can be spent on the expanded uses of the funding within the program itself.

Amendment adopted.

Bill ordered reprinted, reengrossed and to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Roberson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 16, 23, 24, 44, 46, 60, 68, 101, 112, 150, 156, 189, 200, 246, 251, 270, 292, 377, 383, 384, 422, 449 and 454 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY AMENDMENTS

Senate Bill No. 480.

The following amendment was read.

Amendment No. 661.

AN ACT relating to county government; revising the membership of the county fair and recreation board of certain counties; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

NEVADA LEGISLATURE

Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND DAY

CARSON CITY (Thursday), May 14, 2015

Senate called to order at 1:36 p.m.

President Hutchison presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senators Segerblom and Smith, who were excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

Eternal Father of our souls, grant to the members and the officers of this body a sacred moment of quiet time before they take up the duties of the day. Turn their thoughts to You and open their hearts to Your Spirit that they may have wisdom in their decisions, understanding in their thinking, love in their attitudes and mercy in their judgments.

Let them not think, when this prayer is said, that their dependence upon You is over and forget Your counsel for the rest of the day. Rather, from these moments of heart-searching, may there come such a sweetness of disposition that all may know that You are in this place.

From this holy interlude may there flow light and joy and power that will remain with them until night shall bring Your whispered benediction, "Well done, my good and faithful servant,"

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Finance, to which were re-referred Senate Bills Nos. 89, 230, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Finance, to which were re-referred Senate Bills Nos. 103, 501, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred Senate Bill No. 328, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Without recommendation as amended.

BEN KIECKHEFER, *Chair*

Amendment adopted.

Bill ordered reprinted, reengrossed and to third reading.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Hammond moved that Assembly Bill No. 351 be taken from the General File and placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Motion carried.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that Assembly Bill No. 40 be taken from the General File and placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Motion carried.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that Assembly Bill No. 278, just read on second reading, be re-referred to the Committee on Finance.

Motion carried.

Senator Kieckhefer moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 8, 13, 15, 16, 20, 23, 24, 43, 44, 45, 46, 48, 53, 59, 60, 62, 66, 68, 88, 97, 101, 112, 113, 124, 130, 132, 136, 138, 150, 151, 153, 156, 160, 189, 200, 223, 224, 246, 251, 270, 292, 377, 383, 384, 422, 428, 435, 449 and 454 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

GENERAL FILE AND THIRD READING

Senate Bill No. 391.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Kieckhefer.

Senate Bill No. 391, as amended, requires the board of trustees of each school district and the governing body of each charter school to prepare a plan to improve the literacy of students enrolled in kindergarten through grade 3. The principal of each public elementary school must designate a learning strategist to train and assist teachers in providing intensive instruction to students identified as deficient in reading. Certain teachers are required to complete related professional development.

This bill requires academic interventions for students enrolled in kindergarten through grade 3 who do not achieve adequate proficiency in reading, and beginning in School Year 2019–2020 prohibits a public school from promoting a student to grade 4 if the student does not achieve such proficiency, with certain good-cause exemptions allowed. A student may only be retained one time in grade 3.

The principal of a school is required to: provide notice and offer additional instructional options to the parent or legal guardian of a student who will be retained in grade 3; develop a plan to monitor the progress of the student in achieving reading proficiency; and Ensure that a retained student receives intensive instructional services in reading, as prescribed by the school district board of trustees or charter school governing body.

General Fund appropriations totaling \$5.0 million in FY 2016 and \$22.5 million in FY 2017 are included in The Executive Budget to fund this major budget initiative.

Senate Bill 391, as amended, is effective upon passage and approval for the purpose of adopting regulations and performing other preparatory administrative tasks; on July 1, 2015, for the purpose of providing literacy supports for students in kindergarten through grade 3; and on July 1, 2019, for the purpose of retaining students who are not proficient in reading. Mr. President, this bill is the result of a lot of peoples hard work, but particularly our colleague from Senate District 9. She should be commended for focusing such intensive services on students who need it the most and this should certainly improve education in our State.

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SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD DAY

CARSON CITY (Friday), May 15, 2015

Senate called to order at 2:07 p.m.
President Pro Tempore Hardy presiding.
Roll called.
All present.
Prayer by the Chaplain, Pastor Albert Tilstra.

O Thou Great Architect of the Universe, who, by the revelation of Your Son, our Lord, we may address You as our Father; help us to understand what that means. As we are now united in our praying, so may we be united in our working, that, as a team, we may be doing together the will of our Father, who is not a God of any one part, of any one nation or of any one race.

Open our eyes that we may discern what God is doing and our ears that we may hear what God is saying. And then, O God, give us all we need to take due notice and to govern ourselves accordingly.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President Pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Commerce, Labor and Energy, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 86, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

JAMES A. SETTELMAYER, *Chair*

Mr. President Pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 121, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 107, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

BECKY HARRIS, *Chair*

from any dental education program in this state, as necessary to carry out his or her duties. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

Roll call on Senate Bill No. 501:

YEAS—21.

NAYS—None.

Senate Bill No. 501 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President Pro Tempore declared it passed, as amended.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Roberson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 6, 8, 11, 13, 15, 16, 20, 23, 24, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 53, 59, 60, 62, 65, 66, 68, 88, 94, 97, 101, 108, 112, 113, 124, 130, 132, 136, 138, 150, 151, 153, 156, 160, 183, 189, 192, 193, 195, 200, 212, 223, 224, 227, 231, 236, 246, 251, 267, 270, 285, 292, 377, 383, 384, 422, 428, 435, 449, 454 and 462 placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

Senator Roberson moved that the Senate recess subject to the call of the Chair.

Motion carried.

Senate in recess at 2:45 p.m.

SENATE IN SESSION

At 2:48 p.m.

President Pro Tempore Hardy presiding.

Quorum present.

SECOND READING AND AMENDMENT

Senate Bill No. 483.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senators Roberson, Atkinson and Goicoechea.

SENATOR ROBERSON:

Senate Bill No. 483 provides for the continuation of certain revenue enhancements enacted during the 2013 Session that are set to expire on June 30, 2015, and provides for the implementation of new revenue enhancements recommended by the Governor in The Executive Budget. With respect to the revenue enhancements enacted during the 2013 Session, the bill removes the June 30 2015, sunset date on the 0.35% increase to the Local School Support Tax, which makes the increase permanent.

It maintains the current structure of the Modified Business Tax on Nonfinancial Institutions (MBT-NFI) with the exemption for the first \$85,000 in taxable wages per quarter and the rate of 1.17% on all taxable wages over \$85,000 per quarter and makes this structure permanent.

It continues the prepayment of the Net Proceeds of Minerals Tax and maintains the exclusion of certain industrial and health insurance deductions for FY 2016 only.

It extends the sunset date on the requirement for a portion of the Governmental Services Tax proceeds to be deposited in the State General Fund from June 30, 2015 to June 30, 2017. The proceeds from the 10% increase in the depreciation schedule that was enacted during the 2009 Session would be deposited in the State Highway Fund beginning on July 1, 2017.

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Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Saturday), May 16, 2015

Senate called to order at 3:41 p.m.

President Pro Tempore Hardy presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Senators Denis and Smith, who were excused.

Prayer by Senator Becky Harris.

Dear Heavenly Father, we are so grateful to be gathered here today as friends and as colleagues. We ask you to touch our hearts and open our minds as we consider the business of the people of the grate State of Nevada; that we will be able to do what is best for them. That we will be able to come to consensus and to consider those who are most at risk and who are most vulnerable.

I am so grateful for the beautiful day that we have and ask Thee to bless us as we discuss and vote on very important issues, that we will be able to leave as friends and return again as colleagues to continue on our very important work.

We pray these things in the Name of Jesus Christ.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make any necessary corrections and additions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. President Pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Assembly Bill No. 120, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

BECKY HARRIS, *CHAIR*

Mr. President Pro Tempore:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was re-referred Senate Bill No. 492, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

BEN KIECKHEFER, *CHAIR*

transportation facility project remaining confidential until the contract is awarded, they remain confidential only until a notice of intent to award the contract is issued. Similarly, this bill provides that certain documents or other information submitted to a public body by a construction manager at risk seeking a contract with a public body for a public works project are confidential only until a notice of intent to award the contract is issued. A public body or its authorized representative is required to make certain information determined by a panel that ranked the proposals and a separate panel that conducted the interviews of the selected applicants available to all applicants and the public.

Assembly Bill 43 also adds certain documents and other information to the list of public books and records of a governmental entity that are declared confidential. The bill clarifies that if a public book or record is declared by law to be open to the public, such a declaration does not imply, and must not be construed to mean, that a public book or record is confidential if it is not declared by law to be open to the public and is not otherwise declared by law to be confidential.

This bill is effective upon passage and approval. Provisions concerning information provided by construction managers at risk and from panels' ranking proposals and conducting interviews expire by limitation on June 30, 2017.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 43:

YEAS—19.

NAYS—None.

EXCUSED—Denis, Smith—2.

Assembly Bill No. 43 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President Pro Tempore declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

MOTIONS, RESOLUTIONS AND NOTICES

Senator Roberson moved that Assembly Bill No. 176 be taken from the General File and placed on the Secretary's Desk.

Motion carried.

Senator Roberson moved that Assembly Bills Nos. 53, 54, 59, 60, 62, 65, 88, 97, 101, 106, 108, 112, 124, 130, 136, 143, 151, 153, 156, 160, 162, 189, 192, 195, 200, 204, 212, 223, 224, 227, 231, 236, 246, 251, 252, 267, 268, 270, 273, 285, 287, 292, 301, 308, 324, 377, 384, 419, 422, 449, 454, 460, Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1 be taken from the General File and placed on the General File for the next legislative day.

Motion carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

CONSIDERATION OF ASSEMBLY AMENDMENTS

Senate Bill No. 312.

The following amendment was read.

Amendment No. 681.

AN ACT relating to taxing districts; ~~requiring~~ imposing, in a city that has created a taxing district to improve and maintain publicly owned facilities for tourism and entertainment, ~~to impose,~~ in addition to any other surcharge, a surcharge on the per night charge for the rental of a room in a hotel in the district other than a hotel that holds a nonrestricted gaming license; ~~requiring~~ imposing, in a city that has created such a taxing district, ~~to impose,~~ in addition to any other surcharge, ~~an~~ an additional surcharge on the per night charge for the rental of a room in a hotel in the district ~~;~~ that holds

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SENATE DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Sunday), May 17, 2015

Senate called to order at 3:23 p.m.
President Pro Tempore Hardy presiding.
Roll called.
All present.
Prayer by Senator Scott Hammond.

Our Heavenly Father, we come before Thee at this hour to give Thee thanks, first of all, for the many blessings we have received in our lives. We thank Thee Father for the moisture we are receiving this day and during this week. We are so thankful that we can be here doing the people's business and we pray that we will remember that we are no better than those who have sent us here. We are here to do their work and we must leave our egos back at home and make those compromises that need to be made in order for the good of the State to be accomplished. We are also thankful for the blessings of being able to serve and to have this opportunity to meet. We pray Father, that we will make lasting friendships with those with whom we share this experience, and that we will remember every day that we deal with our colleagues, both on the left and the right, as well as those who work here in the building with us, that we are doing so with the hopes we can be friends for many years to come. We are grateful for all these blessings and pray Father that Thou might sharpen our minds, make us aware of our surroundings and make us aware of the times we can compromise and be friends with one another. We are thankful again for our friends back home, our families we have left behind and especially for those spouses who pick up the slack as we leave the homes that we cherish so much. We are grateful for the time they put in with our families. We miss them, appreciate them and are grateful for their efforts in order that we may be here to do this work. We pray this in the name of Jesus Christ.

AMEN.

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

By previous order of the Senate, the reading of the Journal is dispensed with, and the President and Secretary are authorized to make any necessary corrections and additions.

SENATOR SMITH:

What was contemplated if the execution chamber remains there?

SENATOR KIECKHEFER:

I believe the bill is contingent on all operational functions ceasing at Nevada State Prison. I do not know if that was part of the discussion held in the committee, I need to defer to members of the committee for that.

SENATOR SETTELMAYER:

There was no discussion about this point during the committee hearing in Legislative Operations and Elections to my recollection.

SENATOR KIECKHEFER:

This is all contingent upon all operations of the Department of Corrections having ceased at the Nevada State Prison. I would assume operations of the execution chamber would fall into that category.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 377:

YEAS—20.

NAYS—Smith.

Assembly Bill No. 377 having received a two-thirds majority, Mr. President Pro Tempore declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 384.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Farley.

Assembly Bill No. 384 establishes the Nevada Oral History Program in the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau (LCB). The Legislative Commission shall approve a plan and procedures to conduct oral histories of current and former legislators. Materials are confidential unless released pursuant to policies approved by the Legislative Commission. The Director of the LCB may accept gifts, grants, or donations in support of the program. This bill is effective upon passage and approval.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 384:

YEAS—21.

NAYS—None.

Assembly Bill No. 384 having received a constitutional majority, Mr. President Pro Tempore declared it passed.

Bill ordered transmitted to the Assembly.

Assembly Bill No. 391.

Bill read third time.

Remarks by Senator Roberson.

Assembly Bill No. 391 expands the property tax exemption for certain property owned by a religious society or corporation to include parcels of land used exclusively for worship, including, without limitation, both developed and undeveloped portions of a parcel. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2015.

Roll call on Assembly Bill No. 391:

YEAS—21.

NAYS—None.

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Seventy-Eighth Session, 2015

ASSEMBLY DAILY JOURNAL

THE ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH DAY

CARSON CITY (Monday), May 18, 2015

Assembly called to order at 1:04 p.m.

Mr. Speaker presiding.

Roll called.

All present except Assemblywoman Fiore, who was excused.

Prayer by the Chaplain, Lieutenant Mark Cyr.

Father, we come to You today seeking Your guidance. We ask for Your Holy Spirit to be present in our State Assembly today. Unite, comfort, empower, encourage, and strengthen our leaders to be faithful to their state and its people. We ask for You to bless them, their families, and homes as well. Protect them, be with them, and give them a clear vision for the future of our state. Lord, let your light shine in their lives and their work. Father, we pray these things in the precious name of Jesus.

AMEN.

Pledge of allegiance to the Flag.

Assemblyman Paul Anderson moved that further reading of the Journal be dispensed with and the Speaker and Chief Clerk be authorized to make the necessary corrections and additions.

Motion carried.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which was rereferred Assembly Bill No. 481, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 50, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Commerce and Labor, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 84, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

Also, your Committee on Transportation, to which were referred Senate Bills Nos. 144, 188, 209, 376, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Amend, and do pass as amended.

JIM WHEELER, *Chair*

Mr. Speaker:

Your Committee on Ways and Means, to which were rereferred Assembly Bills Nos. 5, 21, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

Also, your Committee on Ways and Means, to which were referred Assembly Bills Nos. 437, 477, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back with the recommendation: Do pass.

PAUL ANDERSON, *Chair*

MESSAGES FROM THE SENATE

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, May 14, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bills Nos. 391, 405, 420, 422.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, May 15, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Senate Bill No. 230.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed, as amended, Senate Bills Nos. 103, 328, 432, 434, 483.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly Amendment No. 657 to Senate Bill No. 3.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, May 16, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bills Nos. 4, 6, 15, 24, 43, 81, 158, 193, 243, 305, 425; Senate Bills Nos. 89, 456.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day concurred in Assembly Amendment No. 681 to Senate Bill No. 312.

SHERRY RODRIGUEZ

Assistant Secretary of the Senate

SENATE CHAMBER, Carson City, May 17, 2015

To the Honorable the Assembly:

I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Bills Nos. 11, 17, 32, 47, 53, 54, 57, 59, 62, 86, 88, 92, 101, 106, 108, 116, 124, 130, 140, 143, 151, 153, 162, 183, 192, 195, 201, 204, 212, 223, 224, 227, 231, 246, 251, 267, 268, 270, 285, 292, 301, 308, 324, 362, 366, 371, 377, 384, 391, 419, 422, 449, 454.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate on this day passed Assembly Joint Resolution No. 1.

Also, I have the honor to inform your honorable body that the Senate amended, and on this day passed, as amended, Assembly Bill No. 65, Amendment No. 718, and respectfully requests your honorable body to concur in said amendment.

~~{7.}~~ 8. "Museum director" means the executive director of an institution of the Division appointed by the Administrator pursuant to NRS 381.0062.

Sec. 10. As soon as practicable after July 1, 2015, the Department of Corrections:

1. Shall begin to consult periodically with Carson City, the Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs, the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and the Nevada State Prison Preservation Society to plan for the conversion of the Nevada State Prison located on East Fifth Street in Carson City into a historical, cultural, educational and scientific destination.

2. May grant a special use permit or enter into an agreement pursuant to section 7 of this act.

Sec. 11. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2015.

Assembly Bill No. 384—Assemblywomen
Swank, Joiner, Kirkpatrick and Carlton

CHAPTER 183

[Approved: May 25, 2015]

AN ACT relating to the Legislature; establishing the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

In 2007, the Legislature appropriated money to enable the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau to create an oral history of the Nevada Legislature. (Section 17 of chapter 345, Statutes of Nevada 2007, p. 1605) This bill establishes the Nevada Legislature Oral History Program in statute to provide for the ongoing conduct and preservation of oral histories of current and former Legislators. The Program is required to be administered by the Research Division.

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

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

Section 1. Chapter 218A of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

1. *The Nevada Legislature Oral History Program is hereby established, to be administered by the Research Division.*

2. *Within the limits of money available, the Research Division shall cause the conduct and preservation of oral histories of current and former Legislators.*

3. *The Research Division shall:*

(a) *Prepare a plan setting forth any oral histories proposed to be conducted during a biennium and submit the plan to the Legislative Commission for its approval.*

(b) *With the approval of the Legislative Commission, adopt procedures for the conduct and preservation of the oral histories and any related materials, including, without limitation, books, papers, documents, records, photographs and recordings.*

(c) *With the approval of the Legislative Commission, adopt policies:*

(1) *Governing the acceptance by the Research Division of oral histories of current and former Legislators and any related materials submitted by any person or public or private entity. Such policies must include, without limitation, policies relating to the format for submitting, and the standards for the acceptance of, such an oral history and any related materials.*

(2) *Governing the release to the public of oral histories conducted or accepted pursuant to this section and any related materials.*

(3) *Governing the transfer of oral histories conducted or accepted pursuant to this section and any related materials to the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration pursuant to subsection 6.*

(4) *Necessary to carry out the Program.*

4. *The Director may accept any gifts, grants or donations for the support of the Program. All money received for the Program pursuant to this subsection must be credited to the Legislative Fund. The Legislative Counsel Bureau shall maintain separate accounting records for the receipt and expenditure of that money.*

5. *An oral history conducted or accepted for the Program pursuant to this section and any related materials are confidential and may only be released to the public pursuant to the policy adopted pursuant to subsection 3.*

6. *The Research Division may transfer an oral history conducted or accepted for the Program pursuant to this section and any related materials to the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration for preservation.*

7. *On or before September 1 of each even-numbered year, for the biennium ending June 30 of such year, the Research Division shall submit a report to the Legislative Commission concerning the activities of the Program during that biennium.*

Sec. 2. **NRS 239.010** is hereby amended to read as follows:

239.010 1. Except as otherwise provided in this section and NRS 1.4683, 1A.110, 49.095, 62D.420, 62D.440, 62E.516, 62E.620, 62H.025, 62H.030, 62H.170, 62H.220, 62H.320, 76.160, 78.152, 80.113, 81.850, 82.183, 86.246, 86.54615, 87.515, 87.5413, 87A.200, 87A.580, 87A.640, 88.3355, 88.5927, 88.6067, 88A.345, 88A.7345, 89.045, 89.251, 90.730, 91.160, 116.757, 116A.270, 116B.880, 118B.026, 119.260, 119.265, 119.267, 119.280, 119A.280, 119A.653, 119B.370, 119B.382, 120A.690, 125.130, 125B.140, 126.141, 126.161, 126.163, 126.730, 127.007, 127.057, 127.130, 127.140, 127.2817, 130.312, 159.044, 172.075, 172.245, 176.015, 176.0625, 176.09129, 176.156, 176A.630, 178.39801, 178.4715, 178.5691, 179.495, 179A.070, 179A.165, 179A.450, 179D.160, 200.3771, 200.3772, 200.5095, 200.604, 202.3662, 205.4651, 209.392, 209.3925, 209.419, 209.521, 211A.140, 213.010, 213.040, 213.095, 213.131, 217.105, 217.110, 217.464, 217.475, 218E.625, 218F.150, 218G.130, 218G.240, 218G.350, 228.270, 228.450, 228.495, 228.570, 231.069, 233.190, 237.300, 239.0105, 239.0113, 239B.030, 239B.040, 239B.050, 239C.140, 239C.210, 239C.230,

239C.250, 239C.270, 240.007, 241.020, 241.030, 242.105, 244.264, 244.335, 250.087, 250.130, 250.140, 250.150, 268.095, 268.490, 268.910, 271A.105, 281.195, 281A.350, 281A.440, 281A.550, 284.4068, 286.110, 287.0438, 289.025, 289.080, 289.387, 293.5002, 293.503, 293.558, 293B.135, 293D.510, 331.110, 332.061, 332.351, 333.333, 333.335, 338.070, 338.1379, 338.1725, 338.1727, 348.420, 349.597, 349.775, 353.205, 353A.085, 353A.100, 353C.240, 360.240, 360.247, 360.255, 360.755, 361.044, 361.610, 365.138, 366.160, 368A.180, 372A.080, 378.290, 378.300, 379.008, 386.655, 387.626, 387.631, 388.5275, 388.528, 388.5315, 388.750, 391.035, 392.029, 392.147, 392.264, 392.271, 392.652, 392.850, 394.167, 394.1698, 394.447, 394.460, 394.465, 396.3295, 396.405, 396.525, 396.535, 398.403, 408.3885, 408.3886, 412.153, 416.070, 422.290, 422.305, 422A.320, 422A.350, 425.400, 427A.1236, 427A.872, 432.205, 432B.175, 432B.280, 432B.290, 432B.407, 432B.430, 432B.560, 433.534, 433A.360, 439.270, 439.840, 439B.420, 440.170, 441A.195, 441A.220, 441A.230, 442.330, 442.395, 445A.665, 445B.570, 449.209, 449.245, 449.720, 453.1545, 453.720, 453A.610, 453A.700, 458.055, 458.280, 459.050, 459.3866, 459.555, 459.7056, 459.846, 463.120, 463.15993, 463.240, 463.3403, 463.3407, 463.790, 467.1005, 467.137, 481.063, 482.170, 482.5536, 483.340, 483.363, 483.800, 484E.070, 485.316, 503.452, 522.040, 534A.031, 561.285, 571.160, 584.655, 598.0964, 598A.110, 603.070, 603A.210, 604A.710, 612.265, 616B.012, 616B.015, 616B.315, 616B.350, 618.341, 618.425, 622.310, 623.131, 623A.353, 624.110, 624.265, 624.327, 625.425, 625A.185, 628.418, 629.069, 630.133, 630.30665, 630.336, 630A.555, 631.368, 632.121, 632.125, 632.405, 633.283, 633.301, 633.524, 634.212, 634.214, 634A.185, 635.158, 636.107, 637.085, 637A.315, 637B.288, 638.087, 638.089, 639.2485, 639.570, 640.075, 640A.220, 640B.730, 640C.400, 640C.745, 640C.760, 640D.190, 640E.340, 641.090, 641A.191, 641B.170, 641C.760, 642.524, 643.189, 644.446, 645.180, 645.625, 645A.050, 645A.082, 645B.060, 645B.092, 645C.220, 645C.225, 645D.130, 645D.135, 645E.300, 645E.375, 645G.510, 645H.320, 645H.330, 647.0945, 647.0947, 648.033, 648.197, 649.065, 649.067, 652.228, 654.110, 656.105, 661.115, 665.130, 665.133, 669.275, 669.285, 669A.310, 671.170, 673.430, 675.380, 676A.340, 676A.370, 677.243, 679B.122, 679B.152, 679B.159, 679B.190, 679B.285, 679B.690, 680A.270, 681A.440, 681B.260, 681B.280, 683A.0873, 685A.077, 686A.289, 686B.170, 686C.306, 687A.110, 687A.115, 687C.010, 688C.230, 688C.480, 688C.490, 692A.117, 692C.190, 692C.420, 693A.480, 693A.615, 696B.550, 703.196, 704B.320, 704B.325, 706.1725, 710.159, 711.600, *and section 1 of this act*, sections 35, 38 and 41 of chapter 478, Statutes of Nevada 2011 and section 2 of chapter 391, Statutes of Nevada 2013 and unless otherwise declared by law to be confidential, all public books and public records of a governmental entity must be open at all times during office hours to inspection by any person, and may be fully copied or an abstract or memorandum may be prepared from those public books and public records. Any such copies, abstracts or memoranda may be used to supply the general public with copies, abstracts or memoranda of the records or may be used in any other way to the advantage of the governmental entity or of the general public. This section does not supersede or in any manner affect the federal laws governing copyrights or enlarge, diminish or affect in any other manner the rights of a person in any written book or record which is copyrighted pursuant to federal law.

2. A governmental entity may not reject a book or record which is copyrighted solely because it is copyrighted.

3. A governmental entity that has legal custody or control of a public book or record shall not deny a request made pursuant to subsection 1 to inspect or copy or receive a copy of a public book or record on the basis that the requested public book or record contains information that is confidential if the governmental entity can redact, delete, conceal or separate the confidential information from the information included in the public book or record that is not otherwise confidential.

4. A person may request a copy of a public record in any medium in which the public record is readily available. An officer, employee or agent of a governmental entity who has legal custody or control of a public record:

(a) Shall not refuse to provide a copy of that public record in a readily available medium because the officer, employee or agent has already prepared or would prefer to provide the copy in a different medium.

(b) Except as otherwise provided in NRS 239.030, shall, upon request, prepare the copy of the public record and shall not require the person who has requested the copy to prepare the copy himself or herself.

Sec. 3. NRS 378.240 is hereby amended to read as follows:

378.240 The State Library and Archives Administrator shall, within the limits of legislative appropriations:

1. Maintain and properly equip safe and secure premises and vaults at the seat of government for the preservation and use of material deposited in the archives.

2. Employ persons in the classified service of the State to preserve, index and aid in the use of material deposited in the archives.

3. Give an appropriate receipt for material received by him or her for the archives.

4. Subject to the provisions of NRS 378.310 and subsection 4 of NRS 239.090, make material deposited in the archives readily available for use.

5. Receive into the archives any material when directed to do so by the Committee to Approve Schedules for the Retention and Disposition of Official State Records created pursuant to NRS 239.073.

6. *Receive into the archives and preserve oral histories of current and former Legislators and any related materials transferred from the Research Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to section 1 of this act.*

Sec. 4. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.