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**LEGISLATIVE REVIEW OF ADOPTED REGULATIONS AS REQUIRED BY  
NEVADA ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE ACT, NRS 233B.066**

The Nevada Commission on Ethics ("Commission") submits the following informational statement for its adopted amendments to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 281A.

**1. A clear and concise explanation of the need for the adopted regulation.**

The proposed regulation reflects procedural changes based upon amendments to NRS Chapter 281A enacted by Senate Bill 84 of the 2017 Legislative Session (Chapter 384, 2017 Statutes of Nevada), and the provisions of NAC Chapter 281A, as amended in the Commission's expired Temporary Regulation No. T03-16, and any Commission direction thereon.

**2. A description of how public comment was solicited, a summary of public response, and an explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.**

In accordance with NRS Chapters 233B and 241, the Commission posted the proposed regulation, the notice of workshop and the notice of intent to act upon the proposed regulation on the Commission's website at <http://ethics.nv.gov>, and in various other public locations, including the county libraries. In addition to the Commission's website and public libraries, the locations included:

- The Nevada Legislature's Administrative Regulations Notices website: <http://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/Notice/A/>
- Nevada Public Notice Website: <http://notice.nv.gov>
- State Library & Archives Building, 100 North Stewart Street, Carson City
- Blasdel Building, 209 E. Musser Street, Carson City
- Washoe County Administration Building, 1001 East 9th Street, Reno
- Grant Sawyer State Office Building, 555 E. Washington Ave., Las Vegas

The Commission conducted a public workshop on April 18, 2018 in Carson City and Las Vegas, Nevada, and a public hearing on August 15, 2018 in Carson City and Las Vegas, Nevada. The Commission solicited public comment on the proposed regulation via written comment in advance of the respective hearings and/or personal appearance during the hearings. The Commission received no public comment.

**3. The number of persons who:**

Attended each hearing: None  
Testified at each hearing: None  
Submitted written comments: None

**4. A list of names and contact information, including telephone number, business address, business telephone number, electronic mail address, and name of entity or organization represented, for each person identified above in #3, as provided to the agency.**

No persons attended the workshop or public hearing or submitted written comments to the Commission.

**5. A description of how comment was solicited from affected businesses, a summary of their response, and an explanation how other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.**

In accordance with NRS 233B.0608, the Commission staff analyzed whether the proposed regulation could cause any small business any economic burden and determined that jurisdiction of the Commission is limited to public officers and employees such that small businesses could not be affected. See attached Statement regarding Small Business Impact.

**6. If the regulation was adopted without changing any part of the proposed regulation, a summary of the reasons for adopting the regulation without change.**

The regulation was adopted without changing any substantive part of the proposed regulation because no public or small business comments were made before or during the workshop or public hearing. Minor changes were adopted to clarify intent.

**7. The estimated economic effect of the adopted regulation on the business which it is to regulate and on the public. These must be stated separately, and each case must include:**

**a. Both adverse and beneficial effects; and**

Adoption of this regulation does not create any known adverse economic or beneficial effects on the public or public officers and employees under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

**b. Both immediate and long-term effects.**

Adoption of this Regulation does not create any known immediate or long-term economic effects on the public or the public officers and employees under the jurisdiction of the Commission.

**8. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the adopted regulation.**

None.

**9. A description of any regulations of other state or government agencies which the proposed regulation overlaps or duplicates and a statement explaining why the duplication or overlapping is necessary. If the regulation overlaps or duplicates federal regulation, the name of the regulating federal agency.**

The proposed regulation does not duplicate or overlap any other state, federal or other governmental agency's regulations.

**10. If the regulation includes provisions that are more stringent than a federal regulation which regulates the same activity, a summary of such provisions.**

N/A

**11. If the regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used.**

The proposed regulation does not establish any new fees or increase any existing fees.