
ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 196—ASSEMBLYMEN WHEELER, ELLISON,
PAUL ANDERSON, FIORE, OSCARSON; DUNCAN, GRADY,
HANSEN, HARDY, HICKEY, KIRNER, LIVERMORE, STEWART
AND WOODBURY

MARCH 4, 2013

JOINT SPONSORS: SENATORS GUSTAVSON;
CEGAVSKE AND SETTELMEYER

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Requires the Attorney General to bring an action to
protect and secure certain constitutional rights of
residents of this State under certain circumstances.
(BDR 18-945)

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 Attorney General; requiring the Attorney
General, under certain circumstances, to commence an
action to protect and secure the rights of residents of this
State under the Second Amendment to the United States
Constitution; and providing other matters properly
relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 This bill requires the Attorney General to commence an action to protect and
2 secure the rights of residents of this State under the Second Amendment to the
3 United States Constitution at the direction of the Governor or if the Attorney
4 General determines that those rights have been infringed by an executive order
5 issued by the President of the United States.



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

- 1 **Section 1.** Chapter 228 of NRS is hereby amended by adding
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:
3 *If directed by the Governor or if, in the opinion of the Attorney*
4 *General, the rights of residents of this State under the Second*
5 *Amendment to the United States Constitution have been infringed*
6 *by an executive order issued by the President of the United States*
7 *and it is necessary that a suit be commenced in any federal or state*
8 *court to protect and secure such rights, the Attorney General shall*
9 *commence the action.*
10 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

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