AN ACT relating to business; exempting veterans service organizations and the officers and agents of veterans service organizations from various fees imposed on persons conducting business in this State; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:
Existing law imposes various fees on persons conducting business in this State, including, without limitation, fees for: (1) the issuance and renewal of a state business license; (2) filings required in connection with the registration of a registered agent; (3) various filings to satisfy requirements imposed on a business entity; and (4) various other purposes. (Title 7 of NRS) This bill exempts veterans service organizations and any agent or officer of a veterans service organization from such fees. This bill defines “veterans service organization” as any organization recognized by the United States Secretary of Veterans Affairs for the representation of veterans pursuant to federal law. (38 U.S.C. § 5902)

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 75 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a veterans service organization and any agent or officer of a veterans service organization are exempt from any fees imposed pursuant to this title.

2. As used in this section, “veterans service organization” means any organization recognized by the United States Secretary of Veterans Affairs pursuant to 38 U.S.C. § 5902 for the representation of veterans.

Sec. 2. 1. This section becomes effective upon passage and approval.

2. Section 1 of this act becomes effective:

(a) Upon passage and approval for the purpose of adopting any regulations and performing any other preparatory administrative tasks that are necessary to carry out the provisions of this act; and

(b) On January 1, 2024, for all other purposes.