

**S.B. 491**

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SENATE BILL NO. 491—COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(ON BEHALF OF THE OFFICE OF FINANCE  
IN THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR)

MAY 11, 2023

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Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Revises provisions related to the Department of Business and Industry concerning information technology. (BDR S-1167)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.  
Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation included in Executive Budget.

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

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AN ACT relating to the Department of Business and Industry; extending the date of reversion of the appropriation made by the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature to the Real Estate Division of the Department for an update of its licensing software system; making appropriations; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel’s Digest:**

1 During the 2021 Legislative Session, the Nevada Legislature appropriated  
2 \$693,670 from the State General Fund to the Real Estate Division of the  
3 Department of Business and Industry for an update of its licensing software system.  
4 Any remaining balance of that appropriation was required to be reverted to the  
5 State General Fund on or before September 15, 2023. (Chapter 452, Statutes of  
6 Nevada 2021, at page 2866) **Section 1** of this bill extends the reversion date to on  
7 or before September 19, 2025.  
8 **Sections 2-6** of this bill make various appropriations to the Department of  
9 Business and Industry for the replacement or purchase of computer hardware,  
10 software and related licenses and certain equipment.

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

1       **Section 1.** Section 1 of chapter 452, Statutes of Nevada 2021,  
2 at page 2866, is hereby amended to read as follows:

3               Section 1. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the  
4 State General Fund to the Real Estate Division of the  
5 Department of Business and Industry the sum of \$693,670 for  
6 an update of its licensing software system.

7               2. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by  
8 subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after  
9 June 30, ~~2023,~~ 2025, by the entity to which the  
10 appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the  
11 appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any  
12 manner, and any portion of the appropriated money  
13 remaining must not be spent for any purpose after  
14 September ~~15, 2023,~~ 19, 2025, by either the entity to which  
15 the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money  
16 was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted  
17 to the State General Fund on or before September ~~15,~~  
18 ~~2023,~~ 19, 2025.

19       **Sec. 2.** There is hereby appropriated from the State General  
20 Fund to the Office of Business Finance and Planning within the  
21 Department of Business and Industry the sum of \$2,804 for the  
22 replacement of computer hardware and associated software.

23       **Sec. 3.** There is hereby appropriated from the State General  
24 Fund to the Department of Business and Industry the sum of  
25 \$292,175 for the Business and Industry Administration budget  
26 account for the replacement of computer hardware and associated  
27 software and video conferencing equipment and for the purchase of  
28 recording software, backup data storage equipment and licenses for  
29 online training software.

30       **Sec. 4.** There is hereby appropriated from the State General  
31 Fund to the Real Estate Division of the Department of Business and  
32 Industry the sum of \$75,986 for the replacement of computer  
33 hardware and associated software.

34       **Sec. 5.** There is hereby appropriated from the State Highway  
35 Fund to the Nevada Transportation Authority of the Department of  
36 Business and Industry the sum of \$35,135 for the replacement of  
37 computer hardware and associated software.

38       **Sec. 6.** There is hereby appropriated from the State General  
39 Fund to the Office of Labor Commissioner of the Department of  
40 Business and Industry the sum of \$144,853 for the replacement of  
41 computer hardware and associated software and equipment for



1 servers and for the purchase of software for license applications by  
2 professional employer organizations, as defined in NRS 611.400.

3 **Sec. 7.** Any remaining balance of the appropriations made by  
4 sections 2 to 6, inclusive, of this act must not be committed for  
5 expenditure after June 30, 2025, by the entity to which the  
6 appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the  
7 appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and  
8 any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent  
9 for any purpose after September 19, 2025, by either the entity to  
10 which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money  
11 was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the  
12 fund from which it was appropriated on or before September 19,  
13 2025.

14 **Sec. 8.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

