

Joint Sponsor: Assemblywoman Dondero Loop

CHAPTER.....

AN ACT relating to the Nevada System of Higher Education; authorizing the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada to plan for and establish programs for the study of energy efficiency and renewable energy resources within the Nevada System of Higher Education; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

This bill authorizes the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada to plan for and establish programs for the study of energy efficiency and renewable energy resources within the Nevada System of Higher Education. This bill also authorizes the Board of Regents to: (1) carry out the programs through joint ventures with one or more public or private entities; and (2) apply for any available grants and accept any gifts, grants or donations for the support of the programs.

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

Section 1. Chapter 396 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

- 1. The Board of Regents may plan for and establish programs for the study of energy efficiency and renewable energy resources within the System.*
- 2. The Board of Regents may carry out a program established pursuant to this section through a joint venture with one or more public or private entities, but the Board of Regents must have final authority to direct and supervise the program.*
- 3. The Board of Regents may apply for any available grants and accept any gifts, grants or donations for the support of a program for the study of energy efficiency and renewable energy resources established pursuant to this section.*

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

