

Joint Sponsor: Assemblyman Elliot Anderson

CHAPTER.....

AN ACT relating to crimes; establishing the crime of stolen valor; providing a penalty; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

This bill provides that a person commits the crime of stolen valor and is guilty of a gross misdemeanor if the person knowingly, with the intent to obtain money, property or another tangible benefit: (1) fraudulently represents himself or herself to be a recipient of certain military decorations or medals; and (2) obtains money, property or another tangible benefit through such fraudulent representation.

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

1. A person commits the crime of stolen valor if he or she knowingly, with the intent to obtain money, property or another tangible benefit:

(a) Fraudulently represents himself or herself to be a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor, Distinguished Service Cross, Navy Cross, Air Force Cross, Silver Star, Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman Badge, Combat Action Badge, Combat Medical Badge, Combat Action Ribbon or Air Force Combat Action Medal; and

(b) Obtains money, property or another tangible benefit through such fraudulent representation.

2. A person who commits the crime of stolen valor is guilty of a gross misdemeanor.

