

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4—SENATORS DENIS, ROBERSON;  
ATKINSON, BROWER, CEGAVSKE, FORD, GOICOECHEA,  
GUSTAVSON, HAMMOND, HARDY, HUTCHISON, JONES,  
KIECKHEFER, KIHUEN, MANENDO, PARKS, SEGERBLOM,  
SETTELMAYER, SMITH, SPEARMAN AND WOODHOUSE

FEBRUARY 11, 2013

Read and Adopted

SUMMARY—Amends the Standing Rules of the Senate for the  
77th Session of the Legislature. (BDR R-998)

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

SENATE RESOLUTION—Amending the Senate Standing Rules  
for the 77th Session of the Legislature.

1 RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That  
2 Rule No. 40 of the Standing Rules of the Senate as adopted by the  
3 77th Session of the Legislature is hereby amended to read as  
4 follows:

5 **Rule No. 40. Standing and Select Committees.**

6 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, the  
7 standing and select committees of the Senate and their  
8 respective jurisdiction for the reference of bills and  
9 resolutions are as follows:

10 (a) Commerce, Labor and Energy, seven members, with  
11 jurisdiction over measures affecting primarily titles 52-56 of  
12 NRS, and chapters 97-100, 118-119, 119B, 459A, 461, 461A,  
13 489, 679A-693A, 694A-704B, 707, 711 and 712 of NRS,  
14 except measures affecting primarily state and local revenue.

15 (b) Education, five members, with jurisdiction over  
16 measures affecting primarily chapters 378-380A, 385, 386  
17 and 388-399 of NRS, except measures affecting primarily  
18 state and local revenue.

19 (c) Finance, seven members, with jurisdiction over  
20 measures primarily affecting chapters 1A, 387 and 400 of  
21 NRS, appropriations, operating and capital budgets, state and  
22 federal budget issues and bonding, except measures affecting



1 primarily state and local revenue, and over any measures  
2 carrying or requiring appropriations and favorably reported by  
3 any other committee.

4 (d) Government Affairs, five members, with jurisdiction  
5 over measures affecting primarily titles 20-22, 25, 27, 28, 30,  
6 31, 36 and 37 of NRS, and chapters 223-228, 232-237, 238-  
7 242, 286-289, 381, 384, 472-474, 477, 693B, 708-710 and  
8 720 of NRS, except measures affecting primarily the  
9 provisions of the Nevada Administrative Procedure Act that  
10 govern the adjudication of contested cases, state and local  
11 revenue and state and federal budget issues.

12 (e) Health and Human Services, five members, with  
13 jurisdiction over measures primarily affecting titles 38 and 39  
14 of NRS, and chapters 439-444 (NRS 444.003-444.430), 446-  
15 458A, 460 and 583-585 of NRS, except measures affecting  
16 primarily state and local revenue.

17 (f) Judiciary, seven members, with jurisdiction over  
18 measures affecting primarily the provisions of the Nevada  
19 Administrative Procedure Act that govern the adjudication of  
20 contested cases, titles 2-7, 9, 11-16 and 41 of NRS, and  
21 chapters 1, 2-7, 101-104A, 111-117, 119A, 120, 120A,  
22 ~~1458A,~~ 475 and 719 of NRS, except measures affecting  
23 primarily state and local revenue.

24 (g) Legislative Operations and Elections, five members,  
25 with jurisdiction over measures affecting primarily titles 17,  
26 24 and 29 of NRS, and chapters 281-285 of NRS, and the  
27 operation of the legislative session, except measures affecting  
28 primarily state and local revenue.

29 (h) Natural Resources, five members, with jurisdiction  
30 over measures primarily affecting titles 26, 45-50 of NRS,  
31 and chapters 383, 407, 444 (NRS 444.435-444.650), 444A-  
32 445D, 459, 488, 581, 582 and 586-590 of NRS, except  
33 measures affecting primarily state and local revenue.

34 (i) Revenue and Economic Development, seven members,  
35 with jurisdiction over measures affecting primarily title 32 of  
36 NRS, and chapters 231 and 237A of NRS, and state and local  
37 revenue.

38 (j) Transportation, five members, with jurisdiction over  
39 measures affecting primarily title 44 of NRS, and chapters  
40 403-405, 408, 410, 476, 480-487, **490**, 705 and 706 of NRS,  
41 except measures affecting primarily state and local revenue.

42 2. The Chair of the Standing Committee on Finance may  
43 assign any portion of a proposed executive budget to any of  
44 the other standing or select committees of the Senate for  
45 review. Upon receiving such an assignment the standing or



1 select committee shall complete its review expeditiously and  
2 report its findings and any recommendations to the Standing  
3 Committee on Finance for its independent evaluation.

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