SENATE FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES OF MEETING MARCH 24, 1975

The meeting was called to order at 5:20 p.m.

Senator Floyd R. Lamb was in the Chair.

PRESENT: Senator Floyd R. Lamb, Chairman

Senator James I. Gibson, Vice-Chairman

Senator Lee E. Walker Senator Warren Monroe Senator B. Mahlon Brown Senator William Raggio

Senator Clifton Young, arrived at 6:20 p.m.

OTHERS: Roger Trounday, Department of Human Resources

Reba Chappell, Emergency Medical Services

Mervin Flander, Aid to the Blind Darryl Monahan, Economic Development

Henry Etchmendy, Carson

Gordon Harding, Data Processing Dino Martini, Welfare Division John Crossley, Audit Division

Leonard Winkleman, Department of Motor Vehicles

Gene Phelps, Highway Department Earl Oliver, Audit Division Howard Barrett, Budget Division

Ron Sparks, Fiscal Analyst

Cy Ryan, UPI

SB 157

Senator Raggio said that the existing work program indicates that we will have trained 564 in the 81 hour course; but the total indicates there are about 700 to be trained. Roger Trounday said there are 700 volunteer ambulance drivers, but not all of them have taken the course. Mrs. Reba Chappell said that in the last two years there has been a 151% increase in the number of active licensed attendants.

Senator Lamb wanted to know why this request was not in the budget originally. Mr. Howard Barrett said because of the lack of time.

Senator Monroe asked if this included pay for the instructors. Mr. Trounday said that a stipend is given on a contract basis, but they expect to develop a community corps, by use of this appropriation.

Senator Raggio asked if there will be further requests of this type after this Biennium. Mr. Trounday said not of this magnitude. Mrs. Chappell said that it takes a great many volunteers to work on a 24 hour basis.

Senator Raggio asked what could be cut if the full amount requested was not given. Mr. Trounday said that the extremely advanced courses

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could be deleted.

AB 264

Senator Brown was concerned about the payback on this business, as he felt this should be self-sustaining.

Mr. Mervin Flander said that with the \$100,000 they plan to build five new stands, and they now have six locations available for these, (Carson City Highway Building, Post Office - Reno, Cottonwood Cove, Carson City Office Building, Central Telephone - Las Vegas, Las Vegas State Building.)

SB 180

Mr. Monahan distributed a handout on the breakdown of the costs involved in this appropriation request.

AB 43

Mr. Barrett discussed the breakdown of this with the Committee as shown on page A-28 of the Budget book.

AB 251

Mr. Gordon Harding said that the State is currently using an antiquated payroll system, however, a system can be adopted from Washington State that would cost \$70,000 to initiate, and \$50,000 to operate. Mr. Harding said that this can be operational by January 1, 1976. Senator Lamb asked if this duplicated the Controller's work. Mr. Harding said no.

AB 110

Mr. Dino Martini said that the Welfare Division had a conflict with the wording of NRS 428.360 and 428-370, and would like to remove "Title 19 Fund" from the statute.

AB 111

Mr. Martini said that this is to change "State Welfare information" to read, "Welfare Administration account in the general fund", and to repeal NRS 422.255. Mr. John Crossley said that these are not audit recommendations.

AB 122

Mr. Leonard Winkleman said that this will create a \$5.00 service charge; create the \$10,000 revolving fund (now \$5,000; and repeal NRS 481.075.

Mr. Gene Phelps said that changing the fund from the State highway fund to the motor vehicle fund will delay deposits to the Highway Department for one month, and will affect revenue, taxes and interest.

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Senator Monroe asked what the change will benefit. Mr. Winkleman said that the DMV could account for all of their revenue in one fund.

Mr. John Crossley said that advances can be made to the Highway fund if needed before the end of the month.

Senator Monroe asked why all the money couldn't be put in the High-way fund. Mr. Winkleman said that DMV has a trust responsibility to the counties, and this could be violated if the cash balance in the Highway fund wasn't adequate to meet the requested vouchers.

Senator Young asked why the interest can't be transferred on some basis. Mr. Phelps said that the law defines how interest will be handled. Senator Young still felt that the interest could be adjusted at the end of the year.

AB 200

Mr. Earl Oliver said that if a review of local public employees is to be continued, then the State will have to help augment some of this cost. Mr. Oliver said to Senator Gibson that five outside firms have been selected as possibilities to handle this if discontinued with the State.

AB 66

Senator Gibson asked if the \$2,000 was used up last year. Mr. Barrett said that \$1,650 was used.

AJR 26 (See attached bill)

Senator Gibson - Do Pass Senator Walker - 2nd Senators Young and Raggio - "no" Motion carried.

AB 66 (See attached bill)

Senator Monroe - Do Pass Senator Young - 2nd Senator Lamb - "No" Motion Carried.

AB 200 (See attached bill)

Senator Gibson - Do Pass Senator Monroe - 2nd Motion carried.

AB 122 (See attached bill)

Senator Gibson - Amend to read that the in-lieu tax be in the trust fund, and the remaining in the Highway Fund.

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Senator Raggio - 2nd Motion Carried.

SB 237 (See attached bill)

Senator Brown - Kill Senator Young - 2nd Senator Monroe - "No" Motion Carried.

SB 157 (See attached bill)

Senator Raggio - Amend to read that \$21,000 be for ambulances, and the remaining \$79,000 for other use.

Senator Young - 2nd Senators Monroe, Gibson & Walker - "no" Motion carried.

Mr. Barrett said that the EMS Program would have more flexibility if this entire amount was given, because there might be a cut in federal funds in the regular budget for this agency. Senator Raggio said he would rather have this agency come to Interim Finance for their regular budget. The Committee did not comment on Senator Raggio's suggestion.

SB 180 (See attached bill)

Senator Young - Do Pass Senator Brown - 2nd Senators Raggio, Lamb - "No" Motion Carried.

SB 151

The Committee decided to hold this bill and consider it with the entire fund.

SB 15 (See attached bill)

Senator Young - Hold in Committee Senator Walker - 2nd Senator Monroe - "No" Motion Carried.

AB 264 (See attached bill)

Senator Gibson - Do Pass Senator Walker - 2nd Motion Carried.

AB 43 (See attached bill)

Senator Gibson - Do Pass

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Senator Brown - 2nd Senator Lamb - "No" Motion Carried.

AB 251 (See attached bill)

Senator Monroe - Do Pass Senator Gibson - 2nd Motion Carried.

AB 111 (See attached bill)

Senator Young - Do Pass with Amendment (Section 5) Senator Monroe - 2nd Motion Carried.

AB 110 (See attached bill)

Senator Monroe - Do Pass Senator Gibson - 2nd Motion Carried.

SB 328 (See attached bill)

Senator Monroe - Do Pass Senator Young - 2nd Motion Carried.

AB 207 (See attached bill)

Senator Gibson - Do Pass Senator Monroe - 2nd Motion Carried.

AB 208 (See attac hed bill)

Senator Young - Do Pass Senator Gibson - 2nd Motion Carried.

There was no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

SHEBA WOOLLEY, SECRETAR

APPROVED BY:

FLOYD R. LAMB, CHAIRMAN

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A. B. 26

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 26—ASSEMBLYMEN DEMERS, BANNER, DREYER AND BROOKMAN

JANUARY 22, 1975

Referred to Committee on Commerce

SUMMARY—Requires health insurance policies to include coverage for services by practitioners of traditional Chinese medicine. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 57-200)



EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to Oriental medicine; requiring health insurance policies to include coverage for services by persons licensed in Nevada to practice traditional Oriental medicine or a branch thereof; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. NRS 689A.380 is hereby amended to read as follows: 689A.380 As used in any policy of health insurance delivered, issued for delivery or used in this state, unless otherwise provided in the policy or in an endorsement thereon or in a rider attached thereto:

1. "Accidental death" means death by accident exclusively and independently of all other causes.

2. "Confinement to house" or "house confinement" includes the activities of a convalescent not able to be gainfully employed.

3. "Medical or surgical services" includes also services within the scope of his license rendered by any individual while duly licensed by the State of Nevada under any of the following chapters of NRS: 631 (dentistry); 633 (osteopathy); 634 (chiropractic); 634A (Oriental medicine); 635 (podiatry); or 636 (optometry). No policy of health insurance shall exclude coverage for services of any licensee provided for in this subsection.

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4. "Total disability" means inability to perform the duties of any gainful occupation for which the insured is reasonably fitted by training, experience and accomplishment.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 66—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

JANUARY 27, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Provides for alternative choice of secretary of merit award board and increases allowable expenditures on individual awards and yearly plans. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 23-269)



EXPLANATION—Matter in italics is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to merit awards to state employees; providing for alternative choice of secretary of merit award board; increasing maximum expenditures allowable for individual cash awards and yearly merit award plans.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. NRS 285.030 is hereby amended to read as follows: 285.030 1. The controlling authority of the merit award program shall be known as the merit award board.

The board shall be composed of five members as follows:

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(a) Two members of the Nevada State Employees' Association designated by the executive committee of that association.

(b) One member from the budget division of the department of administration appointed by the chief of the budget division.

(c) One member from the personnel division of the department of administration appointed by the chief of the personnel division.

(d) One member appointed by and representing the governor. 3. The member from either the budget division or the personnel division of the department of administration shall serve as the secretary of the board.

4. The board shall make rules and regulations for transacting its business and carrying out the provisions of this chapter.

SEC. 2. NRS 285.070 is hereby amended to read as follows: 285.070 1. Insofar as it may be equitable and practicable, the amount of the cash award allowed for an employee's suggestion shall be predicated upon the savings to the state. No cash award may exceed **[\$200.]** *\$500*.

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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 200—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

FEBRUARY 3, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Repeals provision requiring legislative auditor to make periodic examination of certain public employees' retirement records, Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 23-670)

Explanation—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the public employees' retirement system; repealing provision requiring legislative auditor to make periodic examination of certain records of the system.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

1 Section 1. NRS 286.465 is hereby repealed.

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A. B. 122

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 122—COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

JANUARY 29, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Clarifies provisions of various funds within the department of motor vehicles. Fiscal Note: Yes. (BDR 43-339)



EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the department of motor vehicles; clarifying the provisions of various funds; providing that interest on deposits of certain moneys be credited to the state highway fund; changing the name and increasing the amount of the motor vehicle revolving fund; making an appropriation; eliminating certain required reports and deposits; repealing obsolete bonding procedures; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. NRS 481.063 is hereby amended to read as follows: 481.063 1. The director is authorized to charge and collect reasonable fees from persons making use of files and records of the department

or its various divisions for any private purpose.

2. All moneys so collected shall be [delivered to the state treasurer for deposit to the credit of the state highway fund.] deposited with the state treasurer to the credit of the motor vehicle fund.

SEC. 2. NRS 481.079 is hereby amended to read as follows:

481.079 1. Except as otherwise provided by law, all taxes, license fees and moneys collected by the department or by patrolmen and personnel pursuant to the provisions of NRS 481.071 shall be deposited in the state treasury to the credit of the state highway fund in the manner provided in the law or laws providing for the imposition and collection thereof.] with the state treasurer to the credit of the motor vehicle fund.

2. Any check accepted by the department in payment of fees pursuant to NRS 481.071 shall, if it is dishonored upon presentation for payment, be subject to a \$5 service charge in addition to any other penalties provided by law.

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19 The department is authorized to adjust the amount of a deposit made with the state treasurer to the credit of the motor vehicle fund for 20 any cash shortage or overage resulting from the collection of fees. 21

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SENATE BILL NO. 237—SENATOR BLAKEMORE

FEBRUARY 20, 1975

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Prevents decrease in state basic support guarantee to any school district in next 2 school years. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-963)



EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to state financial aid to public education; requiring that the basic support guarantee to a school district for the school years 1975-76 and 1976-77 not be less than the basic support guarantee received in the school year 1974-75; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Whereas, The proper objective of state financial aid to public education is to insure each Nevada child a reasonably equal educational opportunity; and

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Whereas, The state supplements each school district to provide programs of instruction in both compulsory and elective subjects that offer full opportunity for every Nevada child to receive the benefit of the purposes for which public schools are maintained; and

WHEREAS, The state's financial obligation for such programs is expressed in a formula partially on a per pupil basis and partially on a per program basis; and

WHEREAS, There are wide variations in wealth and costs per pupil in the various school districts; and

WHEREAS, The total enrollment of the Esmeralda School District has increased substantially; and

WHEREAS, There is a possibility that the recommended basic support guarantee for the Esmeralda School District may be reduced because of this increase in enrollment; and

WHEREAS, It is estimated that the Esmeralda School District basic support guarantee will decrease while all other school districts will have an increase in the basic support guarantee; now, therefore,

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. A school district shall not receive a basic support guarantee for the school year beginning July 1, 1975, and ending June 30,

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SENATE BILL NO. 157—COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

FEBRUARY 5, 1975

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Makes appropriation to health division of department of human resources to provide moneys for emergency medical services training and purchase of ambulances for rural areas of state. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-855)



EXPLANATION—Matter in italics is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making an appropriation to the health division of the department of human resources to provide moneys for emergency medical services training and purchase of ambulances for rural areas of the state; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund in the state treasury to the health division of the department of human resources the sum of \$79,000 for the purpose of emergency medical services training and the sum of \$21,000 for the purchase of ambulances for rural areas of the state.

SEC. 2. After June 30, 1977, the unexpended balance of the appropriation made in section 1 shall not be encumbered or committed for expenditure and shall revert to the general fund in the state treasury.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.

SENATE BILL NO. 180-COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

FEBRUARY 11, 1975

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Makes appropriation to division of travel and tourism of department of economic development. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-874)

EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making an appropriation to the division of travel and tourism of the department of economic development to implement an advertising campaign to attract tourists to Nevada; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund in the state treasury to the division of travel and tourism of the department of economic development the sum of \$200,000 to implement an advertising campaign to attract tourists to Nevada.

tising campaign to attract tourists to Nevada.

SEC. 2. After June 30, 1977, the unexpended balance of the appropriation made in section 1 shall not be encumbered or committed for expenditure and shall revert to the general fund in the state treasury.

SEC. 3. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.

SENATE BILL NO. 15—COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

JANUARY 22, 1975

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Subsidizes school districts that have pupils in their schools systems who reside in other school districts. Fiscal Note: Yes. (BDR 34-240)



EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to school pupils; providing for the payment of a subsidy to each school district for each pupil in its school system who resides in another school district within this state; prohibiting tuition payments between school districts in Nevada; making an appropriation; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 392 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section which shall read as follows:

1. The sum of \$200 shall be paid by the state department of education to each school district for each pupil attending school in that school district who resides in any other school district within the state. The \$200 shall be paid for each year or major portion thereof in which the pupil attends public school in the school district outside the county of his residence.

9 2. The state department of education shall establish the necessary 10 procedure and forms for control and accountability of all payments 11 made under subsection 1.

SEC. 2. NRS 392.010 is hereby amended to read as follows:

392.010 1. The board of trustees of any school district may, with

the approval of the state department of education:

(a) Admit to the school or schools of the school district any pupil or pupils living in a adjoining school district any other school district within this state or in an adjoining state when the school district of residence in the adjoining state adjoins the receiving Nevada school district; or

(b) Pay tuition for pupils residing in the school district but who attend school in an adjoining school district within this state or in an adjoining state when the receiving district in the adjoining state adjoins the school district of Novada residence.

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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 264—ASSEMBLYMEN MURPHY, BROOK—MAN, PRICE, MANN, BREMNER, HARMON, VERGIELS, COULTER AND BENKOVICH

FEBRUARY 14, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes appropriation to bureau of services to the blind in rehabilitation division of department of human resources for purpose of constructing and equipping vending stands to be operated by blind persons. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-875)



EXPLANATION—Matter in italics is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making an appropriation to the bureau of services to the blind in the rehabilitation division of the department of human resources for the purpose of constructing and equipping vending stands to be operated by blind persons; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund in the state treasury to the bureau of services to the blind in the rehabilitation division of the department of human resources the sum of \$100,000 for the purpose of constructing and equipping vending stands to be operated by blind persons, pursuant to NRS 426.630 to 426.720, inclusive. Sec. 2. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 43—ASSEMBLYMEN GLOVER AND JACOBSEN

JANUARY 27, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes supplemental appropriation for payment of additional taxes due to Carson City under subsection 4 of NRS 361.055. Fiscal Note: Yes. (BDR S-535)

EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making a supplemental appropriation from the state general fund for payment of additional taxes due to Carson City under subsection 4 of NRS 361.055.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1975, there is hereby appropriated from the state general fund the sum of \$35,395 to the state board of examiners for full payment by the state board of examiners of taxes due Carson City under subsection 4 of NRS 361.055 for the fiscal year 1974—75, as a supplemental appropriation to that allowed and made by sections 58, 59 and 60 of chapter 769, Statutes of Nevada 1973.

SEC. 2. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 251—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

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FEBRUARY 13, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes appropriation to central data processing division of department of general services to implement payroll and personnel data system. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-839)

EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making an appropriation to the central data processing division of the department of general services to implement a payroll and personnel data system; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund in the state treasury to the central data processing division of the department of general services the sum of \$120,000 to implement a payroll and personnel data system.

SEC. 2. After June 30, 1977, the unexpended balance of the appropriation made in section 1 shall not be encumbered or committed for expenditure and shall revert to the general fund in the state treasury.

Sec. 3. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.

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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 111—ASSEMBLYMEN BENNETT, LOWMAN AND CHANEY

JANUARY 29, 1975

Referred to Concurrent Committees on Health and Welfare and Ways and Means

SUMMARY-Abolishes state welfare fund and welfare research fund. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 38-150)



EXPLANATION—Matter in italics is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the welfare division of the department of human resources; abolishing the state welfare fund and the welfare research fund; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. NRS 422.240 is hereby amended to read as follows: 422.240 1. Funds to carry out the provisions of this chapter shall be provided by appropriation by the legislature from the general fund. The money so appropriated shall be deposited in a fund to be known as the state welfare fund in the state treasury.]

2. Disbursements for the purposes of this chapter shall be made upon claims duly filed, audited and allowed in the same manner as other mon-

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eys in the state treasury are disbursed.

SEC. 2. NRS 422.275 is hereby amended to read as follows:

422.275 1. The attorney general and his duly appointed assistants and deputies shall be legal advisers for the welfare division.

In order to compensate the office of the attorney general for services rendered, the welfare division shall, on or before the 1st day of each month, authorize the state controller to draw his warrant in favor of the state treasurer in an amount budgeted for that purpose, such sum of money to be taken from the [state welfare] welfare administration account in the general fund. The state treasurer shall place such sum of money in the salary fund of the office of the attorney general to be used to pay partially for the services of the office of the attorney general. The deputy attorney general assigned as the legal adviser for the welfare division shall receive an annual salary in the amount specified in NRS 284.182.

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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 110—ASSEMBLYMEN BENNETT, LOWMAN AND CHANEY

JANUARY 29, 1975

Referred to Concurrent Committees on Health and Welfare and Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Modifies fund structure in program of state aid to medically indigent by deleting requirement of Title XIX fund in state treasury. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 38-156)

EXPLANATION—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to fund structure in program of state aid to the medically indigent; deleting the requirement of having a Title XIX fund in the state treasury.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

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SECTION 1. NRS 428.360 is hereby amended to read as follows: 428.360 Moneys appropriated [for the purposes of NRS 428.150 to 428.370, inclusive, or] by the legislature, moneys received from the United States pursuant to Title XIX of the Social Security Act and moneys received from the counties pursuant to NRS 428.370 shall be [deposited in the Title XIX fund, which is hereby created in the state treasury, and all] used for expenses of administration and provision of medical or remained actions shall be paid from such fund.] NRS 428.150 to 428.370, inclusive.

SEC. 2. NRS 428.370 is hereby amended to read as follows: 428.370 1. During each fiscal year, commencing July 1, 1969, each county shall pay to the state a sum of money equal to the amount produced by the county's annual levy of 11 cents ad valorem tax on each \$100 of assessed valuation of taxable property in the county.

2. The remittance required by subsection 1 shall be made at least quarterly to the state treasurer. [, who shall deposit the same in the Title XIX fund.]

SENATE BILL NO. 328—COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

March 11, 1975

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY-Provides for reversion of unexpended money in senior citizens' property tax assistance fund to state general fund. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 32-1218)



EXPLANATION—Matter in italics is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the Senior Citizens' Property Tax Assistance Act; providing that unexpended moneys in the senior citizens' property tax assistance fund shall revert to the state general fund; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. NRS 361.853 is hereby amended to read as follows: 361.853 1. Funds to carry out the provisions of NRS 361.800 to 361.877, inclusive, shall be provided by legislative appropriation from the general fund in the state treasury. The moneys so appropriated shall be deposited in the senior citizens' property tax assistance fund.

2. All refunds shall be made by warrants drawn by the state con-

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troller upon the senior citizens' property tax assistance fund.

3. Any unexpended funds remaining in the senior citizens' property tax assistance fund after all claims have been paid shall [remain in such fund and shall not revert to the general fund. I revert to the state general fund.

4. Refunds shall be mailed to the claimant on or before the 1st Monday in November following receipt by the commission of the claim. If the secretary of the commission authorizes a late filing of a claim, the refund shall be mailed not later than 30 days after receipt of such claim by the commission.

5. The secretary of the commission shall obtain from the state controller a statement of the balance in the senior citizens' property tax assistance fund on September 1 of each year. The secretary shall provide for full refunds of all just claims under the provisions of NRS 361.833, provided that the total amount of such claims does not exceed the September 1 fund balance. The secretary shall proportionately reduce each claim when the total amount of all claims exceeds the September 1 fund balance.

ASSEMBY BILL NO. 207—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

FEBRUARY 4, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes appropriations to stale claims fund account. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-774)

EXPLANATION—Matter in *Italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making appropriations from the general fund and the state highway fund in the state treasury to the stale claims fund account.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to the stale claims fund account created pursuant to NRS 353.097:

1. From the general fund in the state treasury the sum of \$43,349;

2. From the state highway fund in the state treasury the sum of \$605;
3. From the general fund in the state treasury the sum of \$50,000,

6 in order to increase the balance of the stale claims fund account.

SEC. 2. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 208—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

FEBRUARY 4, 1975

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Makes appropriation to emergency fund account. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR S-773)

Explanation—Matter in *italics* is new; matter in brackets [] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT making an appropriation from the general fund to the emergency fund account.

The People of the State of Nevada, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated from the general fund in the state treasury the sum of \$39,999 to the emergency fund account created pursuant to NRS 353.263.

Sec. 2. This act shall become effective upon passage and approval.