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SENATE LEGISLATIVE FUNCTIONS COMMITTEE

MAY 16, 1975-1:00 P.M.

The eighteenth meeting of the Senate Legislative Functions Committee was called to order.

Chairman Warren Monroe was in the Chair.

PRESENT: Chairman Warren Monroe Senator James Gibson Senator Mahlon Brown Senator Gene Echols Senator Cliff Young

ACTION WAS TAKEN ON THE FOLLOWING BILLS:

<u>AB 767</u> <u>Revises and clarifies powers and functions of the</u> legislative counsel bureau.

After discussion,

Senator Gibson moved "DO PASS" Seconded by Senator Brown Motion carried unanimously.

ACR 71 Directs legislative commission to study question of permitting private insurance carriers to write coverage under Nevada's workmen's compensation laws.

After consideration,

Senator Brown moved "HOLD" Seconded by Senator Gibson Motion carried unanimously.

ACR 74 Directs legislative commission interim study of consumer credit regulation.

Senator Young moved "HOLD" Seconded by Senator Gibson Motion carried unanimously.

ACR 77 Directs the legislative commission to study pretrial release systems.

Senator Gibson moved "HOLD" Seconded by Senator Brown Motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, Chairman Monroe adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Beth Juilici Beth Quilici, Secretary

APPROVED:

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SENATOR WARREN "SNOWY" MONROE, CHAIRMAN

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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 767—ASSEMBLYMAN JACOBSEN

MAY 2, 1975

Referred to Committee on Legislative Functions

SUMMARY-Revises and clarifies powers and functions of the legislative counsel bureau. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 17-1864)

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

AN ACT relating to the state legislature; clarifying certain duties of the director of the legislative counsel bureau with respect to publications; clarifying the duties of the legislative counsel with respect to the preparation of legislative measures; imposing a new bill drafting request deadline for executive agencies; emphasizing the confidential position of the legislative counsel bureau in handling legis-lative requests; placing fiscal note responsibility with the fiscal analyst; removing the director as a division chief; clarifying work priority during the legislative interim; clarifying the functions and powers of the legislative commission; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

SECTION 1. NRS 218.120 is hereby amended to read as follows: 218.120 1. The director of the legislative counsel bureau shall keep on hand for the exclusive use of the legislature when in session [50] 5 copies of each volume of the Nevada Reports heretofore published.

2. No copy of any such volumes shall be taken from the office of the legislative counsel bureau until the person desiring the use of the same has deposited his written receipt therefor with the legislative counsel bureau.

3. All copies of Nevada Reports so taken from the office of the legis-9 10 lative counsel bureau shall be returned on or before the last day of any regular or special session of the legislature. If any person fails to return the 11 reports he shall be liable for the value thereof, together with the costs of 12 13 suit, to be recovered by suit in the name of the State of Nevada in any 14 court of competent jurisdiction. .15

SEC. 2. NRS 218.240 is hereby amended to read as follows:

16 218.240 1. The legislative counsel and the legal division of the legislative counsel bureau shall prepare and assist in the preparation and 17 amendment of legislative measures when requested or upon suggestion as 18 provided in NRS 218.240 to 218.260, inclusive, and section 1 of [this 19 act.] Assembly Bill 267 of the 58th session of the Nevada legislature. 20

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