

SENATE TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF MEETING
Monday, February 24, 1975

The fifth meeting of the Transportation Committee was called to order on Monday, February 24, 1975 at 1:00 p.m.

Senator Helen Herr was in the Chair

PRESENT: Chairman Herr
Vice Chairman Warren Monroe
Senator Mary Gojack
Senator Jack Schofield
Senator Joe Neal
Senator William Raggio

ABSENT: Senator Richard Blakemore

ALSO PRESENT: Bill Parsons, Nev. Fish & Game Department
Glen Griffith, Nev. Fish & Game Department
Terry Weaver, Leg. Intern - Senator Raggio
Ted Enoch, V.P. Schofield Develop. Corporation

ACTION WAS THEN TAKEN ON THE FOLLOWING BILLS:

SB 119 Increases fees, changes notification requirements and makes other revisions in Nevada Boat Act. *

Mr. Parsons and Mr. Griffith of the Nevada Fish and Game Department testified as to the purpose of the bill and explained changes that had been proposed for amendment. After thorough discussion of all amendments throughout the bill, Senator Herr asked that the committee wait until later in the meeting for a vote on the measure.

SB 131 Allows use of certain moneys for administration and enforcement of Nevada Boat Act. *

Mr. Parsons and Mr. Griffith testified as to the purpose of the bill. They did have an amendment to the bill which was: Section 1, Sub-section 3, to delete (d) and insert instead: Any expenses which may be necessary for the administration and enforcement of Chapter 488 of NRS (Nevada Boat Act) in an amount equal to the interest derived from moneys received pursuant to NRS 365.535, 488.075 and 488.1793.

Senator Herr requested that they submit a statement explaining what NRS 365.535, 488.075 and 488.1793 pertain to, so that the Committee members would have this information when the bill came to the floor of the Senate for vote.

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SB 131 (Continued)

Mr. Parsons said that he would send this statement to Senator Herr as soon as a possible.

Senator Neal moved DO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.
Senator Raggio seconded the motion
Motion carried unanimously.

SB 119 (Continued)

Senator Herr asked if anyone had a motion regarding SB 119. It was decided that each amendment would be voted upon separately.

Senator Raggio moved that in Section 7, Subsection 2 (Page 3) line 27, and Subsection 14, (Page 5), lines 19 through 22, be amended by deleting brackets and bill would read as it presently does.
Senator Monroe seconded the motion.
All voted aye except Senator Gojack who voted nay.

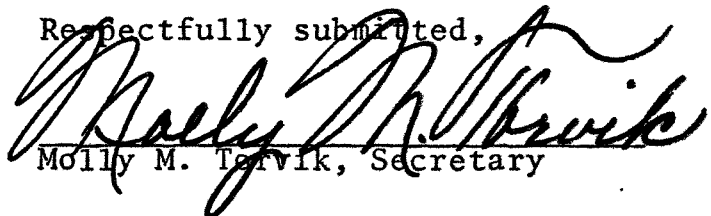
Senator Raggio moved that Section 8, Subsection 2 (Page 5) lines 36 and 37, be amended by deleting brackets and bill would read as it presently does.
Senator Schofield seconded the motion.
All voted nay except Senator Raggio and Senator Schofield.

Senator Raggio moved that all brackets be removed from Sections 9 and 10 and bill would read as it presently does.
Senator Monroe seconded the motion.
Motion carried unanimous.

Senator Neal then moved DO PASS WITH A-MENDMENTS.
Senator Monroe seconded the motion.
All voted aye with the exception of Senator Raggio who voted nay.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned until Wednesday, February 26, 1975 at 12:00 noon.

Respectfully submitted,


Molly M. Tarvik, Secretary

APPROVED:


Senator Helen Herr, Chairman

*Copy of bill attached.

SENATE BILL NO. 119—COMMITTEE
ON TRANSPORTATION

JANUARY 30, 1975

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Increases fees, changes notification requirements and makes other revisions in Nevada Boat Act. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 43-257)

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

AN ACT relating to the Nevada Boat Act; increasing fees charged for certificates; changing time allowed for notification of ownership change; requiring fire extinguishers on racing boats; requiring observer when vessel is towing water skier on any waters and restricting towing hours; eliminating sheriffs and peace officers other than game wardens as enforcers of the Nevada Boat Act; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. NRS 488.075 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 488.075 1. The owner of each motorboat requiring numbering by
3 this state shall file an application for number and for a certificate of
4 ownership with the department on forms approved by it accompanied
5 by proof of payment of Nevada sales or use tax as evidenced by proof
6 of sale by a Nevada dealer or by a certificate of use tax paid issued by
7 the Nevada tax commission, or by proof of exemption from such taxes
8 as provided in NRS 372.320, and by such evidence of ownership as the
9 department may require. The department shall not issue a number, a
10 certificate of number or a certificate of ownership until such evidence is
11 presented to it.
12 2. The application shall be signed by the owner of the motorboat
13 and shall be accompanied by a fee of ~~[\$3]~~ \$5 for the certificate of num-
14 ber and a fee of ~~[\$3]~~ \$5 for the certificate of ownership. All fees received
15 by the department under the provisions of this chapter shall be deposited
16 in the fish and game fund and shall be expended only for the admin-
17 istration and enforcement of the provisions of this chapter. Upon receipt
18 of the application in approved form, the department shall:
19 (a) Enter the same upon the records of its office and issue to the
20 applicant a certificate of number stating the number awarded to the
21 motorboat, a certificate of ownership stating the same information and
22 the name and address of the registered owner and the legal owner.

SENATE BILL NO. 131—COMMITTEE
ON TRANSPORTATION

JANUARY 30, 1975

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Allows use of certain moneys for administration and enforcement of Nevada Boat Act. Fiscal Note: No. (BDR 45-565)



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

AN ACT relating to fish and game administration; allowing the use of certain moneys for the administration and enforcement of the Nevada Boat Act.

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

- 1 SECTION 1. NRS 501.358 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 501.358 1. The fish and game reserve fund is hereby created. Such
3 fund shall consist of the interest paid on deposits made pursuant to the
4 provisions of subsection 2 of NRS 501.356, which interest shall be trans-
5 ferred annually between June 1 and July 31 to the fish and game reserve
6 fund until such fund totals \$150,000, and thereafter as may be necessary
7 to maintain the reserve fund at \$150,000. The interest paid on such
8 deposits above the amount necessary to maintain the reserve fund at
9 \$150,000 shall be transferred annually between June 1 and July 31 to
10 the fish and game fund.
11 2. The moneys in the fish and game reserve fund shall be deposited
12 at interest, with the written approval of the state board of finance, in any
13 state or national bank or banks or savings associations in the State of
14 Nevada.
15 3. Moneys in the fish and game reserve fund may be expended at
16 such times and in such amounts as may be necessary for:
17 (a) The acquisition of lands, water rights, easements and other prop-
18 erty to be used for wildlife management.
19 (b) Any expenses which may be necessary for the propagation, pro-
20 tection, restoration, introduction and transplanting of wildlife in or into
21 this state.
22 (c) The financing of any emergency measures which may be necessary
23 for the protection, management and propagation of wildlife in this state.
24 (d) *The payment of expenses incurred in the administration and*
25 *enforcement of the provisions of chapter 488 of NRS (Nevada Boat*

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1 ~~Act), but total expenditures for this purpose shall not exceed the total~~
2 ~~interest earned on moneys received pursuant to the provisions of NRS~~
3 ~~365.535, 488.075 and 488.1793.~~

4 4. No moneys in the fish and game reserve fund shall be transferred
5 to the general fund in the state treasury at any time.

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(d) Any expenses which may be necessary for the administration and enforcement of chapter 488 of NRS (Nevada Boat Act) in an amount equal to the interest derived from moneys received pursuant to NRS 365.535, 488.075 and 488.1793.