Assembly Committee on Date: May 2, 1979

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MEMBERS PRESENT

Chairman Hickey Vice Chairman Price

Mr. Dini

Mr. Getto

Mr. Marvel

Mr. Tanner

MEMBERS EXCUSED

Mr. Chaney

Mr. Mann

Mr. Fielding

GUESTS PRESENT

John Humphrey, Nevada Sheep Commission DeLoyd Satterthwaite, Nevada Wool Growers Assn. Gracian N. Uhalde, Nevada Wool Growers Assn.

Chairman Hickey called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m. The first bill to be discussed was

A.B. 796 - Makes various changes in law relating to taxation of sheep.

Mr. John Humphrey, Commissioner, Nevada State Sheep Commission, said the Commission has no objection to A.B. 796 except for lines 13, 14 and 15, page 1, which they would like to have deleted. He explained that all money in the Sheep Commission fund is derived by a direct tax on sheep only and those lines would restrict their funds.

Mr. DeLoyd Satterthwaite, Nevada Wool Growers Association, said that he had requested the bill so that the tax would be raised from 8 to 18 cents per head on sheep. He did not request lines 13, 14 and 15 and also feels they should be deleted. Mr. Satterthwaite explained that the tax was levied only on members of the Wool Growers Association and in order for the association to survive the tax should be increased as requested in A.B. 796.

Mr. Gracian Uhalde, President of Nevada Wool Growers Association, concurred with Mr. Satterthwaite's statements. He said that with the decline in the number of sheep this tax increase was necessary.

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COMMITTEE ACTION

A.B. 796 - Mr. Tanner moved to amend by deleting lines 13, 14 and 15 on page 1. Seconded by Mr. Getto and carried. (Mr. Getto to obtain amendment)

Mr. Getto moved Do Pass as Amended. Seconded by Mr. Tanner and carried.

A.B. 745 - Chairman Hickey presented amendments, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit A.

Mr. Dini moved to adopt the amendments, <u>Exhibit A</u>. Seconded by Mr. Marvel and carried.

Mr. Dini moved Do Pass as Amended. Seconded by Mr. Tanner and carried.

Chairman Hickey adjourned the meeting at 5:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Dunne Assembly Attache

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SEMBLY ACTION	SENATE ACTION	Assembly AMENDMENT BLANK
Adopted	Adopted Lost Date: Initial: Concurred in Not concurred in Date: Initial:	AMENDMENTS to Assembly Joint Bill No. 745 Resolution No. BDR 50-1670 Proposed by Committee on Agriculture
Amendment N	. 874	

Amend section 1, page 1, by deleting lines 1 and 2 and inserting:

"Section 1. NRS 575.020 is hereby amended to read as follows:

575.020 1. Every person having the care or custody of any
animal known to possess any vicious or dangerous tendencies, who

[shall allow the same] allows it to escape or run at large in any
place or manner liable to endanger the safety of any person,

[shall be] is guilty of a misdemeanor.

- 2. Any person may lawfully and without liability for damages kill such an animal when reasonably necessary to protect his own safety or the public safety [.] , or if the animal chases, worries, injures or kills his livestock on the land of any person other than that of the owner of the animal.
- 3. Every person having the care or custody of an animal which chases, worries, injures or kills the livestock of another on land other than his own is liable to the owner of the livestock for damage to it.

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4. As used in this section, "livestock" means all animals of the bovine, caprine, equine, ovine and porcine species, and all domesticated fowl and rabbits.".

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sections 2 through 5 and renumbering section 6 as section 2.

Amend section 6, page 2, line 18, by deleting " $\underline{3}$ " and inserting "1".

Amend the title of the bill to read as follows:

"AN ACT relating to animals; providing for liability of owners of dangerous animals which injure or kill livestock in certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.".

EXHIBIT A __

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