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ALTERNATIVE No. 1

1. Amend section 1 of the bill to read as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 281 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

A complaint alleging misconduct of an appointed public officer or a public employee must be submitted to the appointing authority of the public officer or the employer of the employee, as applicable, in writing and must be verified in the manner provided for the verification of pleadings in civil actions as set forth in NRS 15.010. A person filing a complaint pursuant to this section is subject to the penalties of perjury only if he knowingly makes a false or fraudulent statement in the complaint.

ALTERNATIVE No. 2

2. Amend section 1 of the bill to read as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 281 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

A complaint alleging misconduct of ~~an appointed public officer or a public employee~~ a peace officer must be submitted to the ~~appointing authority of the public officer~~ peace officer or the employer of the employee, ~~as applicable,~~ peace officer, in writing and must be verified in the manner provided for the verification of pleadings in civil actions as set forth in NRS 15.010. A person filing a complaint pursuant to this section is subject to the penalties of perjury only if he knowingly makes a false or fraudulent statement in the complaint.

ALTERNATIVE No. 3

2. Delete sections 1 and 2 of the bill and amend NRS 199.325 as follows:

199.325 1. A person who knowingly files a false or fraudulent written complaint or allegation of misconduct against a ~~peace officer~~ public officer or a public employee for conduct in the course and scope of his employment is guilty of a misdemeanor.

2. As used in this section: , "~~peace officer~~" has the meaning ascribed to it in ~~NRS 289.010.~~

(a) "Public employee" means any person who performs public duties for compensation paid by the state, a county, city, local government or other political subdivision of the state or an agency thereof.

(b) "Public officer" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 281.005.