
ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 550—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

MAY 22, 2003

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Increases certain fees collected by State Registrar.
(BDR 40-1357)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: No.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to vital statistics; increasing the amount of money that certain persons or governmental organizations must remit to the State Registrar for issuing a certified or official copy of a certificate of birth; requiring those persons or governmental organizations to remit a certain amount to the State Registrar for issuing a certified or official certificate of death; increasing the fees the State Registrar must charge and collect for a certified copy of a record of birth or death; 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 440.175 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 2 440.175 1. Upon request, the State Registrar may furnish
- 3 statistical data to any federal, state, local or other public or private
- 4 agency, upon such terms or conditions as may be prescribed by the
- 5 Board.
- 6 2. No person may prepare or issue any document which
- 7 purports to be an original, certified copy, certified abstract or
- 8 official copy of:
- 9 (a) A certificate of birth, death or fetal death, except as
- 10 authorized in this chapter or by the Board.
- 11 (b) A certificate of marriage, except a county recorder or a
- 12 person so required pursuant to NRS 122.120.



1 (c) A decree of divorce or annulment of marriage, except a
2 county clerk or the judge of a court of record.

3 3. A person or governmental organization which issues
4 certified or official copies pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection 2
5 shall remit to the State Registrar:

6 (a) For each registration of a birth or death in its district, \$2.

7 (b) For each copy issued of a certificate of birth in its district,
8 ~~[\$5.]~~ \$7.

9 (c) *For each copy issued of a certificate of death in its district,*
10 *\$1.*

11 **Sec. 2.** NRS 440.700 is hereby amended to read as follows:

12 440.700 1. The State Registrar shall charge and collect the
13 following fees:

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15	For searching the files for one name, if no copy is	
16	made.....	\$8
17	For verifying a vital record	8
18	For establishing and filing a record of paternity (other	
19	than a hospital-based paternity), and providing a	
20	certified copy of the new record	20
21	For a certified copy of a record of birth	11 13
22	For a certified copy of a record of death.....	9 10
23	For correcting a record on file with the State	
24	Registrar and providing a certified copy of the	
25	corrected record	20
26	For replacing a record on file with the State Registrar	
27	and providing a certified copy of the new record	20
28	For filing a delayed certificate of birth and providing	
29	a certified copy of the certificate	20
30	For the services of a notary public, provided by the	
31	State Registrar.....	2
32	For an index of records of marriage provided on	
33	microfiche to a person other than a county	
34	recorder of a county of this state.....	200
35	For an index of records of divorce provided on	
36	microfiche to a person other than a county	
37	recorder of a county in this state.....	100
38	For compiling data files which require specific	
39	changes in computer programming.....	200
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41 2. The fee collected for furnishing a copy of a certificate of
42 birth or death includes the sum of \$3 for credit to the Children's
43 Trust Account.



1 3. The fee collected for furnishing a copy of a certificate of
2 death includes the sum of \$1 for credit to the Review of Death of
3 Children Account.

4 4. Upon the request of any parent or guardian, the State
5 Registrar shall supply, without the payment of a fee, a certificate
6 limited to a statement as to the date of birth of any child as disclosed
7 by the record of such birth when the certificate is necessary for
8 admission to school or for securing employment.

9 5. The United States Bureau of the Census may obtain, without
10 expense to the State, transcripts or certified copies of births and
11 deaths without payment of a fee.

