

SENATE BILL NO. 34—COMMITTEE ON HUMAN
RESOURCES AND FACILITIES

(ON BEHALF OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON
EDUCATION (NRS 218.5352))

PREFILED JANUARY 30, 2003

Referred to Committee on Human Resources and Facilities

SUMMARY—Clarifies that pupil may be retained more than
once in same grade under certain circumstances.
(BDR 34-639)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: Yes.
Effect on the State: Yes.

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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 pupils; clarifying that a pupil may be retained
more than once in the same grade under certain
circumstances; 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 392.125 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 392.125 1. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 4,
3 before any pupil enrolled in a public school may be retained in the
4 same grade rather than promoted to the next higher grade for the
5 succeeding school year, the pupil's teacher and principal must make
6 a reasonable effort to arrange a meeting and to meet with his parents
7 or guardian to discuss the reasons and circumstances.
8 2. The teacher and the principal in joint agreement have the
9 final authority to retain a pupil in the same grade for the succeeding
10 school year.
11 3. ~~[No]~~ *Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2 of NRS*
12 *392.033 for the promotion of a pupil to high school, no* pupil may
13 be retained more than one time in the same grade.



- 1 4. This section does not apply to the academic retention of
- 2 pupils who are enrolled in a charter school.
- 3 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2003.

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