

Amendment No. 779

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 156	(BDR 34-823)
Proposed by: Committee on Finance	
Amendment Box:	
Resolves Conflicts with: N/A	
Amends: Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

Adoption of this amendment will REMOVE all appropriations from S.B. 156.

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Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sections 1 through 6, renumbering sec. 7 as sec. 2, and adding a new section designated section 1, following the enacting clause, to read as follows:

“**Section 1.** The Legislature hereby encourages the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada to:

1. Establish within the College of Agriculture of the University of Nevada, Reno, a program of agronomy, horticulture, landscape ecology, and design and plant sciences;
2. Offer a bachelor of science degree in those areas;
3. In addition to offering courses in those areas at the University of Nevada, Reno, offer courses in those areas at the Community College of Southern Nevada, other campuses within the University

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S.B. No. 156—Provides for establishment of program of agronomy, horticulture, landscape ecology, and design and plant sciences within University and Community College System of Nevada.

and Community College System of Nevada and through distance education, as determined appropriate by the Board of Regents; and

4. Submit a report to the 74th Session of the Nevada Legislature regarding the status of any action the Board of Regents has taken to establish a program of agronomy, horticulture, landscape ecology, and design and plant sciences in accordance with this section.”.

Amend the title of the bill to read as follows:

“AN ACT relating to higher education; encouraging the Board of Regents to establish a program of agronomy, horticulture, landscape ecology, and design and plant sciences within the College of Agriculture of the University of Nevada, Reno; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.”.

Amend the summary of the bill to read as follows:

“SUMMARY—Encourages establishment of program of agronomy, horticulture, landscape ecology, and design and plant sciences within College of Agriculture of University of Nevada, Reno. (BDR S-823)”.

**If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative
Counsel's Digest will be changed to read as follows:**

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law authorizes the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada to prescribe programs of instruction, courses of study and research for the University and Community College System of Nevada. (NRS 396.440)

This bill encourages the Board of Regents to establish a program of agronomy, horticulture, landscape ecology, and design and plant sciences within the College of Agriculture of the University of Nevada, Reno.