Senate Bill No. 501–Committee on Finance

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AN ACT making appropriations relating to various nonprofit and governmental entities for specified purposes; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

EXPLANATION - Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee the sum of \$1,000,000 for allocation pursuant to subsection 2 to the nonprofit corporation formed to relocate the National Atomic Testing Museum in Las Vegas, Nevada, upon a showing to the Committee:

(a) That the corporation has been incorporated under the laws of this State as a nonprofit corporation; and

(b) That the purpose of the corporation is to relocate the National Atomic Testing Museum in Las Vegas, Nevada.

2. Allocation of the money appropriated by subsection 1 is contingent upon matching money being obtained by the nonprofit corporation described in subsection 1, including, without limitation, gifts, grants and donations to the nonprofit corporation from private and public sources of money other than the appropriation made by subsection 1. The Interim Finance Committee shall not direct the transfer of any portion of money from the appropriation made by subsection 1 until the nonprofit corporation submits to the Committee proof satisfactory to the Committee that matching money in an equivalent amount has been committed.

3. Upon acceptance of the money allocated pursuant to subsection 2, the nonprofit corporation agrees to:

(a) Prepare and transmit a report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before December 18, 2020, that describes each expenditure made from the money allocated pursuant to subsection 2 from the date on which the money was received by the nonprofit corporation through December 1, 2020;

(b) Prepare and transmit a final report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before September 17, 2021, that describes each expenditure made from the money allocated pursuant to subsection 2 from the date on which the money was received by the nonprofit corporation through June 30, 2021; and

(c) Upon request of the Legislative Commission, make available to the Legislative Auditor any of the books, accounts, claims,



reports, vouchers or other records of information, confidential or otherwise, of the nonprofit corporation, regardless of their form or location, that the Legislative Auditor deems necessary to conduct an audit of the use of the money allocated pursuant to subsection 2.

4. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

Sec. 2. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Reno Rodeo Association the sum of \$1,000,000 for the advance planning and schematic design phases on a master plan to rehabilitate, repair, renovate and improve the Reno-Sparks Livestock Events Center.

2. Upon acceptance of the money appropriated by subsection 1, the Reno Rodeo Association agrees to:

(a) Prepare and transmit a report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before December 18, 2020, that describes each expenditure made from the money appropriated by subsection 1 from the date on which the money was received by the Reno Rodeo Association through December 1, 2020;

(b) Prepare and transmit a final report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before September 17, 2021, that describes each expenditure made from the money appropriated by subsection 1 from the date on which the money was received by Reno Rodeo Association through June 30, 2021; and

(c) Upon request of the Legislative Commission, make available to the Legislative Auditor any of the books, accounts, claims, reports, vouchers or other records of information, confidential or otherwise, of the Reno Rodeo Association, regardless of their form or location, that the Legislative Auditor deems necessary to conduct an audit of the use of the money appropriated by subsection 1.

3. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

Sec. 3. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee the sum of \$500,000 for allocation to the International Gaming Institute of the William F. Harrah College of Hotel Administration of the University of Nevada, Las Vegas for the Leaderverse Initiative to increase the diversity of leaders in the gaming industry.

2. Allocation of the money appropriated by subsection 1 is contingent upon matching money being obtained by the International Gaming Institute, including, without limitation, gifts, grants and donations to the International Gaming Institute from private and public sources of money other than the appropriation made by subsection 1. The Interim Finance Committee shall not direct the transfer of any portion of money from the appropriation made by subsection 1 until the International Gaming Institute submits to the Committee proof satisfactory to the Committee that matching money in an equivalent amount has been committed.

3. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

Sec. 4. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Nevada State Museum, Las Vegas the sum of \$3,000,000 to provide a grant of money to the Springs Preserve Foundation to be used for the purposes set forth in subsection 2.

2. The Springs Preserve Foundation shall use:

(a) Not more than \$1,000,000 of the grant provided pursuant to subsection 1 for the renovation of the Sustainability Gallery to relocate the Nature Gallery and develop classroom and indoor play spaces for children.

(b) Not more than \$2,000,000 of the grant provided pursuant to subsection 1 for the design of the Science and Sustainability Center to expand exhibit space and construct a large classroom facility.

3. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

Sec. 5. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to Vegas PBS the sum of \$709,150 for the production of episodes and related educational curriculum for the Outdoor Nevada television series.

2. Upon acceptance of the money appropriated by subsection 1, Vegas PBS agrees to:

(a) Prepare and transmit a report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before December 18, 2020, that describes each expenditure made from the money appropriated by subsection 1 from the date on which the money was received by Vegas PBS through December 1, 2020;

(b) Prepare and transmit a final report to the Interim Finance Committee on or before September 17, 2021, that describes each expenditure made from the money appropriated by subsection 1 from the date on which the money was received by Vegas PBS through June 30, 2021; and

(c) Upon request of the Legislative Commission, make available to the Legislative Auditor any of the books, accounts, claims, reports, vouchers or other records of information, confidential or otherwise, of Vegas PBS, regardless of their form or location, that the Legislative Auditor deems necessary to conduct an audit of the use of the money appropriated by subsection 1.

3. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

Sec. 6. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

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