

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—SENATORS
SPEARMAN, PARKS; HARRIS AND SCHEIBLE

FEBRUARY 18, 2019

Referred to the Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

SUMMARY—Directs the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study relating to the use of electric vehicles in this State. (BDR R-779)

~

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Directing the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study relating to the use of electric vehicles in this State.

1 WHEREAS, The use of electric vehicles in the State of Nevada
2 has increased in recent years; and

3 WHEREAS, The maintenance of public roads and highways in
4 the State of Nevada is funded, in part, from revenue generated by
5 fuel taxes; and

6 WHEREAS, Owners of electric vehicles in this State contribute to
7 the wear and tear of public roads and highways without contributing
8 to the revenue generated by fuel taxes; now, therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE
10 ASSEMBLY CONCURRING, That the Legislative Commission is
11 hereby directed to appoint a committee composed of three members
12 of the Assembly and three members of the Senate, one of whom
13 must be appointed by the Legislative Commission as Chair of the
14 committee, to conduct an interim study of the use of electric
15 vehicles within the State of Nevada; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That the interim study must include, without
17 limitation, an examination of:

18 1. The benefits of the use of electric vehicles and how to
19 encourage such use;

20 2. The impact of the use of electric vehicles on maintaining
21 public roads and highways;



1 3. Methods to ensure that owners of electric vehicles in the
2 State of Nevada equitably contribute to the cost to maintain public
3 roads and highways; and

4 4. Any other matters which are deemed relevant to the issue of
5 the use of electric vehicles in this State; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That any recommended legislation proposed by the
7 committee must be approved by a majority of the members of the
8 Senate and a majority of the members of the Assembly appointed to
9 the committee; and be it further

10 RESOLVED, That the Legislative Commission shall submit a
11 report of the results of the study and any recommended legislation to
12 the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature; and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of the Senate prepare and
14 transmit a copy of this resolution to the Director of the Department
15 of Transportation.

