

SENATE BILL NO. 16—COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

(ON BEHALF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION)

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Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Revises provisions relating to the Nevada Commission on Minority Affairs of the Department of Business and Industry. (BDR 18-244)

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 minority affairs; transferring the duty to provide staff assistance to the Nevada Commission on Minority Affairs from the Department of Administration to the Department of Business and Industry; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 Existing law creates the Nevada Commission on Minority Affairs, consisting of
2 nine members appointed by the Legislative Commission, to study matters affecting
3 the social and economic welfare and well-being of minorities residing in Nevada,
4 collect data and perform other related duties. (NRS 232.850-232.866) Under
5 existing law, the Nevada Commission on Minority Affairs is part of the Department
6 of Business and Industry. (NRS 232.510; section 44 of chapter 348, Statutes of
7 Nevada 2007, at page 1676) This bill transfers the duty to provide staff assistance
8 to the Nevada Commission on Minority Affairs from the Director of the
9 Department of Administration to the Director of the Department of Business and
10 Industry. (NRS 232.505, 232.864)

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

1 **Section 1.** NRS 232.864 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 232.864 1. The Director ~~{of the Department of~~
3 ~~Administration}~~ shall provide staff assistance to the Commission as
4 the Governor deems appropriate.



1 2. The Commission may engage the services of volunteer
2 workers and consultants without compensation as is necessary from
3 time to time.

4 **Sec. 2.** 1. Any administrative regulations adopted by an
5 officer, agency or other entity whose name has been changed or
6 whose responsibilities have been transferred pursuant to the
7 provisions of this act to another officer, agency or other entity
8 remain in force until amended by the officer, agency or other entity
9 to which the responsibility for the adoption of the regulations has
10 been transferred.

11 2. Any contracts or other agreements entered into by an officer,
12 agency or other entity whose name has been changed or whose
13 responsibilities have been transferred pursuant to the provisions of
14 this act to another officer, agency or other entity are binding upon
15 the officer, agency or other entity to which the responsibility for the
16 administration of the provisions of the contract or other agreement
17 have been transferred. Such contracts and other agreements may be
18 enforced by the officer, agency or other entity to which the
19 responsibility for the enforcement of the provisions of the contract
20 or other agreement has been transferred.

21 3. Any action taken by an officer, agency or other entity whose
22 name has been changed or whose responsibilities have been
23 transferred pursuant to the provisions of this act to another officer,
24 agency or entity remains in effect as if taken by the officer, agency
25 or other entity to which the responsibility for the enforcement of
26 such actions has been transferred.

27 **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2021.

