ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 169-ASSEMBLYWOMAN TIFFANY

FEBRUARY 9, 1999

Referred to Committee on Elections, Procedures, and Ethics

SUMMARY—Revises provisions governing form for application to register to vote. (BDR 24-869)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No. Effect on the State or on Industrial Insurance: 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 elections; revising the provisions governing the form for an application to register to vote; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

- **Section 1.** NRS 293.507 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 2 293.507 1. The secretary of state shall prescribe:
 - (a) A standard form for applications to register to vote; and
 - (b) A special form for registration to be used in a county where
- registrations are performed and records of registration are kept by computer.
- The county clerks shall provide forms for applications to register to vote to field registrars in the form and number prescribed by the secretary of state.
- 3. A form for an application to register to vote must include a duplicate copy marked as the receipt to be retained by the applicant upon completion of the form.
 - 4. The form for an application to register to vote must include:
- (a) A line [on which to enter the number on] for use by the county clerk to enter the number:
- (1) Indicated on the voter's social security card, driver's license or identification card issued by the department of motor vehicles and public safety [...], or any other identification card issued by an agency of this state or the Federal Government that contains:
 - (I) A unique number; and

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- (II) A photograph or physical description of the voter; or
- (2) Issued to the voter pursuant to subsection 5.
- (b) A line on which to enter the address at which the voter actually resides. The application must not be accepted if the address is listed as a post office box unless a street address has not been assigned to his residence.
- (c) A notice that the voter may not list his address as a business unless he actually resides there.
 - 5. If a voter does not:

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- 10 (a) Possess any of the identification set forth in subparagraph (1) of paragraph (a) of subsection 4; or
- 12 (b) Wish to provide to the county clerk the number indicated on that 13 identification,
- 14 the county clerk shall issue a unique identification number to the voter.
- 15 6. The secretary of state shall adopt regulations to carry out the provisions of subsections 4 and 5.

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