

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 170—ASSEMBLYMAN NOLAN

FEBRUARY 9, 1999

Referred to Committee on Elections, Procedures, and Ethics

SUMMARY—Provides for supplemental allowance to certain legislators who maintain temporary quarters in Carson City during legislative session. (BDR 17-60)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State or on Industrial Insurance: Yes.

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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 the legislature; providing for a supplemental allowance to certain legislators who maintain temporary quarters in Carson City during a legislative session; 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. Chapter 218 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

1. In addition to any payment received pursuant to NRS 218.220, during each regular and special legislative session each senator and assemblyman:

(a) Whose home is more than 50 miles from Carson City; and

(b) Who maintains temporary quarters in or near Carson City for which he has entered into a lease or other agreement for occupancy during a legislative session,

is entitled to receive a supplemental allowance to reimburse the legislator for the cost of additional housing. The supplemental allowance must be paid at the end of each month during the legislative session in the amount set forth in subsection 2 beginning the month of the first day of the legislative session and ending the month of the adjournment sine die of the legislative session, inclusive.

2. The amount of the payment pursuant to subsection 1 is the fair market rent for a one bedroom unit in Carson City as published by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development prorated for the number of days of the month that the senator or assemblyman

1 *actually maintained temporary quarters in or near Carson City. For the*
2 *purposes of this subsection, any day before the first day of the legislative*
3 *session or after the day of the adjournment sine die of the legislative*
4 *session may not be counted as a day for which the senator or*
5 *assemblyman actually maintained temporary quarters in or near Carson*
6 *City.*
7 *3. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 218.644, claims for*
8 *supplemental allowance under the provisions of this section must be*
9 *made as other claims are made against the state, and must be paid from*
10 *the legislative fund.*

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