ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 308—ASSEMBLYMEN GIBBONS, SEGERBLOM, MORTENSON, BERMAN, TIFFANY, HUMKE, VON TOBEL, ANDERSON, CARPENTER, MANENDO, LESLIE, COLLINS, OHRENSCHALL, PRICE, PARKS, BACHE, KOIVISTO, MCCLAIN, GUSTAVSON, BROWER AND ANGLE

FEBRUARY 23, 1999

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

SUMMARY—Requires department of prisons to establish program to use dogs to sniff certain persons entering institution to detect presence of controlled substance. (BDR 16-959)

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 prisons; requiring the department of prisons to establish a program to use dogs to sniff certain persons entering an institution to detect the presence of a controlled substance; 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 209 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto
- 2 a new section to read as follows:
 - 1. The director shall establish a program that provides for each person who enters an institution:
 - (a) Who will have contact with an offender; or
- 6 (b) Who is authorized to go to a location in the prison to which
- 7 offenders have access,
- 8 to be sniffed by a trained dog to detect the presence of a controlled
- 9 substance.
- 10 2. The director may apply for any available grants and accept any
- 11 gifts, grants or donations to assist in the acquisition, training and use of
- 12 the dogs for the program established pursuant to subsection 1.

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