

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 684—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

MAY 12, 1999

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Authorizes commission for the preservation of wild horses to retain balance of appropriation previously made to commission to conduct study of feasibility of establishing private foundation for promotion of public adoption of wild horses and burros. (BDR S-1744)

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 commission for the preservation of wild horses; authorizing the commission to retain the balance of an appropriation previously made to the commission to conduct a study of the feasibility of establishing a private foundation for the promotion of the public adoption of wild horses and burros; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

- 1 **Section 1.** Section 11 of chapter 537, Statutes of Nevada 1997, at
- 2 page 2537, is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 3 **Sec. 11.** 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 4 of
- 4 NRS 504.450, there is hereby appropriated from the state general
- 5 fund to the director's office of the state department of conservation
- 6 and natural resources the following sums for the purposes set forth
- 7 in subsection 2:
- 8 (a) For the fiscal year 1997-98\$75,000
- 9 (b) For the fiscal ~~year 1998-99~~ **years 1998-00** 75,000
- 10 2. The sums appropriated by subsection 1 must be allocated as
- 11 follows ~~for each of the respective fiscal years:~~ :
- 12 (a) **For the fiscal year 1997-98:**

1 For the salaries of the members of the commission for
2 the preservation of wild horses and their expenses for
3 travel in this state and the expenses relating to their
4 participation in seminars, public hearings and field
5 trips to gather information required for the
6 preparation and adoption of the plan required by
7 section 9 of this act.....\$13,500
8 For the salary, benefits and travel and operating
9 expenses of a wildlife staff biologist in the director's
10 office of the state department of conservation and
11 natural resources to assist the commission for the
12 preservation of wild horses in the preparation of the
13 plan required by section 9 of this act61,500

14 ***(b) For the fiscal year 1998-99:***

15 *For the salaries of the members of the commission for*
16 *the preservation of wild horses and their expenses*
17 *for travel in this state and the expenses relating to*
18 *their participation in seminars, public hearings and*
19 *field trips to gather information required for the*
20 *preparation and adoption of the plan required by*
21 *section 9 of this act.....\$13,500*
22 *For the salary, benefits and travel and operating*
23 *expenses of a wildlife staff biologist in the director's*
24 *office of the state department of conservation and*
25 *natural resources to assist the commission for the*
26 *preservation of wild horses in the preparation of the*
27 *plan required by section 9 of this act.....61,500*

28 ***(c) For the fiscal year 1999-00, any balance of the sum***
29 ***appropriated pursuant to paragraph (b) of subsection 1 which has***
30 ***not been committed for expenditure on June 30, 1999, may be***
31 ***expended by the commission for the preservation of wild horses to***
32 ***conduct a study of the feasibility of establishing a private***
33 ***foundation for the promotion of the public adoption of wild***
34 ***horses and burros.***

35 3. Any balance of the ~~{sums}~~ sum appropriated by :

36 ***(a) Paragraph (a) of subsection 1 remaining ~~{at the end of the~~***
37 ***~~respective fiscal years~~ on June 30, 1998, must not be committed***
38 ***for expenditure after ~~{June 30 of the respective fiscal year}~~ that date***
39 ***and reverts to the state general fund as soon as all payments of***
40 ***money committed have been made.***

1 ***(b) Paragraph (b) of subsection 1 remaining on June 30, 2000,***
2 ***must not be committed for expenditure after that date and reverts***
3 ***to the state general fund as soon as all payments of money***
4 ***committed have been made.***

5 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

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