

SENATE BILL NO. 25—SENATOR NEAL

PREFILED JANUARY 21, 1999

Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

SUMMARY—Prohibits refusal to sell fireworks to certain persons. (BDR 52-258)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: Yes.
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 trade regulation; prohibiting the refusal to sell fireworks to certain persons; providing a penalty; 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.** Chapter 597 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a
2 new section to read as follows:
3 **1. A wholesale dealer of fireworks shall not refuse to sell fireworks to**
4 **a buyer if the buyer can satisfactorily demonstrate that:**
5 **(a) He has conformed to all applicable federal, state and local laws**
6 **relating to the purchase, sale, use, storage and possession of such**
7 **fireworks; and**
8 **(b) He has the financial capability to pay for the fireworks with cash, a**
9 **cash equivalent or credit.**
10 **2. A person who violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor.**
11 **Sec. 2.** NRS 244.367 is hereby amended to read as follows:
12 244.367 The board of county commissioners shall have power and
13 jurisdiction in their respective counties to pass ordinances prohibiting,
14 restricting, suppressing or otherwise regulating the sale, use, storage and
15 possession of fireworks, and providing penalties for the violation thereof.
16 **Such an ordinance must not be inconsistent with section 1 of this act.**
17 **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

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