

Assembly Bill No. 175—Committee on Government Affairs

CHAPTER.....

AN ACT relating to highways; requiring the department of transportation to establish along certain highways a system of communication for members of the general public to report emergencies and receive information concerning conditions for driving on those highways; making an appropriation; 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 408.569 is hereby amended to read as follows:

408.569 The department ~~may~~ *shall* establish along ~~the most~~ *one or more* frequently traveled highways of this state a system of ~~telephones~~ *communication* for members of the *general* public to report fires, accidents or other emergencies ~~for~~ *and* to receive information concerning the conditions for driving on certain highways.

Sec. 2. 1. There is hereby appropriated from the state highway fund to the department of transportation the sum of \$500,000 for the establishment and maintenance of an emergency system of call boxes located on Interstate Highway No. 15 from the boundary of the State of California to Lake Mead Drive in Clark County, Nevada.

2. Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after June 30, 2003, and reverts to the state highway fund as soon as all payments of money committed have been made.

Sec. 3. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.