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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 289—COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND LABOR

(ON BEHALF OF DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION—RISK MANAGEMENT)

MARCH 6, 2001

Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

SUMMARY—Expands definition of “police officer” for various purposes relating to industrial injuries, occupational diseases and programs for public employees. (BDR 53-393)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
 Effect on the State: 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 public employees; including the state fire marshal, his assistant and his deputies within the definition of a “police officer” for various purposes relating to industrial injuries, occupational diseases and programs for public employees; 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.** NRS 617.135 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 617.135 “Police officer” includes:
3 1. A sheriff, deputy sheriff, officer of a metropolitan police department
4 or city policeman;
5 2. A chief, inspector, supervisor, commercial officer or trooper of the
6 Nevada highway patrol;
7 3. A chief, investigator or agent of the investigation division of the
8 department of motor vehicles and public safety;
9 4. An officer or investigator of the section for the control of emissions
10 from vehicles of the motor vehicles branch of the department of motor
11 vehicles and public safety;
12 5. An investigator of the division of compliance enforcement of the
13 motor vehicles branch of the department of motor vehicles and public
14 safety;
15 6. A member of the police department of the University and
16 Community College System of Nevada;
17 7. A:
18 (a) Uniformed employee of; or
19 (b) Forensic specialist employed by,



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1 the department of prisons whose position requires regular and frequent
2 contact with the offenders imprisoned and subjects the employee to recall
3 in emergencies;

4 8. A parole and probation officer of the division of parole and
5 probation of the department of motor vehicles and public safety; ~~and~~

6 9. A forensic specialist or correctional officer employed by the
7 division of mental health and development services of the department of
8 human resources at facilities for mentally disordered offenders ~~;~~ ; and

9 *10. The state fire marshal, his assistant and his deputies.*

10 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.

