ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 460-ASSEMBLYMAN PARKS

MARCH 19, 2001

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Revises provisions governing remittance of fees collected by short-term lessors of passenger cars to department of taxation. (BDR 43-589)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.

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Effect on the State: 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 motor vehicles; revising provisions governing the remittance of fees by short-term lessors of passenger cars to the department of taxation; 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 482.313 is hereby amended to read as follows:

482.313 1. Upon the lease of a passenger car by a short-term lessor in this state, the short-term lessor shall charge and collect from the short-term lessee a fee of 6 percent of the total amount for which the passenger car was leased, excluding any taxes or other fees imposed by a governmental entity. The amount of the fee must be indicated in the lease agreement.

2. The fees due from a short-term lessor to the department of taxation pursuant to this subsection are due on the last day of each calendar quarter. On or before [January 31 of each year,] the last day of the month following each calendar quarter, the short-term lessor shall:

(a) File with the department of taxation and the department of motor vehicles and public safety, on a form prescribed by the department of taxation, a report indicating the total amount of:

(1) Fees collected by the short-term lessor during the immediately preceding [year] calendar quarter pursuant to this section; and

(2) Vehicle licensing fees and taxes paid by the short-term lessor during the immediately preceding [year] calendar quarter pursuant to this chapter.

(b) [Remit] Except for the amount of money withheld pursuant to subsection 3, remit to the department of taxation [:



(1) One third off the fees collected by the short-term lessor during the immediately preceding [year] calendar quarter pursuant to this section . [; and

(2) Of the remainder of those fees, any amount in excess of

- 3. A short-term lessor may deduct and withhold from the total fees otherwise due from him an amount equal to the total amount of vehicle licensing fees and taxes paid by the short-term lessor during the immediately preceding [year] calendar quarter pursuant to this chapter [-3.], except that the total amount deducted and withheld by a single
- —3.], except that the total amount deducted and withheld by a single short-term lessor each calendar year must not exceed \$100,000. For the purposes of this subsection, a short-term lessor and all of its subsidiaries and affiliates that share any common ownership shall be deemed to constitute a single short-term lessor.
- 4. The department of taxation shall deposit all money received from short-term lessors pursuant to the provisions of this section with the state treasurer for credit to the state general fund.
- [4.] 5. To ensure compliance with this section, the department of taxation may audit the records of a short-term lessor.
- [5.] 6. The provisions of this section do not limit or affect the payment of any taxes or fees imposed pursuant to the provisions of this chapter.
- [6.] 7. The department of motor vehicles and public safety shall, upon request, provide to the department of taxation any information in its records relating to a short-term lessor that the department of taxation considers necessary to collect the fee required by this section.
- [7.] 8. As used in this section, "vehicle licensing fees and taxes" means:
- (a) The fees paid by a short-term lessor for the registration of, and the issuance of certificates of title for, the passenger cars leased by him; and
- (b) The basic and supplemental governmental services taxes paid by the short-term lessor with regard to those passenger cars.
- **Sec. 2.** Notwithstanding the amendatory provisions of section 1 of this act to the contrary, the reports required and fees due from a short-term lessor for the calendar year 2001 are governed by the provisions of NRS 482.313, as that section existed on December 31, 2001.
 - **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on January 1, 2002.

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