

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 561—COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

(ON BEHALF OF OFFICE OF THE MILITARY  
(NEVADA NATIONAL GUARD))

MARCH 26, 2001

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Authorizes governor to promote adjutant general to grade of lieutenant general under certain circumstances. (BDR 36-567)

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 the state militia; authorizing the governor to promote the adjutant general to the grade of lieutenant general under certain circumstances; 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 412.044 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
2     412.044 1. The governor shall appoint an adjutant general who shall  
3     hold office for a 4-year term or until relieved by reason of resignation,  
4     withdrawal of federal recognition or for cause to be determined by a court-  
5     martial. The current term of an adjutant general shall continue until its  
6     prescribed expiration date while ~~such~~ *the* adjutant general is serving in a  
7     federal active duty status under an order or call by the President of the  
8     United States.  
9     2. To be eligible for appointment to the office of adjutant general, a  
10    person must be an officer of the Nevada National Guard, federally  
11    recognized in the grade of lieutenant colonel or higher, and must have  
12    completed at least 6 years' service in the Nevada National Guard as a  
13    federally recognized officer, 3 years of which must be immediately ~~prior~~  
14    ~~to~~ *before* his appointment.  
15    3. The adjutant general may be appointed in the grade of lieutenant  
16    colonel or higher, but not exceeding that of major general. If appointed in a  
17    lower grade, he may be promoted by the governor to any grade not  
18    exceeding that of ~~major general~~ *lieutenant general, except that the*  
19    *adjutant general may not be promoted to the grade of lieutenant general*



- 1 *unless he has served at least 1 year as adjutant general in the grade of*
- 2 *major general.*
- 3 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

