

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 16—COMMITTEE ON  
GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

MARCH 26, 2001

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Urges certain governmental agencies to post agendas of their public meetings on Internet. (BDR R-1502)

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Urging certain governmental agencies to post agendas of their public meetings on the Internet.

- 1 WHEREAS, The State of Nevada has entered the new millennium, and  
2 new technology is available to improve the way governmental business is  
3 conducted; and  
4 WHEREAS, The Internet provides a faster, more economical and more  
5 effective way for public officials and agencies to communicate and transact  
6 business with the growing number of Nevadans who are “on line”; and  
7 WHEREAS, The State of Nevada and its political subdivisions must take  
8 the lead in making use of this new interactive technology to allow  
9 government to be more efficient, economical, open and responsive to the  
10 residents of this state; and  
11 WHEREAS, The posting of agendas of public meetings is an integral step  
12 in notifying the public of proposed governmental action; now, therefore, be  
13 it  
14 RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE  
15 CONCURRING, That the members of the Nevada Legislature strongly  
16 encourage the use by governmental entities of the Internet to post all  
17 meeting agendas for entities that are subject to the provisions of the Open  
18 Meeting Law pursuant to chapter 241 of the Nevada Revised Statutes,  
19 including, without limitation, the State of Nevada, its political subdivisions  
20 and the University and Community College System of Nevada; and be it  
21 further  
22 RESOLVED, That the Department of Information Technology in  
23 consultation with the Nevada Association of Counties, the Nevada League  
24 of Cities and Municipalities, the Nevada Association of School Boards and  
25 the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada, is hereby requested to  
26 prepare a written report not later than December 1, 2002, summarizing the  
27 methods being used in Nevada to achieve the goal to post on the Internet  
28 agendas for all public meetings, identifying any legislation that is



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1 necessary to resolve any apparent obstacles to full implementation of the  
2 goal and estimating the date upon which the goal will be fully  
3 implemented; and be it further  
4 RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and transmit  
5 a copy of this resolution to the Department of Administration for  
6 transmittal to all state agencies, to the Nevada Association of Counties for  
7 transmittal to all county agencies, to the Nevada League of Cities and  
8 Municipalities for transmittal to all city and town agencies, to the Nevada  
9 Association of School Boards for transmittal to all school boards in this  
10 state, and to the Board of Regents of the University of Nevada.

