

SENATE BILL NO. 35—COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

PREFILED JANUARY 24, 2001

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

SUMMARY—Increases maximum monthly amount that parent may be required to pay for support of child. (BDR 11-1104)

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 child support; increasing the maximum monthly amount that a parent may be required to pay for support of a child; 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 125B.070 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 125B.070 1. As used in this section and NRS 125B.080, unless the
3 context otherwise requires:
4 (a) “Gross monthly income” means the total amount of income from
5 any source of a wage-earning employee or the gross income from any
6 source of a self-employed person, after deduction of all legitimate business
7 expenses, but without deduction for personal income taxes, contributions
8 for retirement benefits, contributions to a pension or for any other personal
9 expenses.
10 (b) “Obligation for support” means the amount determined according to
11 the following schedule:
12 (1) For one child, 18 percent;
13 (2) For two children, 25 percent;
14 (3) For three children, 29 percent;
15 (4) For four children, 31 percent; and
16 (5) For each additional child, an additional 2 percent,
17 of a parent’s gross monthly income, but not more than ~~\$500~~ **\$785** per
18 month per child for an obligation for support determined pursuant to
19 subparagraphs (1) to (4), inclusive, unless the court sets forth findings of
20 fact as to the basis for a different amount pursuant to subsection 6 of NRS
21 125B.080.

1 2. On or before January 18, 1993, and on or before the third Monday
2 in January every 4 years thereafter, the State Bar of Nevada shall review
3 the formulas set forth in this section to determine whether any
4 modifications are advisable and report to the legislature their findings and
5 any proposed amendments.

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