

SENATE BILL NO. 415—SENATORS TITUS, AMODEI, CARLTON  
AND SCHNEIDER

MARCH 19, 2001

Referred to Committee on Transportation

SUMMARY—Requires Legislative Auditor to conduct audit of Department of Transportation and Board of Directors of Department. (BDR S-964)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.  
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 the Department of Transportation; requiring the Legislative Auditor to conduct an audit of the Department of Transportation and the Board of Directors of the Department; 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.** 1. The Legislative Auditor shall conduct an audit of the  
2 Department of Transportation and the Board of Directors of the  
3 Department.  
4     2. The audit must include, without limitation, an assessment of:  
5     (a) The procedures used to develop and adopt short-term and long-term  
6 plans for projects, including an evaluation of the criteria used to:  
7         (1) Select projects by category;  
8         (2) Select projects among projects within a category; and  
9         (3) Determine the appropriate financing for projects.  
10    (b) The management of the real property of the Department, including,  
11 without limitation:  
12         (1) Rights of way;  
13         (2) Real property designated for expansion of public highways, roads  
14 and other facilities; and  
15         (3) Surplus property and the procedure for the disposition of that  
16 property.  
17    3. The Legislative Auditor shall:  
18    (a) Prepare a final written report of the audit not later than February 3,  
19 2003;



1 (b) Present the final written report to the Senate Standing Committee on  
2 Transportation and the Assembly Standing Committee on Transportation;  
3 and

4 (c) After presentation of the final written report pursuant to paragraph  
5 (b), present the final written report to the Audit Subcommittee of the  
6 Legislative Commission and the Legislative Commission.

7 **Sec. 2.** 1. Upon the request of the Legislative Auditor, the  
8 Department of Transportation shall transfer from its budget to the Audit  
9 Division of the Legislative Counsel Bureau the sum of \$10,000 to carry out  
10 the provisions of section 1 of this act.

11 2. Any remaining balance of the sum transferred pursuant to  
12 subsection 1 must not be committed for expenditure after February 3, 2003,  
13 and reverts to the state highway fund as soon as all payments of money  
14 committed have been made.

15 **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.

