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**AMENDEMENTS TO SENATE BILL 386 FIRST REPRINT  
PROPOSED BY R&R PARTNERS**

Sec. 1. 1. If, as a result of the incapacitation of the patient or his inability to communicate, a patient of a medical facility, facility for the dependent or home for individual residential care who is 18 years of age or older is unable to inform the staff of the facility or home of the persons whom the patient authorizes to visit the patient at the facility or home, the facility or home shall allow visitation rights in accordance with the visitation policies of the facility or home to any person designated by the patient in an ~~affidavit~~ *a visitation authorization form* executed in accordance with subsection 2.

2. *A medical facility, facility for the dependent or home for individual residential care shall allow to a person designated by the patient in a visitation authorization form pursuant to subsection 2 the same visitation rights as are provided to members of a patients family who are legally related to him, in accordance with the visitation policy of the facility.*

2. A person age 18 or older wishing to designate a person for the purposes of establishing visitation rights in a medical facility, facility of the dependent or home for individual residential care may execute ~~an affidavit~~ *a visitation authorization form* in substantially the following form:

State of Nevada \_\_\_\_\_ }  
\_\_\_\_\_ }  
\_\_\_\_\_ } ss.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_ }

(Date) \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, (patient who is designating another person for purposes of visitation rights of the patient) do hereby designate \_\_\_\_\_ (person who is being designated as having visitation rights of the patient) as having the right to visit me in a medical facility, facility of the dependent or home for individual residential care. I hereby instruct all staff of a medical facility, facility for the dependent or home for individual residential care in which I am a patient to admit \_\_\_\_\_ (person who is being designated as having visitation rights of the patient) to my room and afford him or her the same visitation rights as are provided to members of my family who are legally related to me during my time as a patient.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_

Day of the month \_\_\_\_\_ of the year \_\_\_\_\_

(Notary Public)

ASSEMBLY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES  
DATE: 05/07 ROOM: 3138 EXHIBIT C1-3  
SUBMITTED BY: Morgan Baumgartner

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Add a new section to read as follows:

*Sec. 3.5 Any member of the following classes of persons in the order of priority listed, may order the burial of human remains of a deceased person:*

- (a) A person designated as the person with authority to order the burial of the human remains of the decedent in an affidavit executed in accordance with Section 3*
- (b) The spouse of the decedent;*
- (c) An adult son or daughter of the decedent;*
- (d) Either parent of the decedent;*
- (e) An adult brother or sister of the decedent;*
- (f) A grandparent of the decedent;*
- (g) A guardian of the person of the decedent at the time of death; and*
- (h) A person who*
  - (1) At the time of decedent's death, held the decedent's primary domicile in joint tenancy with the decedent; or*
  - (2) Is a dependent insured by a policy of health insurance of the decedent.*

*2. If, within 120 hours after death, none of the persons designated in subsection 1 has claimed the remains of the deceased person, any person may claim the remains of the deceased and order burial.*

*Sec. 5. 1. Any member of the following classes of persons, in the order of priority listed, may make an anatomical gift of all or part of the decedent's body for an authorized purpose, unless the decedent, at the time of death, has made an unrevoked refusal to make that anatomical gift:*

- a. ~~(b)~~ A person designated as the person with authority to make an anatomical gift of all or part of the body of the decedent in a legally valid document or in an affidavit executed in accordance with subsection 6;*
- (b) The spouse of the decedent;*
- (c) An adult son or daughter of the decedent;*
- (d) Either parent of the decedent;*
- (e) An adult brother or sister of the decedent;*
- (f) A grandparent of the decedent;*
- (g) A guardian of the person of the decedent at the time of death; and*
- (h) A person who*
  - (1) At the time of decedent's death, held the decedent's primary domicile in joint tenancy with the decedent; or*
  - (2) Is a dependent insured by a policy of health insurance of the decedent.*

The legal procedure for authorization must be defined and established by the committee on anatomical dissection established by the University and Community College System of Nevada.

Sec. 6.1 The following persons, in the following order of priority, may order the cremation of human remains of a deceased person:

- (a) A person designated as the person with authority to order the cremation of the human remains of the decedent in a legally valid document or in an affidavit executed in accordance with subsection 5;
- (b) The spouse of the decedent;
- (c) An adult son or daughter of the decedent;
- (d) Either parent of the decedent;
- (e) An adult brother or sister of the decedent;
- (f) A grandparent of the decedent;
- (g) A guardian of the person of the decedent at the time of death; and
- (h) A person who
  - (1) *At the time of decedent's death, held the decedent's primary domicile in joint tenancy with the decedent or*
  - (2) *Is a dependent insured by a policy of health insurance of the decedent.*

2. *If, within 120 hours after death, none of the persons designated in subsection 1 has claimed the remains of the deceased person, any person may claim the remains of the deceased and order cremation.*