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AN ACT relating to counties; revising the uses of and interests in federal land that a board of county commissioners may apply for and accept; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** NRS 244.277 is hereby amended to read as follows:

244.277 The board of county commissioners may apply for and accept ~~[grants]~~:

1. *Grants* of rights-of-way, ~~[or]~~ permits, *leases and patents* and subsequent renewals of grants of rights-of-way, ~~[or]~~ permits, *leases and patents* over, upon, under or through any land or interest in land owned by the United States and administered by the Secretary of the Interior through the Bureau of Land Management and by the Secretary of Agriculture with respect to lands within the National Forest System, pursuant to Title V of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976, ~~[43 U.S.C. §§ 1761-1771]~~, *and the Recreation and Public Purposes Act, 43 U.S.C. §§ 869-869-4; and*

2. *Special use permits for parks, forests and public property owned by the United States and administered by the Secretary of Agriculture, through the United States Forest Service, pursuant to Title 16 of the United States Code and 36 C.F.R. Part 251,* and in connection therewith may comply with federal regulations and stipulations consistent with ~~[Title V of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976]~~ *the federal statutes and regulations set forth in this section* or any other applicable federal statute ~~[or regulation]~~.

**Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2003.