

## ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 462—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

MARCH 28, 2005

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Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

**SUMMARY**—Increases salaries of certain constitutional officers and provides for prospective increases in salaries of such officers and compensation of members of Legislature. (BDR 18-847)

**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.

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AN ACT relating to elected state officers; increasing the salaries of certain constitutional officers; providing for increases in the salaries of such officers and the compensation of members of the Legislature; 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 223.050 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
2      223.050    **1.** Until the first Monday in January **[1999,] 2007,**  
3      the Governor is entitled to receive an annual salary of **[\$90,000.]**  
4      **From and after]** **\$117,000.** **From** the first Monday in January  
5      **[1999,] 2007, until the first Monday in January 2011,** the  
6      Governor is entitled to receive an annual salary of **[\$117,000.]**  
7      **\$141,000.**

8      **2. On the first Monday in January 2011 and on the first**  
9      **Monday of every fourth year thereafter, the salary of the Governor**  
10     **must be increased by an amount equal to the cumulative**  
11     **percentage increase in the salaries of the classified employees of**  
12     **this State during the immediately preceding term of the Governor.**

13     **Sec. 2.** NRS 224.050 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
14     224.050    **1.** Until the first Monday in January **[1999,] 2007,**  
15     the Lieutenant Governor is entitled to receive an annual salary of



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1    ~~\$20,000. From and after~~ \$50,000. From the first Monday in  
2    January ~~1999,~~ 2007, until the first Monday in January 2011, the  
3    Lieutenant Governor is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
4    ~~\$50,000.~~ \$60,000.

5    2. On the first Monday in January 2011 and on the first  
6    Monday of every fourth year thereafter, the salary of the  
7    Lieutenant Governor must be increased by an amount equal to the  
8    cumulative percentage increase in the salaries of the classified  
9    employees of this State during the immediately preceding term of  
10   the Lieutenant Governor.

11   3. In addition to the annual salary provided for in ~~subsection~~  
12   ~~4,~~ subsections 1 and 2, the Lieutenant Governor is entitled to  
13   receive the compensation provided for a majority of the members of  
14   the Legislature during the first 60 days of the session and the per  
15   diem allowance and travel expenses authorized for the members of  
16   the Legislature.

17   ~~3,~~ 4. In addition to the salary provided in subsections ~~1 and~~  
18   ~~2,~~ 1, 2 and 3, the Lieutenant Governor is entitled to receive \$130  
19   for each day on which he is actually employed as Governor and the  
20   per diem allowance and travel expenses as provided for state  
21   officers and employees generally when acting as Governor, or when  
22   discharging other official duties as Lieutenant Governor, at times  
23   when the Legislature is not in session.

24   Sec. 3. NRS 225.050 is hereby amended to read as follows:

25   225.050 1. Until the first Monday in January ~~1999,~~ 2007,  
26   the Secretary of State is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
27   ~~\$62,500. From and after~~ \$80,000. From the first Monday in  
28   January ~~1999,~~ 2007, until the first Monday in January 2011, the  
29   Secretary of State is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
30   ~~\$80,000.~~ \$97,000.

31   2. On the first Monday in January 2011 and on the first  
32   Monday of every fourth year thereafter, the salary of the Secretary  
33   of State must be increased by an amount equal to the cumulative  
34   percentage increase in the salaries of the classified employees of  
35   this State during the immediately preceding term of the Secretary  
36   of State.

37   Sec. 4. NRS 226.090 is hereby amended to read as follows:

38   226.090 1. Until the first Monday in January ~~1999,~~ 2007,  
39   the State Treasurer is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
40   ~~\$62,500. From and after~~ \$80,000. From the first Monday in  
41   January ~~1999,~~ 2007, until the first Monday in January 2011, the  
42   State Treasurer is entitled to receive an annual salary of ~~\$80,000.~~  
43   \$97,000.

44   2. On the first Monday in January 2011 and on the first  
45   Monday of every fourth year thereafter, the salary of the State



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1   **Treasurer must be increased by an amount equal to the**  
2   **cumulative percentage increase in the salaries of the classified**  
3   **employees of this State during the immediately preceding term of**  
4   **the State Treasurer.**

5   **Sec. 5.** NRS 227.060 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
6   227.060 1. Until the first Monday in January [1999,] 2007,  
7   the State Controller is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
8   [\$62,500. From and after] \$80,000. From the first Monday in  
9   January [1999,] 2007, until the first Monday in January 2011, the  
10   State Controller is entitled to receive an annual salary of [\$80,000.]  
11   \$97,000.

12   2. On the first Monday in January 2011 and on the first  
13   Monday of every fourth year thereafter, the salary of the State  
14   Controller must be increased by an amount equal to the  
15   cumulative percentage increase in the salaries of the classified  
16   employees of this State during the immediately preceding term of  
17   the State Controller.

18   **Sec. 6.** NRS 228.070 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
19   228.070 1. Until the first Monday in January [1999,] 2007,  
20   the Attorney General is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
21   [\$85,000. From and after] \$110,000. From the first Monday in  
22   January [1999,] 2007, until the first Monday in January 2011, the  
23   Attorney General is entitled to receive an annual salary of  
24   [\$110,000.] \$133,000.

25   2. On the first Monday in January 2011 and on the first  
26   Monday of every fourth year thereafter, the salary of the Attorney  
27   General must be increased by an amount equal to the cumulative  
28   percentage increase in the salaries of the classified employees of  
29   this State during the immediately preceding term of the Attorney  
30   General.

31   3. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 7.065, the Attorney  
32   General shall not engage in the private practice of law.

33   **Sec. 7.** NRS 218.210 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
34   218.210 1. Each Senator and Assemblyman is entitled to  
35   receive as compensation \$130 per day for each day of service:

36   [1.] (a) During any regular session, for the number of days the  
37   Legislature is in session, or in adjournment for not more than 3  
38   days, or the maximum number of days for which compensation for a  
39   regular session is permitted by the Constitution, whichever is  
40   smaller; and

41   [2.] (b) During any special session, for the number of days the  
42   Legislature is in session or the maximum number of days for which  
43   compensation for a special session is permitted by the Constitution,  
44   whichever is smaller.



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1       2. *On the first day of each term of a Senator or Assemblyman*  
2 *beginning on or after November 8, 2006, the compensation of the*  
3 *office of the Senator or Assemblyman must be increased by an*  
4 *amount equal to the cumulative percentage increase in the*  
5 *salaries of the classified employees of this State during the*  
6 *immediately preceding term of that office.*

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