Amendment No. 933

Assembly A	(BDR 34-484)								
Proposed by: Committee on Ways and Means									
Amendment Box:									
Resolves Conflicts with: N/A									
Amends:	Summary: Yes	Title: Yes	Preamble: No	Joint Sponsorship: No	Digest: Yes				

Adoption of this amendment will REMOVE all appropriations from A.B. 154 R1.

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Amend sec. 9, page 9, by deleting lines 11 through 16 and inserting:

"school:

- (I) On and after July 1, 2005, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for 20 consecutive days or more in the same classroom or assignment, designated as long-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days long-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level and subject area; and
- (II) On and after July 1, 2006, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for less than 20 consecutive days, designated as short-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days short-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level and subject area; and

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- (5) For each elementary school:
- (I) On and after July 1, 2005, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for 20 consecutive days or more in the same classroom or assignment, designated as long-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days long-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level; and
- (II) On and after July 1, 2006, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for less than 20 consecutive days, designated as short-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days short-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level.".

Amend sec. 10, page 15, by deleting lines 18 through 23 and inserting: "school:

- (I) On and after July 1, 2005, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for 20 consecutive days or more in the same classroom or assignment, designated as long-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days long-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level and subject area; and
- (II) On and after July 1, 2006, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for less than 20 consecutive days, designated as short-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days short-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level and subject area; and
 - (5) For each elementary school:
- (I) On and after July 1, 2005, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for 20 consecutive days or more in the same classroom or assignment, designated as long-term

substitute teachers, including the total number of days long-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level; and

(II) On and after July 1, 2006, the number of persons employed as substitute teachers for less than 20 consecutive days, designated as short-term substitute teachers, including the total number of days short-term substitute teachers were employed at each school, identified by grade level.".

Amend the bill as a whole by renumbering sections 21 and 22 as sections 22 and 23 and adding a new section designated sec. 21, following sec. 20, to read as follows:

- "Sec. 21. NRS 394.331 is hereby amended to read as follows:
- 394.331 All fees collected pursuant to the provisions of the Private Elementary and Secondary Education Authorization Act must be deposited in the State Treasury [to the credit of the General Fund,] for credit to the appropriate account of the Department of Education, and no fees so collected are subject to refund. The fees to be collected by the Superintendent must accompany an application for a license to operate or for renewal of the license, an application for an agent's permit or for renewal of the permit, or a filing for an exemption or for renewal of the exemption, in accordance with the following schedule:
 - 1. The application fee for an elementary or secondary educational institution is \$300.
 - 2. The renewal fee for an elementary or secondary educational institution is \$250.
 - 3. The application fee for a new license by reason of a change of ownership is \$250.
 - 4. The fee for an agent's permit or for renewal of the permit is \$50.".

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sections 23 and 24 and renumbering sec. 25 as sec. 24. Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sec. 26 and renumbering sec. 27 as sec. 25.

Amend sec. 27, page 41, line 4, by deleting "25" and inserting "24".

Amend sec. 27, page 41, by deleting line 10 and inserting:

"3. Sections 1, 5 to 10, inclusive, and 12 to 23, inclusive, of".

Amend the title of the bill by deleting the thirteenth through seventeenth lines and inserting: "and science examinations; requiring that fees collected pursuant to the Private Elementary and Secondary Education Authorization Act be deposited for credit to the appropriate account of the Department of Education; and providing other matters properly relating".

Amend the summary of the bill to read as follows:

"SUMMARY—Revises provisions governing statewide system of accountability for school districts and public schools. (BDR 34-484)".

If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative

Counsel's Digest will be changed to read as follows:

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Under existing law, the State Board of Education and the board of trustees of each school district must prepare and distribute an annual report of accountability. (NRS 385.3469, 385.347) Existing law allows a school or school district to appeal a designation of the school or district as demonstrating need for improvement. (NRS 385.366, 385.3771) Existing law requires certain portions of proficiency exams to be administered to pupils in certain grades. (Section 107 of chapter 1, Statutes of Nevada 2003, 19th Special Session, page 89)

This bill changes the requirements for the annual report of accountability and expands the school designations that may be appealed. This bill also makes changes to the proficiency exam requirements, including the grade levels for administering the writing and science proficiency exams.

Under existing law, fees collected pursuant to the Private Elementary and Secondary Education Authorization Act are deposited in the State General Fund.

This bill requires those fees to be deposited in the appropriate account of the Department of Education.