

Amendment No. 137

Assembly Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 84	(BDR 40-810)
Proposed by: Committee on Health and Human Services	
Amendment Box:	
Resolves Conflicts with: N/A	
Amends: Summary: No Title: Yes Preamble: Delete Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

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Amend the bill as a whole by renumbering sections 1 through 3 as sections 2 through 4 and adding a new section designated section 1, following the enacting clause, to read as follows:

“**Section 1.** NRS 440.175 is hereby amended to read as follows:

440.175 1. Upon request, the State Registrar may furnish statistical data to any federal, state, local or other public or private agency, upon such terms or conditions as may be prescribed by the Board.

2. No person may prepare or issue any document which purports to be an original, certified copy, certified abstract or official copy of:

(a) A certificate of birth, death or fetal death, except as authorized in this chapter or by the Board.

(b) A certificate of marriage, except a county recorder or a person so required pursuant to NRS 122.120.

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(c) A decree of divorce or annulment of marriage, except a county clerk or the judge of a court of record.

3. A person or governmental organization which issues certified or official copies pursuant to paragraph (a) of subsection 2 shall ~~remit~~:

(a) Not charge a fee for issuing a certified or official copy of a certificate of birth to a homeless person who submits a signed affidavit on a form prescribed by the State Registrar stating that the person is homeless.

(b) Remit to the State Registrar:

~~{{a}}~~ (1) For each registration of a birth or death in its district, \$2.

~~{{b}}~~ (2) For each copy issued of a certificate of birth in its district, *other than a copy issued pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subsection*, \$7.

~~{{c}}~~ (3) For each copy issued of a certificate of death in its district, \$1.”.

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting sec. 4.

Amend the bill as a whole by deleting the preamble.

Amend the title of the bill to read as follows:

“AN ACT relating to public welfare; exempting homeless persons from paying certain fees to obtain replacements of certain forms of identifying information; creating an exception to the duty to remit certain fees to the State Registrar of Vital Statistics for a person or governmental organization that issues a certified or official copy of a certificate of birth to a homeless person under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.”.

**If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative
Counsel's Digest will be changed to read as follows:**

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law requires the State Registrar to charge a fee for the issuance of a certified copy of a birth certificate. (NRS 440.700) Existing law also requires a person or governmental organization that is authorized to issue such copies to remit a fee to the State Registrar for each copy issued. (NRS 440.175) Existing law requires the Department of Motor Vehicles to charge a fee for the issuance of a duplicate driver's license or duplicate identification card. (NRS 483.410, 483.820)

This bill prohibits the State Registrar, a person or governmental organization authorized to issue certified copies of birth certificates and the Department of Motor Vehicles from charging those fees to a person who signs an affidavit stating that he is homeless. This bill also provides that a person or governmental organization that is authorized to issue a certified copy of a birth certificate is not required to remit a fee to the State Registrar for copies of birth certificates provided to such homeless persons.