Amendment No. 33

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 21		(BDR 39-280)
Proposed by: Committee on Human Resources and Education Amendment Box:		
	amble: No Joint Sponsor	rship: No Digest: Yes
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"of the client." and inserting: "of: (1) The client, to the extent that he is able to provide input and participate; and (2) To the extent that the client is unable to provide input and participate, the parent or		
guardian of the client if the client is under 18 years of age and is not legally emancipated, or the		
legal guardian of a client who has been adjudicated mentally incompetent.".		
Amend section 1, page 2, line 10, after "client," by inserting:		
"the parent or guardian of the client or the legal guardian of the client, as appropriate,".		
Amend the title of the bill, fourth line, by deleting "client" and inserting:		
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S.B. No. 21—Revises provisions governing individualized plans of services for clients of certain facilities that provide services to persons who are mentally ill or mentally retarded or have related conditions.

"client, the parent or guardian of the client or the legal guardian of the client under certain circumstances,".

If this amendment is adopted, the Legislative

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

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law provides for the regulation of facilities that provide services to persons who are mentally ill or mentally retarded or have other related conditions (Chapter 433 of NRS) and guarantees certain rights for clients of such facilities. (NRS 433.456-433.536) One of the rights guaranteed to a client of such a facility is the development and maintenance of an individualized written plan of certain services for the client which must provide for the least restrictive treatment procedures reasonably expected to benefit the client. (NRS 433.494)

This bill requires the individualized written plan to be developed and modified with the input and participation of the client, the parent or guardian of a client who is unable to provide input and participate and who is a minor, or the legal guardian of a client who has been adjudicated mentally incompetent.