

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 296—ASSEMBLYMEN BOBZIEN, LESLIE,  
CARPENTER, CLABORN, GANSERT, GOICOECHEA, KIHUEN,  
PIERCE, SETTELMAYER AND SMITH

MARCH 13, 2007

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Expresses the sense of the Legislature concerning the  
temporary conversion of certain water rights.  
(BDR 48-978)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.  
Effect on the State: No.

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EXPLANATION – Matter in **bolded italics** is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to water; expressing the sense of the Legislature  
as to the policy of this State concerning the temporary  
conversion of certain water rights for certain ecological  
purposes; and providing other matters properly relating  
thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

- 1 This bill provides that it is the policy of the State of Nevada to allow the  
2 temporary conversion of certain agricultural water rights for wildlife purposes or to  
3 improve the quality or flow of water.

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

- 1 **Section 1.** Chapter 533 of NRS is hereby amended by adding  
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:

3 *The Legislature hereby finds and declares that it is the policy of*  
4 *this State to allow the temporary conversion of agricultural water*  
5 *rights for wildlife purposes or to improve the quality or flow of*  
6 *water.*

- 7 **Sec. 2.** (Deleted by amendment.)

- 8 **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

