

SENATE BILL NO. 297—SENATORS WIENER, TITUS, HORSFORD,
HARDY, CEGAVSKE, AMODEI, MCGINNESS AND WOODHOUSE

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JOINT SPONSOR: ASSEMBLYMAN BOBZIEN

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Authorizes the establishment of measures of performance for certain state agencies. (BDR 18-55)

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 the State Controller; authorizing the establishment of measures of performance for certain state agencies to evaluate the performance and efficient use of public resources by those agencies; authorizing certain annual reporting concerning the measures of performance; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

- 1 This bill authorizes the State Controller, in consultation with a state agency, to
- 2 establish measures of performance that may be used to evaluate the performance of
- 3 the agency and the efficiency of its use of public resources. This bill also authorizes
- 4 the State Controller to report annually to the Governor and the Legislature
- 5 concerning the measures of performance established during the immediately
- 6 preceding fiscal year.

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

- 1 **Section 1.** Chapter 227 of NRS is hereby amended by adding
- 2 thereto a new section to read as follows:
- 3 ***1. The State Controller may, in consultation with a state***
- 4 ***agency, establish relevant, objective and effective measures of***



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1 *performance for the agency pursuant to which its performance*
2 *and efficient use of public resources may be evaluated.*

3 2. *The State Controller may prepare an annual written report*
4 *which indicates for each state agency with which he consults*
5 *pursuant to subsection 1 during the immediately preceding fiscal*
6 *year the established measures of performance and which may*
7 *include any other information that the State Controller determines*
8 *is relevant. The State Controller may, on or before February 1 of*
9 *each year, submit the report:*

10 (a) *To the Governor; and*

11 (b) *To the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for*
12 *transmittal:*

13 (1) *During an odd-numbered year, to the Legislature.*

14 (2) *During an even-numbered year, to the Interim Finance*
15 *Committee.*

16 3. *As used in this section, "state agency" means, except the*
17 *boards set forth in NRS 353.005, each department, institution and*
18 *agency in the Executive Department of the State Government.*

19 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2007.

