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SENATE BILL NO. 563—COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

APRIL 30, 2007

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Referred to Committee on Finance

**SUMMARY**—Makes an appropriation for funding a feasibility study and needs assessment concerning the establishment of a nonprofit children's hospital and research center in southern Nevada. (BDR S-1456)

**FISCAL NOTE:** Effect on Local Government: No.

Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation not included in Executive Budget.

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

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AN ACT making an appropriation for funding a feasibility study and needs assessment concerning the establishment of a nonprofit children's hospital and research center in southern Nevada; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

1       **Section 1.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State  
2 General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee the sum of  
3 \$600,000 for funding a feasibility study and needs assessment  
4 concerning the establishment of a nonprofit children's hospital and  
5 research center in southern Nevada.

6       2. The Interim Finance Committee shall solicit proposals from  
7 qualified persons to conduct the feasibility study and needs  
8 assessment. The Committee shall review all proposals it receives  
9 and may allocate all or any part of the money appropriated pursuant  
10 to subsection 1 to any person who is determined by the Committee  
11 to be qualified to conduct the feasibility study and needs assessment  
12 and who has submitted a proposal which the Committee determines  
13 to be acceptable.

14      3. A person who conducts the feasibility study and needs  
15 assessment pursuant to this section shall, on or before December 31,



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1 2008, submit a report concerning the feasibility study and needs  
2 assessment to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for  
3 transmittal to the Interim Finance Committee.

4       **Sec. 2.** Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by  
5 section 1 of this act must not be committed for expenditure after  
6 June 30, 2009, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or  
7 any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or  
8 otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the  
9 appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose  
10 after September 18, 2009, by either the entity to which the money  
11 was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently  
12 granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General  
13 Fund on or before September 18, 2009.

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

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