

Amendment No. 982

Senate Amendment to Assembly Bill No. 494	(BDR S-1162)
Proposed by: Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections	
Amends: Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: No Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

ASSEMBLY ACTION		Initial and Date	SENATE ACTION		Initial and Date
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EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) *blue bold italics* is new language in the original bill; (2) *green bold italic underlining* is new language proposed in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) orange double underlining is deleted language in the original bill that is proposed to be retained in this amendment; and (6) *green bold dashed underlining* is newly added transitory language.

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Date: 5/30/2009

A.B. No. 494—Requires the Legislative Commission to provide for a study conducted by the staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau of the major expenditures of local governments in this State.
(BDR S-1162)



ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 494—COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS

MARCH 23, 2009

Referred to Committee on Elections, Procedures, Ethics,
and Constitutional Amendments

SUMMARY—Requires ~~{the Legislative Commission to provide for a study conducted by the staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau of the major expenditures of local governments in this State.}~~ **certain local governmental entities to submit a report to the 76th Session of the Legislature concerning the consolidation or reorganization of certain functions.** (BDR S-1162)

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

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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 Legislature; requiring the Legislative Commission to provide for a study conducted by the staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau concerning the major expenditures of local governments in this State to allow the Legislature to consider consolidating services provided by local governments; requiring local governments to report their three largest categories of expenditure to the Legislative Commission in the manner prescribed by the Commission for the purposes of the study.}~~ **governmental administration; requiring certain local governmental entities to submit a report to the 76th Session of the Legislature concerning the consolidation or reorganization of certain functions;** and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

This bill requires the ~~{Legislative Commission to provide for a study conducted by the staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau concerning the major expenditures of local governments in this State to allow the Legislature to consider consolidating services provided by local governments. Each local government is required to report its three largest categories of expenditure for the Fiscal Year 2008-2009 to the Legislative Commission in the manner prescribed by the Commission for the purposes of the study. The staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau is required to compile and present the information submitted by the local governments in a manner that will allow}~~ **Board of County Commissioners of Clark County, the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County and the governing body of each city in those counties to submit a report to the 76th Session of the Nevada Legislature {to review the information and consider the} concerning the consolidation or reorganization of {services provided} certain functions performed by those local governments.**

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

Section 1. ~~1. The Legislative Commission shall provide for a study conducted by the staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau concerning the major expenditures of local governments in this State to allow the 76th Session of the Nevada Legislature to consider the consolidation of services provided by local governments.~~

~~2. Each local government shall report to the Legislative Commission on or before January 1, 2010, its three largest categories of expenditure for the Fiscal Year 2008-2009. The Legislative Commission shall, on or before October 1, 2009, prescribe the manner in which the reports must be submitted and the detail required to ensure that the information is sufficient for the purposes of the study directed pursuant to this section.~~

~~3. The staff of the Legislative Counsel Bureau shall conduct a study of the information submitted pursuant to subsection 2 and report the results of the study to the Legislative Commission on or before June 30, 2010. The report must include:~~

~~(a) The compilation and presentation of the information submitted pursuant to subsection 2 in a manner that will allow the Legislature to review the information and consider the consolidation of services provided by local governments; and~~

~~(b) Such analysis of the information as the staff deems appropriate.~~

~~4. The Legislative Commission shall submit the report of the results of the study conducted pursuant to this section and any recommendations for legislation.~~
On or before September 1, 2010, the Board of County Commissioners of Clark County, the Board of County Commissioners of Washoe County and the governing body of each city in those counties shall each submit a report to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmission to the 76th Session of the Nevada Legislature.

~~5. As used in this section, "local government" has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 354.474.~~

that, with respect to the functions of public safety, public works and general government performed by those entities:

1. Identifies the aspects of those functions that are currently consolidated in whole or in part.

2. Identifies the aspects of those functions that have been or are being considered for consolidation or reorganization.

3. Identifies the aspects of those functions that are not consolidated and whether those aspects may be appropriate for consolidation or reorganization in the future.

4. Analyzes and makes recommendations regarding the consolidation or reorganization of one or more aspects of those functions.

5. Provides estimates of the costs of consolidation or reorganization of one or more aspects of those functions and a projection of any long-term cost savings, to the extent feasible.

6. Analyzes the benefits of the creation of a permanent committee of affected entities that would meet periodically to discuss and coordinate future efforts at consolidation or reorganization of those functions.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2009.