

Amendment No. 995

Senate Amendment to (BDR R-1305)
Assembly Concurrent Resolution No. 30 First Reprint

Proposed by: Senate Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

Amendment Box: Replaces Amendment No. 981.

Amends: Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: Amend Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: No

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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: 5/31/2009

A.C.R. No. 30—Directs the Legislative Commission to conduct an interim study on the development and promotion of logistics and distribution centers in this State. (BDR R-1305)

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 30—
ASSEMBLYMEN BUCKLEY AND ATKINSON

MAY 5, 2009

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

SUMMARY—Directs the Legislative Commission to conduct an interim study on the development and promotion of logistics and distribution centers and issues concerning infrastructure and transportation in this State. (BDR R-1305)

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

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Directing the Legislative Commission to conduct an interim study on the development and promotion of logistics and distribution centers and issues concerning infrastructure and transportation in this State.

WHEREAS, The creation of new jobs and promoting diversification of the Nevada economy is a critical need and an overriding goal of the Legislature; and

WHEREAS, Nevada is uniquely positioned by virtue of its location and favorable business climate to serve as a logistics and distribution center for the receipt, shipment and assembly of goods on the West Coast to points north and east; and

WHEREAS, The Nevada System of Higher Education, including the state universities in Reno and Las Vegas, has expertise in supply chain management and can provide consulting support, managerial development through degree programs and job training opportunities; and

WHEREAS, Foreign trade zones exist in both southern and northern Nevada for the purpose, among other things, of facilitating the growth of logistics and distribution centers; and

WHEREAS, The proposed Ivanpah Valley Airport in Clark County, H Regional Airport System, the Tahoe-Reno Industrial Center in Storey County and the Reno-Tahoe International Airport are poised for future development as logistics and distribution centers and for the creation of a wide range of jobs in supply chain management; and

WHEREAS, The Elko County Rail Port provides additional opportunities for east-west distribution of goods and development of a logistics cluster; and

WHEREAS, The continuing growth of the population in Nevada has caused growing traffic congestion, environmental issues as a result of such congestion and difficulty in maintaining and expanding the transportation infrastructure in this State because of financial, environmental and physical constraints; and

1 WHEREAS, Mass transportation systems and the infrastructure for
2 transportation systems play an integral role in supporting the diversification and
3 expansion of the workforce and economy; and

4 WHEREAS, Efficient mass transportation systems and the infrastructure for
5 transportation systems reduce environmental degradation and decrease congestion
6 on major roadways; now, therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE SENATE
8 CONCURRING, That the Legislative Commission is hereby directed to appoint a
9 subcommittee to study the development and promotion of Nevada as a logistics and
10 distribution center ~~and issues concerning infrastructure and transportation:~~
11 and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That to facilitate the investment of private capital in logistics
13 and distribution centers, the subcommittee may solicit input from
14 representatives of state and local economic development organizations,
15 interstate transportation facilities in Nevada, transport and logistics
16 companies, manufacturing and other business interests, foreign trade zones,
17 institutions within the Nevada System of Higher Education, and such other
18 governmental or private stakeholders as the subcommittee deems appropriate;
19 and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That the subcommittee shall formulate a strategy and develop an
21 implementation plan detailing the steps that need to be taken to create and promote
22 the further development of Nevada as a logistics and distribution center which must
23 include, without limitation:

24 1. Identification of barriers to the development of logistics and distribution
25 centers;

26 2. The costs and benefits associated with expanding mass transportation
27 systems ~~and developing the necessary infrastructure for transportation~~
28 systems;

29 3. Delineation of future foreign trade zones;

30 4. Prioritization of infrastructure needs, including energy and water,
31 infrastructure and ~~mass~~ transportation systems ~~and~~, including mass
32 transportation systems and light rail corridors;

33 5. Formation of public-private partnerships for financing and incubation of
34 new businesses;

35 6. Funding options for the expansion of mass ~~transit systems,~~
36 transportation systems and light rail corridors;

37 7. Attraction of businesses associated with supply chain management
38 activities, including assembly, manufacturing, warehousing and transportation; and

39 8. Identification of strategic public policy actions to expedite the investment
40 of private development companies in major logistics centers in Nevada; and be it
41 further

42 RESOLVED, That the Legislative Commission shall submit a report of the
43 results of the study and any recommendations for legislation to the 76th Session of
44 the Nevada Legislature.