

SENATE BILL NO. 14—SENATOR MATHEWS

PREFILED NOVEMBER 24, 2008

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Increases the portion of the fee for a marriage license that funds the Account for Aid for Victims of Domestic Violence. (BDR 11-117)

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 marriage; increasing the portion of the fee for a marriage license that funds the Account for Aid for Victims of Domestic Violence; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

1 Existing law requires a county clerk to collect certain fees when issuing a
2 marriage license. (NRS 122.060) A portion of the fee a county clerk collects when
3 issuing a marriage license is dedicated to the Account for Aid for Victims of
4 Domestic Violence in the State General Fund. **Section 1** of this bill increases the
5 portion of the fee for a marriage license that funds the Account for Aid for Victims
6 of Domestic Violence from \$20 to \$25.

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

1 **Section 1.** NRS 122.060 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 122.060 1. The county clerk is entitled to receive as his fee
3 for issuing ~~the~~ *a marriage* license the sum of \$21.
4 2. The county clerk shall also at the time of issuing the
5 *marriage* license:
6 (a) Collect the sum of \$10 and:
7 (1) If the board of county commissioners has adopted an
8 ordinance pursuant to NRS 246.100, deposit the sum into the county
9 general fund pursuant to NRS 246.180 for filing the originally



1 signed copy of the certificate of marriage described in
2 NRS 122.120.

3 (2) If the board of county commissioners has not adopted an
4 ordinance pursuant to NRS 246.100, pay it over to the county
5 recorder as his fee for recording the originally signed copy of the
6 certificate of marriage described in NRS 122.120.

7 (b) Collect the additional fee described in subsection 2 of NRS
8 246.180, if the board of county commissioners has adopted an
9 ordinance authorizing the collection of such fee, and deposit the fee
10 pursuant to NRS 246.190.

11 3. The county clerk shall also at the time of issuing the
12 **marriage** license collect the additional sum of \$4 for the State of
13 Nevada. The fees collected for the State must be paid over to the
14 county treasurer by the county clerk on or before the fifth day of
15 each month for the preceding calendar month, and must be placed to
16 the credit of the State General Fund. The county treasurer shall
17 remit quarterly all such fees deposited by the county clerk to the
18 State Controller for credit to the State General Fund.

19 4. The county clerk shall also at the time of issuing the
20 **marriage** license collect the additional sum of ~~1201~~ \$25 for the
21 Account for Aid for Victims of Domestic Violence in the State
22 General Fund. The fees collected for this purpose must be paid over
23 to the county treasurer by the county clerk on or before the fifth day
24 of each month for the preceding calendar month, and must be placed
25 to the credit of that Account. The county treasurer shall, on or
26 before the 15th day of each month, remit those fees deposited by the
27 county clerk to the State Controller for credit to that Account.

28 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

