

SENATE BILL NO. 334—COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

MARCH 19, 2009

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

SUMMARY—Eliminates the formation of new corporations sole.
(BDR 7-1004)

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 corporations sole; providing for the elimination of the formation of new corporations sole; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 Under existing law, a corporation sole may be formed for acquiring, holding or
2 disposing of church or religious society property, for the benefit of religion, for
3 works of charity and for public worship. Existing law provides the procedures for
4 forming a corporation sole, the powers of a corporation sole and the process of
5 default, reinstatement or revocation of a charter of a corporation sole. (Chapter 84
6 of NRS)

7 This bill provides that no corporation sole may be formed on or after the
8 effective date of this bill, and no corporation sole which had its charter revoked
9 may be reinstated on or after the effective date of this bill. However, this bill does
10 not affect the existence of a corporation sole formed before the effective date of this
11 bill.

12 **Section 5** of this bill repeals provisions related to the formation, articles of
13 incorporation and procedure for reinstatement of a corporation sole. (NRS 84.006,
14 84.010, 84.020, 84.030 and 84.150)

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

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 84 of NRS is hereby amended by adding
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:

3 *No new corporation sole may be formed in this State on or*
4 *after the effective date of this act. A corporation sole formed*
5 *pursuant to this chapter before the effective date of this act may*
6 *continue in existence until the corporation is dissolved or its*



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1 *charter is revoked. A corporation sole that has its charter revoked*
2 *pursuant to NRS 84.140 may not be reinstated.*

3 **Sec. 2.** NRS 84.002 is hereby amended to read as follows:

4 84.002 As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise
5 requires, the words and terms defined in NRS 84.003 ~~[to 84.006,~~
6 ~~inclusive,]~~ , *84.0035 and 84.004* have the meanings ascribed to
7 them in those sections.

8 **Sec. 3.** NRS 84.015 is hereby amended to read as follows:

9 84.015 1. The fee for filing ~~[articles of incorporation,]~~
10 amendments to or restatements of articles of incorporation and
11 records for dissolution is \$50 for each record.

12 2. Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, the fees set
13 forth in NRS 78.785 apply to this chapter.

14 **Sec. 4.** NRS 84.110 is hereby amended to read as follows:

15 84.110 1. Every corporation sole must have a registered
16 agent in the manner provided in NRS 78.090 and 78.097. The
17 registered agent shall comply with the provisions of those sections.

18 2. A corporation sole is subject to the provisions of NRS
19 78.150 ~~[to 78.185, inclusive,]~~ except that:

20 (a) The fee for filing a list is \$25; *and*

21 (b) The penalty added for default is \$50. ~~[-; and~~

22 ~~-(c) The fee for reinstatement is \$100.]~~

23 **Sec. 5.** NRS 84.006, 84.010, 84.020, 84.030 and 84.150 are
24 hereby repealed.

25 **Sec. 6.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

LEADLINES OF REPEALED SECTIONS

84.006 “Street address” defined.

84.010 Purpose.

84.020 Articles of incorporation: Authority to make and
file.

84.030 Articles of incorporation: Required provisions.

84.150 Defaulting corporations: Conditions and procedure
for reinstatement.

