

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11—COMMITTEE ON
LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS

MAY 28, 2009

Referred to Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

SUMMARY—Designates Senate members of the Legislative Commission for the 2009-2011 biennium. (BDR R-1330)

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

SENATE RESOLUTION—Designating certain members of the Senate as regular and alternate members of the Legislative Commission for the 2009-2011 biennium.

1 RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That
2 pursuant to the provisions of NRS 218.660 and the Joint Standing
3 Rules of the Legislature, Senators Steven A. Horsford, Joyce
4 Woodhouse, Maggie Carlton, Randolph J. Townsend, Warren B.
5 Hardy, II and Maurice E. Washington are designated as the regular
6 Senate members of the Legislative Commission; and be it further
7 RESOLVED, That Senators Valerie Wiener and Allison Copening
8 are designated as the first and second alternate members,
9 respectively, for Senator Steven A. Horsford; Senators Michael A.
10 Schneider and David R. Parks are designated as the first and second
11 alternate members, respectively, for Senator Joyce Woodhouse;
12 Senators John J. Lee and Shirley A. Breeden are designated as the
13 first and second alternate members, respectively, for Senator
14 Maggie Carlton; Senators Dennis Nolan and Mike McGinness are
15 designated as the first and second alternate members, respectively,
16 for Senator Randolph J. Townsend; Senators Barbara K. Cegavske
17 and Mark E. Amodei are designated as the first and second alternate
18 members, respectively, for Senator Warren B. Hardy, II; Senators
19 Dean A. Rhoads and William J. Raggio are designated as the first
20 and second alternate members, respectively, for Senator Maurice E.
21 Washington; and be it further



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1 RESOLVED, That the procedure for requesting an alternate
2 member to replace a regular member during his absence at a
3 meeting must be as follows:

4 1. The Secretary of the Legislative Commission shall establish
5 a record of service of alternate members at meetings of the
6 Legislative Commission and shall maintain a list of the alternate
7 members for each individual Senator or group of Senators. Each list
8 must contain a numerical designation in ascending order for each
9 alternate member on the list. The initial sequence in which the
10 alternate members must be listed must correspond to their
11 designation as alternates in this resolution.

12 2. If a regular member of the Legislative Commission is unable
13 to attend a scheduled meeting of the Legislative Commission and
14 notifies the Secretary of the Legislative Commission, the Secretary
15 shall request the alternate member with the lowest numerical
16 designation on the appropriate list to replace the regular member at
17 the meeting. If the alternate member does not agree to serve, the
18 Secretary shall make the same request of the alternate member with
19 the next higher numerical designation on the list, and so on through
20 the list until an alternate member agrees to replace the regular
21 member.

22 3. An alternate member who agrees to replace a regular
23 member at a meeting of the Legislative Commission loses the
24 numerical designation he had on the appropriate list at the time he
25 was requested to serve. The Secretary of the Legislative
26 Commission shall, when the alternate member agrees to replace the
27 regular member, assign to that alternate member the highest
28 numerical designation on the appropriate list. At the same time, the
29 Secretary shall also reduce by one the numerical designation in the
30 appropriate list to those alternate members who have higher
31 numerical designations in the appropriate list than the alternate
32 member who has agreed to serve.

33 4. An alternate member who is requested to replace a regular
34 member at a meeting of the Legislative Commission, but who does
35 not agree to replace the regular member, does not lose the numerical
36 designation he had on the appropriate list at the time of the request.

