

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9—COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE
OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS

MAY 20, 2009

Read and Adopted

SUMMARY—Amends Senate Standing Rule Nos. 68 and 115 for the 75th Session of the Legislature to allow the Senate to vote on a motion to reconsider the vote on a bill or resolution on the same day the motion is made. (BDR R-1327)

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

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RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That Rule Nos. 68 and 115 of the Standing Rules of the Senate as adopted by the 75th Session of the Legislature are hereby amended to read as follows:

Rule No. 68. To Reconsider—Precedence of.

1. A motion to reconsider has precedence over every other motion, *including a motion to adjourn if the motion is to reconsider a final vote on a bill or resolution. A motion to reconsider a final vote on a bill or resolution shall be in order only on the day on which the final vote is taken and the vote on such a motion to reconsider must be taken on the same day.*

2. *If the motion to reconsider is for any other action, the motion has precedence over every other motion,* except a motion to adjourn. When the Senate adjourns while a motion to reconsider is pending, or before passing the order of Motions and Resolutions, the right to move for reconsideration continues to the next day of sitting.



~~{2. —No notice of reconsideration of any final vote is in order on the day preceding the last day of the session.}~~

Rule No. 115. Reconsideration of Vote on Bill.

1. ~~{On the day after the final vote on any bill, the}~~ A vote may be reconsidered on motion of any member . ~~{if notice of intention to move for reconsideration was given on the day the final vote was taken by a Senator who voted on the prevailing side. No motion to reconsider is in order on the day the final vote was taken, except by unanimous consent.}~~

2. Motions to reconsider a vote upon amendments to any pending question *and upon a final vote on a bill or resolution* may be made and decided at once.

