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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 125—COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY

(ON BEHALF OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON SENIOR  
CITIZENS, VETERANS AND ADULTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS)

PREFILED FEBRUARY 4, 2011

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

SUMMARY—Revises provisions concerning the reporting of crimes against older persons. (BDR 14-154)

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.

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AN ACT relating to criminal records; revising the crimes against older persons that are required to be reported to the Repository for Information Concerning Crimes Against Older Persons; requiring that certain information be included in the record maintained by the Repository; requiring the annual reporting of statistical data concerning such crimes to the Legislature; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

1 Existing law requires that the Repository for Information Concerning Crimes  
2 Against Older Persons contain a record of all reports of crimes against older  
3 persons committed in this State, authorizes the inclusion of certain information in  
4 the record maintained by the Repository and requires the Director of the  
5 Department of Public Safety to compile, analyze and submit a report to the  
6 Legislature that sets forth statistical data on all crimes committed against older  
7 persons. (NRS 179A.450) This bill revises the crimes against older persons that are  
8 required to be reported to the Repository to include only reports of the abuse,  
9 neglect, exploitation or isolation of older persons. This bill also requires the record  
10 maintained by the Repository to include certain information concerning such  
11 crimes. Finally, this bill revises the statistical data required to be compiled,  
12 analyzed and submitted to the Legislature to include the abuse, neglect, exploitation  
13 and isolation of older persons.



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

1       **Section 1.** NRS 179A.450 is hereby amended to read as  
2 follows:

3       179A.450 1. The Repository for Information Concerning  
4 Crimes Against Older Persons is hereby created within the Central  
5 Repository.

6       2. The Repository for Information Concerning Crimes Against  
7 Older Persons must contain a complete and systematic record of all  
8 reports of ~~crimes against older persons committed~~ *the abuse,*  
9 *neglect, exploitation or isolation of older persons* in this State. The  
10 record must be prepared in a manner approved by the Director of the  
11 Department and ~~may~~ *must* include, without limitation, the  
12 following information:

13       (a) All incidents that are reported to any entity.

14       (b) All cases that are currently under investigation and the type  
15 of such cases.

16       (c) All cases that are referred for prosecution and the type of  
17 such cases.

18       (d) All cases in which prosecution is declined or dismissed and  
19 any reason for such action.

20       (e) All cases that are prosecuted and the final disposition of such  
21 cases.

22       (f) All cases that are resolved by agencies which provide  
23 protective services and the type of such cases.

24       3. The Director of the Department shall compile and analyze  
25 the data collected pursuant to this section to assess the incidence of  
26 ~~crimes against~~ *the abuse, neglect, exploitation or isolation of*  
27 *older persons.*

28       4. On or before July 1 of each year, the Director of the  
29 Department shall prepare and submit a report to the Director of the  
30 Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmittal to the Legislature that  
31 sets forth statistical data on ~~crimes against~~ *the abuse, neglect,*  
32 *exploitation or isolation of* older persons.

33       5. The data acquired pursuant to this section is confidential and  
34 must be used only for the purpose of research. The data and findings  
35 generated pursuant to this section must not contain information that  
36 may reveal the identity of an individual victim of ~~a crime~~ *the*  
37 *abuse, neglect, exploitation or isolation of older persons.*

38       6. As used in this section ~~“older”~~ :

39       (a) *“Abuse” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 200.5092.*

40       (b) *“Exploitation” has the meaning ascribed to it in*  
41 *NRS 200.5092.*



- 1       (c) *“Isolation” has the meaning ascribed to it in*
- 2 *NRS 200.5092.*
- 3       (d) *“Neglect” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 200.5092.*
- 4       (e) *“Older person”* means a person who is 60 years of age or
- 5 older.

