

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 515—COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

(ON BEHALF OF THE DIVISION OF BUDGET AND PLANNING)

MARCH 28, 2011

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

SUMMARY—Revises certain provisions governing the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board. (BDR 50-1208)

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 the promotion of livestock; creating the Fund for the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board; making various changes to the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board; authorizing the Board to charge and collect a reasonable fee for participation in the Nevada Junior Livestock Show and the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show; repealing the requirement that the promotion of livestock be funded by direct legislative appropriation from the State General Fund; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Under existing law, money used to carry out the provisions of chapter 563 of NRS concerning the promotion of livestock is required to be provided by direct legislative appropriation from the State General Fund. (NRS 563.140) **Section 7** of this bill repeals that provision, and **section 2** of this bill creates the Fund for the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board for the purpose of funding the activities of the Board. **Section 5** of this bill authorizes the Board to impose an entry fee for participation in the Nevada Junior Livestock Show and the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show. **Section 6** of this bill requires participants to pay such a fee if one is imposed by the Board, which must be deposited in the Fund.

Under existing law, members of the Board are entitled to receive compensation, per diem allowances and travel expenses provided for state officers and employees generally. (NRS 563.060) **Section 7** of this bill repeals that provision, and **section 3** of this bill prohibits members of the Board from receiving compensation, per diem allowances and travel expenses.

Under existing law, one of the members of the Board must be a member of the staff of the State Board for Career and Technical Education. (NRS 563.030)



17 **Section 4** of this bill replaces that member with a person who is a secondary
18 agriculture educator nominated by the agriculture education program specialist at
19 the Department of Education.

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

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 563 of NRS is hereby amended by adding
2 thereto the provisions set forth as sections 2 and 3 of this act.

3 **Sec. 2. 1. *The Fund for the Nevada Junior Livestock Show***
4 ***Board is hereby created. The Fund must be administered by the***
5 ***Board.***

6 ***2. Any money received by the Board pursuant to NRS***
7 ***563.010 to 563.140, inclusive, and sections 2 and 3 of this act must***
8 ***be deposited into the Fund.***

9 ***3. The interest and income earned on the money in the Fund,***
10 ***after deducting any applicable charges, must be credited to the***
11 ***Fund.***

12 ***4. The money in the Fund must only be used for the***
13 ***promotion of agriculture within this State and must not be used to***
14 ***replace or supplant money available from other sources.***

15 ***5. Any fees collected from participants of the annual Nevada***
16 ***Junior Livestock Show and the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy***
17 ***Show must be deposited in the Fund and expended only for the***
18 ***Board and for the annual Nevada Junior Livestock Show and***
19 ***Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show.***

20 ***6. The money in the Fund does not lapse to the State General***
21 ***Fund at the end of a fiscal year.***

22 **Sec. 3. *The members of the Board serve without***
23 ***compensation and are not entitled to the per diem and travel***
24 ***expenses provided for state officers and employees generally.***

25 **Sec. 4.** NRS 563.030 is hereby amended to read as follows:

26 **563.030 1. One member of the Board must be a member of**
27 **the teaching staff of the College of Agriculture , *Biotechnology and***
28 ***Natural Resources* of the University of Nevada, Reno.**

29 **2. One member of the Board must be a member of the staff of**
30 **the Agricultural Extension Department of the Public Service**
31 **Division of the Nevada System of Higher Education.**

32 **3. One member of the Board must be a ~~member of the staff of~~**
33 **~~the State Board for Career and Technical Education.~~ *secondary***
34 ***agriculture educator nominated by the agriculture education***
35 ***program specialist at the Department of Education.***

36 **4. Four members of the Board must be persons concerned with**
37 **the raising and improving of livestock in the State of Nevada, not**
38 **necessarily stock raisers, selected as follows:**



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- 1 (a) Two persons whose interest is in cattle and sheep;
- 2 (b) One person whose interest is in ~~{horses;}~~ *general*
- 3 *agriculture*; and
- 4 (c) One person whose interest is in dairying.

5 5. All members must be residents of the State of Nevada.

6 **Sec. 5.** NRS 563.080 is hereby amended to read as follows:

7 563.080 1. The Board shall have possession and care of all
8 property of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show ~~{;}~~ *and* the Nevada
9 Youth Livestock and Dairy Show ~~{and the Nevada State Horse~~
10 ~~Program}~~ and shall be entrusted with the direction of the entire
11 business and financial affairs of these exhibitions.

12 2. The Board ~~{shall have the power;}~~ *may:*

- 13 (a) ~~{To appoint}~~ *Appoint* employees and define their duties.
- 14 (b) ~~{To adopt}~~ *Adopt* bylaws, rules and regulations for the
- 15 government of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board, the
- 16 *Nevada* Junior Livestock Show ~~{;}~~ *and* the Nevada Youth Livestock
- 17 and Dairy Show ~~{, the Nevada State Horse Program,}~~ and for all
- 18 exhibitions of livestock.

19 (c) ~~{To acquire}~~ *Acquire* or lease real and personal property,

20 buildings and improvements.

21 *(d) Charge and collect a reasonable entry fee from each*

22 *participant in the Nevada Junior Livestock Show and the Nevada*

23 *Youth Livestock and Dairy Show.*

24 **Sec. 6.** NRS 563.100 is hereby amended to read as follows:

25 563.100 1. The Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board shall

26 each year conduct the *Nevada* Junior Livestock Show ~~{;}~~ *and* the

27 Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show ~~{and the Nevada State~~

28 ~~Horse Program}~~ at places to be determined by the Board.

29 2. To enter any exhibition named in subsection 1, a person

30 must : ~~{be;}~~

31 (a) ~~{Certified}~~ *Be certified* by the State 4-H Club Leader or the

32 State Supervisor of ~~{Occupational—Agricultural}~~ *Secondary*

33 *Agriculture* Education ; ~~{; and}~~

34 (b) ~~{Under}~~ *Be under* 19 years of age except that the Board,

35 upon considering the requirements of a specific event involved may

36 allow entry by a person 19 years of age or older who is registered as

37 a regular student in an animal science course under the Nevada

38 System of Higher Education ~~{;}~~ *and*

39 *(c) Pay the entry fee imposed pursuant to paragraph (d) of*

40 *subsection 2 of NRS 563.080, if any.*

41 3. Entries of animals in any exhibition named in subsection 1

42 are limited to those owned or controlled according to the

43 requirements of the exhibition.

44 **Sec. 7.** NRS 563.060 and 563.140 are hereby repealed.



1 **Sec. 8.** Any remaining balance of an appropriation made
2 pursuant to NRS 563.140 must not be committed for expenditure
3 after June 30, 2011, and reverts to the State General Fund as soon as
4 all payments of money committed have been made.

5 **Sec. 9.** Notwithstanding the amendatory provisions of this act,
6 the member of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board who is a
7 member of the staff of the State Board for Career and Technical
8 Education appointed pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 563.030 on
9 July 1, 2011, and who is otherwise qualified to serve in that capacity
10 on that date may continue to serve for the remainder of his or her
11 unexpired term or until his or her successor is appointed pursuant to
12 subsection 3 of NRS 563.030, as amended by section 4 of this act,
13 whichever occurs first.

14 **Sec. 10.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2011.

TEXT OF REPEALED SECTIONS

563.060 Compensation of members and employees.

1. The members of the Board are entitled to receive a salary of not more than \$80, as fixed by the Board, for each day's attendance at a meeting of the Board.

2. While engaged in the business of the Board, each member and employee of the Board is entitled to receive the per diem allowance and travel expenses provided for state officers and employees generally.

563.140 Legislative appropriations. Funds to carry out the provisions of this chapter shall be provided by direct legislative appropriation from the General Fund, upon the presentation of budgets in the manner required by law, and shall be paid out on claims as other claims against the State are paid.

