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AN ACT relating to the promotion of livestock; making various changes to the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board; 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, members of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show 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) **Section 4** of this bill replaces that member with a person who is a secondary agriculture educator nominated by the agriculture education program professional at the Department of Education.

Existing law requires the Board to maintain possession and care of all property of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show, the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show and the Nevada State Horse Program and each year to conduct the Nevada Junior Livestock Show, the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show and the Nevada State Horse Program. (NRS 563.080, 563.100) **Sections 5 and 6** of this bill delete the Nevada State Horse Program from those requirements.

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

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

Sections 1 and 2. (Deleted by amendment.)

Sec. 3. Chapter 563 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

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

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

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

2. One member of the Board must be a member of the staff of the ~~[Agricultural Extension Department of the Public Service Division of the Nevada System of Higher Education.]~~ ***University of Nevada Cooperative Extension.***



3. One member of the Board must be a ~~{member of the staff of the State Board for Career and Technical Education.}~~ *secondary agriculture educator nominated by the agriculture education program professional at the Department of Education.*

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

(a) Two persons whose interest is in cattle and sheep;

(b) One person whose interest is in ~~{horses;}~~ *general agriculture;* and

(c) One person whose interest is in dairying.

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

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

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

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

(a) ~~{To appoint}~~ *Appoint* employees and define their duties.

(b) ~~{To adopt}~~ *Adopt* bylaws, rules and regulations for the government of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board, the *Nevada* Junior Livestock Show ~~{}~~ *and* the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show ~~{, the Nevada State Horse Program,}~~ and for all exhibitions of livestock.

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

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

563.100 1. The Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board shall each year conduct the *Nevada* Junior Livestock Show ~~{}~~ *and* the Nevada Youth Livestock and Dairy Show ~~{and the Nevada State Horse Program}~~ at places to be determined by the Board.

2. To enter any exhibition named in subsection 1, a person must : ~~{be:}~~

(a) ~~{Certified}~~ *Be certified* by the State 4-H Club Leader or the ~~{State Supervisor of Occupational Agricultural}~~ *agriculture education program professional at the Department of* Education; and

(b) ~~{Under}~~ *Be under* 19 years of age except that the Board, upon considering the requirements of a specific event involved may allow entry by a person 19 years of age or older who is registered as a regular student in an animal science course under the Nevada System of Higher Education.



3. Entries of animals in any exhibition named in subsection 1 are limited to those owned or controlled according to the requirements of the exhibition.

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

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

Sec. 9. Notwithstanding the amendatory provisions of this act, the member of the Nevada Junior Livestock Show Board who is a member of the staff of the Agricultural Extension Department of the Public Service Division of the Nevada System of Higher Education pursuant to subsection 2 of NRS 563.030 and the member of that Board who is a member of the staff of the State Board for Career and Technical Education appointed pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 563.030 on July 1, 2011, and who are otherwise qualified to serve as members of that Board on that date may continue to serve for the remainder of their respective unexpired terms or until their respective successors are appointed pursuant to subsections 2 and 3 of NRS 563.030, as amended by section 4 of this act, whichever occurs first.

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

