

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4—
COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND LABOR

(ON BEHALF OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION’S SUBCOMMITTEE
TO STUDY THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION OF LOGISTICS
AND DISTRIBUTION CENTERS AND ISSUES CONCERNING
INFRASTRUCTURE AND TRANSPORTATION)

FEBRUARY 11, 2011

Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

SUMMARY—Expresses support for economic development in
Nevada in the sectors of logistics, supply chain
management and renewable energy technology.
(BDR R-174)

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

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Expressing
support for economic development and the development
of a highly skilled workforce in the sectors of logistics,
supply chain management and renewable energy
technology in this State.

1 WHEREAS, The creation of new jobs and the promotion of a
2 diverse economy is essential to the economic health of Nevada; and

3 WHEREAS, Nevada is uniquely positioned by virtue of its
4 geographic location and favorable business climate to serve as a
5 logistics and distribution center for the receipt, shipment and
6 assembly of goods from the West Coast to points north and east;
7 and

8 WHEREAS, Foreign trade zones exist in both southern and
9 northern Nevada for the purpose, among other things, of facilitating
10 the growth of logistics and distribution centers; and

11 WHEREAS, The Clark County Regional Airport System, the
12 Reno-Tahoe International Airport and the Tahoe-Reno Industrial
13 Center in Storey County are poised for future development as
14 logistics and distribution centers, and for the creation of a wide
15 range of jobs in supply chain management; and



1 WHEREAS, The Northeastern Nevada Regional Railport in Elko
2 County provides additional opportunities for the east-to-west
3 distribution of goods and the development of a logistics cluster; and

4 WHEREAS, Nevada contains abundant sources of renewable
5 energy which are capable of supporting the growth and development
6 of industries, technologies and businesses that generate, develop and
7 harness renewable energy; and

8 WHEREAS, The development of businesses and industries within
9 the fields of logistics, supply chain management and renewable
10 energy technology is essential for Nevada to develop a stable,
11 competitive and viable economy in the future; and

12 WHEREAS, The need for a highly skilled and specialized
13 workforce in Nevada in the sectors of logistics, supply chain
14 management and renewable energy technology is a primary concern
15 of private investors who wish to conduct business in Nevada; and

16 WHEREAS, Job training and education in logistics, supply chain
17 management and renewable energy technology are essential
18 components to developing a workforce in Nevada with the expertise
19 that is necessary to attract logistics-related and renewable energy-
20 related businesses to this State; and

21 WHEREAS, The faculty and staff of the Nevada System of
22 Higher Education have expertise in supply chain management and
23 renewable energy technology and can provide support for the
24 development and growth of these industries through education and
25 job training; and

26 WHEREAS, An effective method of creating jobs for Nevadans is
27 to utilize incentives offered by the Federal Government and other
28 sources for job training and education in the sectors of logistics,
29 supply chain management and renewable energy technology; now,
30 therefore, be it

31 RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE
32 SENATE CONCURRING, That the members of the 76th Session of the
33 Nevada Legislature express their intent to prioritize economic
34 growth and development in the sectors of logistics, supply chain
35 management and renewable energy technology in this State; and be
36 it further

37 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature expresses its intent to
38 promote Nevada as a distribution and transportation center, and as a
39 state that is at the forefront of renewable energy technology; and be
40 it further

41 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature urges the Governor of
42 the State of Nevada to prioritize and promote economic
43 development in the sectors of logistics, supply chain management
44 and renewable energy technology in Nevada; and be it further



1 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature recognizes the need to
2 prioritize the training and education of a highly skilled workforce in
3 the sectors of logistics, supply chain management and renewable
4 energy technology to promote the investment of private capital in
5 logistics-related and renewable energy-related businesses in
6 Nevada; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature expresses its intent that
8 incentives which are designated for job training or education be
9 considered first for job training, education and development in the
10 fields of logistics, supply chain management and renewable energy
11 technology to develop a highly skilled workforce in those sectors;
12 and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and
14 transmit a copy of this resolution to the Governor of the State of
15 Nevada, the Director of the Department of Employment, Training
16 and Rehabilitation, the Chancellor of the Nevada System of Higher
17 Education and the Chair of the Board of Regents of the University
18 of Nevada for distribution to its members.

