

Senate Bill No. 12—Committee on Natural Resources

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AN ACT relating to air pollution; repealing certain reporting requirements for the emission of greenhouse gases; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law requires certain facilities that generate electricity to report greenhouse gas emissions to the State Environmental Commission for inclusion in a registry of greenhouse gas emissions. (NRS 445B.370) In 2009, the United States Environmental Protection Agency adopted regulations that contain similar reporting requirements. (40 C.F.R. §§ 98.1 et seq.) This bill repeals NRS 445B.370 to eliminate the duplicate reporting requirements for facilities that are required to report greenhouse gas emissions under the federal regulations adopted by the Environmental Protection Agency.

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:

Section 1. NRS 445B.370 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. Any regulations adopted by the State Environmental Commission pursuant to NRS 445B.370 are void. The Legislative Counsel shall remove those regulations from the Nevada Administrative Code as soon as practicable after the effective date of this act.

Sec. 3. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

