

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5—COMMITTEE ON
LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS

MAY 30, 2011

Referred to Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

SUMMARY—Designates Senate members of the Legislative Commission for the 2011-2013 biennium.
(BDR R-1299)

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

SENATE RESOLUTION—Designating certain members of the Senate as regular and alternate members of the Legislative Commission for the 2011-2013 biennium.

1 RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, That
2 pursuant to the provisions of NRS 218E.150 and the Joint Standing
3 Rules of the Legislature, Senators Steven A. Horsford, Sheila Leslie,
4 Moises Denis, Michael Roberson, Elizabeth Halseth and James A.
5 Settlemeyer are designated as the regular Senate members of the
6 Legislative Commission; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That Senators Valerie Wiener and Allison Copenig
8 are designated as the first and second alternate members,
9 respectively, for Senator Steven A. Horsford; Senators Michael A.
10 Schneider and David R. Parks are designated as the first and second
11 alternate members, respectively, for Senator Sheila Leslie; Senators
12 John J. Lee and Shirley A. Breeden are designated as the first and
13 second alternate members, respectively, for Senator Moises Denis;
14 Senators Joe Hardy and Mike McGinness are designated as the first
15 and second alternate members, respectively, for Senator Michael
16 Roberson; Senators Don Gustavson and Barbara K. Cegavske are
17 designated as the first and second alternate members, respectively,
18 for Senator Elizabeth Halseth; Senators Greg Brower and Ben
19 Kieckhefer are designated as the first and second alternate members,
20 respectively, for Senator James A. Settlemeyer; and be it further

21 RESOLVED, That the procedure for requesting an alternate
22 member to replace a regular member during his or her absence at a
23 meeting must be as follows:



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1 1. The Secretary of the Legislative Commission shall establish
2 a record of service of alternate members at meetings of the
3 Legislative Commission and shall maintain a list of the alternate
4 members for each individual Senator or group of Senators. Each list
5 must contain a numerical designation in ascending order for each
6 alternate member on the list. The initial sequence in which the
7 alternate members must be listed must correspond to their
8 designation as alternates in this resolution.

9 2. If a regular member of the Legislative Commission is unable
10 to attend a scheduled meeting of the Legislative Commission and
11 notifies the Secretary of the Legislative Commission, the Secretary
12 shall request the alternate member with the lowest numerical
13 designation on the appropriate list to replace the regular member at
14 the meeting. If the alternate member does not agree to serve, the
15 Secretary shall make the same request of the alternate member with
16 the next higher numerical designation on the list, and so on through
17 the list until an alternate member agrees to replace the regular
18 member.

19 3. An alternate member who agrees to replace a regular
20 member at a meeting of the Legislative Commission loses the
21 numerical designation he or she had on the appropriate list at
22 the time he or she was requested to serve. The Secretary of the
23 Legislative Commission shall, when the alternate member agrees to
24 replace the regular member, assign to that alternate member the
25 highest numerical designation on the appropriate list. At the same
26 time, the Secretary shall also reduce by one the numerical
27 designation in the appropriate list to those alternate members who
28 have higher numerical designations in the appropriate list than the
29 alternate member who has agreed to serve.

30 4. An alternate member who is requested to replace a regular
31 member at a meeting of the Legislative Commission, but who does
32 not agree to replace the regular member, does not lose the numerical
33 designation he or she had on the appropriate list at the time of the
34 request.

