

**MINUTES OF THE
SENATE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE**

**Seventy-sixth Session
March 28, 2011**

The Senate Committee on Finance was called to order by Chair Steven A. Horsford at 3:30 p.m. on Monday, March 28, 2011, on the Senate Floor of the Legislative Building, Carson City, Nevada. There was no Agenda. There was no Attendance Roster.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Senator Steven A. Horsford, Chair
Senator Sheila Leslie, Vice Chair
Senator David R. Parks
Senator Moises (Mo) Denis
Senator Dean A. Rhoads
Senator Barbara K. Cegavske
Senator Ben Kieckhefer

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mark Krmpotic, Senate Fiscal Analyst
Cynthia Clampitt, Committee Secretary
Patricia O'Flinn, Committee Secretary

CHAIR HORSFORD:

We have received a number of bill draft requests (BDR) to be moved for introduction by the Committee ([Exhibit A](#)).

SENATOR RHOADS MOVED FOR COMMITTEE INTRODUCTION OF
ALL BILL DRAFT REQUESTS LISTED ON [EXHIBIT A](#).

SENATOR CEGAVSKE SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION PASSED UNANIMOUSLY.

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 32-538: Revises provisions governing governmental financing. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 432](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 7-1155: Authorizes the Secretary of State to make broader use of revenue from the enforcement of securities laws. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 431](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 58-1156: Makes various changes related to energy. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 426](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 18-1161: Provides for the merger of various state agencies into the Department of Administration. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 427](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1162: Revises provisions governing certain child care facilities. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 430](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 18-1163: Creates the Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 424](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1167: Revises provisions concerning assistance to certain older persons and persons with physical disabilities. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 423](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 15-1169: Requires counties to pay for the use of services offered by the Aging and Disability Services Division of the Department of Health and Human Services. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 422](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 40-1170: Revises provisions relating to certain funds. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 421](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 57-1172: Creates the Silver State Health Insurance Exchange. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 440](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 18-1173: Transfers the Office of Historic Preservation from the Department of Cultural Affairs to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 435](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 31-1175: Makes various changes regarding funding and autonomy of Nevada System of Higher Education. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 434](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 1-1177: Transfers the responsibility to deposit certain money for the purpose of paying pension benefits to justices of the Supreme Court or district judges from the State of Nevada to the Court Administrator. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 436](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 43-1183: Eliminates the Administrative Services Division of the Department of Public Safety. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 444](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 43-1184: Revises provisions governing the processing at self-service terminals or kiosks of certain transactions with the Department of Motor Vehicles. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 441](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 43-1185: Authorizes the Department of Motor Vehicles to enter into certain agreements relating to advertising. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 483](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 18-1190: Revises provisions governing consumer affairs. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 473](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 35-1193: Makes various changes relating to transportation. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 475](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1195: Authorizes the Administrator of the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy of the Department of Health and Human Services to administer oaths, take testimony and issue subpoenas for the purposes of recovering Medicaid benefits paid on behalf of certain recipients. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 477](#).)

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1196: Revises provisions governing the payment of certain expenses for the provision of care pursuant to the State Plan for Medicaid. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 485](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1197: Revises the authority of the Department of Health and Human Services to contract for transportation services for the recipients of services under the Children's Health Insurance Program. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 429](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1198: Eliminates the Medicaid waiver carried out pursuant to the Health Insurance Flexibility and Accountability demonstration initiative. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 452](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 40-1200: Revises provisions relating to public health. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 471](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 14-1201: Revises provisions relating to programs for the treatment of mental illness or mental retardation. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 469](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 14-1202: Requires counties to pay the expense of presentence or general investigations and reports made by the Division of Parole and Probation of the Department of Public Safety. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 443](#).)

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 42-1203: Makes various changes relating to fire protection. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 439.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 36-1205: Allows the Office of the Military to collect rent for the use of its facilities. (Later introduced a [Senate Bill 445.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 18-1209: Revises provisions governing the composition of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 446.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 35-1210: Establishes the Fund for State Park Interpretative and Educational Programs and Operation of Concessions. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 442.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 58-1214: Eliminates the position of Deputy Commissioner of the Nevada Transportation Authority. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 433.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 39-1215: Revises provisions governing assistance to parents and relatives caring for certain persons with mental retardation and related conditions. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 437.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 5-1216: Makes various changes concerning the juvenile justice system. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 476.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 39-1217: Makes various changes concerning the regulation of mental health services provided to children in this State. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 448.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1218: Makes various changes concerning the administration of child welfare services. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 447.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 38-1219: Provides for the collection of costs for providing child protective services in certain less populated counties. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 480.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST 40-1221: Makes various changes related to the Department of Motor Vehicles. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 468.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1227: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Corrections for an unanticipated shortfall in Fiscal Year 2010-2011 for increased outside medical costs and payment of a stale claim. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 470.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1228: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Corrections to cover stale claims for prison medical care. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 472.](#))

BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1229: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Corrections to offset a reduction in funds for the State Criminal Alien Assistance Program. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 474.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1232: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Corrections for an unanticipated shortfall in revenue at the Casa Grande Transitional Housing Center for Fiscal Year 2010-2011. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 482.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1233: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Public Safety for an unanticipated shortfall in personnel services. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 484.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1235: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for an unanticipated shortfall in kiosk vendor payments. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 478.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1236: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for an unanticipated shortfall in the merchant services fees associated with electronic payments. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 479.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1237: Makes an appropriation to the Interim Finance Committee for allocation to the State Treasurer. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 481.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1238: Makes an appropriation to the Office of the State Treasurer for the Millennium Scholarship Program. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 486.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1243: Makes an appropriation to the State Gaming Control Board to replace computer and technology hardware. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 428.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1249: Makes an appropriation to the Interim Finance Committee for allocation to the State Treasurer for a consultant to assist with the development of a request for proposals for the E-payment and Merchant Services contracts. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 450.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1251: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 453.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1252: Makes an appropriation to the Motor Carrier Division of the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of a vehicle and office equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 455.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1253: Makes an appropriation to the Motor Carrier Division of the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 462.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1254: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of office equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 464.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1255: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 458.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1256: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of office equipment and a vehicle. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 460.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1257: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 459.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1258: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of vehicles and other equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 457.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1259: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 456.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1260: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of office equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 454.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1261: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 467.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1262: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 466.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1263: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of office equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 465.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1264: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 425.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1265: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of a forklift, mail scanners, telephones, headsets and office equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 461.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-1266: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Motor Vehicles for the replacement of computers and other associated equipment. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 463.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST S-97: Requires the issuance of bonds for environmental improvement projects in the Lake Tahoe Basin. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 438.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 34-932: Revises provisions governing tuition charges, registration fees and other fees assessed against students in the Nevada System of Higher Education. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 449.](#))

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BILL DRAFT REQUEST 34-933: Revises provisions governing tuition charges, registration fees and other fees assessed against students enrolled in institutions of the Nevada System of Higher Education. (Later introduced as [Senate Bill 451.](#))

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CHAIR HORSFORD:

There being no further business before the Committee, this meeting is adjourned
at 3:32 p.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Cynthia Clampitt,
Committee Secretary

APPROVED BY:

Senator Steven A. Horsford, Chair

DATE: _____

<u>EXHIBITS</u>			
Bill	Exhibit	Witness / Agency	Description
	A		BDR List