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AN ACT relating to governmental administration; requiring the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration to provide digital imaging services to any local government; providing that money received by the Division for such services does not revert to the State General Fund at the end of any fiscal year; requiring the Division to use such money for certain purposes; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Under existing law, the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration is required to provide microfilming service to local governments. The Division may charge for such service, but the charge must not exceed the cost to provide the service. (NRS 239.070) This bill requires the Division also to provide digital imaging services to local governments on the same terms. This bill also provides that any money received by the Division for providing such services and any interest or income on the money: (1) must be accounted for separately in the State General Fund; (2) does not revert to the State General Fund at the end of any fiscal year; (3) must be carried forward to the next fiscal year; and (4) must be used exclusively for the repair or replacement of the equipment used by the Division to provide microfilming and digital imaging services.

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 239.070 is hereby amended to read as follows:

239.070 1. In lieu of or in addition to the method of recording required or allowed by statute, the county recorder may use microfilm *or digital images* for such recording.

2. The Division shall provide microfilming ~~service~~ *or digital imaging services* to any local government. The charge for the service must not exceed the actual cost ~~of providing the service~~.

3. If microfilming *or digital imaging* is used:

(a) The microphotographs, ~~or~~ *micronegative films or digital images* must be properly indexed and placed in conveniently accessible files.

(b) Each film *or digital image* must be designated and numbered.

(c) Provision must be made for preserving, examining and using the films ~~or~~ *or digital images*.



4. A duplicate of each such film *or digital image* must be made and kept safely in a separate place.

5. Duplicates of each such film *or digital image* must be made available by the county recorder for sale at a price not exceeding cost upon the request of any person, firm or organization. Subject to the approval of the board of county commissioners, the county recorder may, at any time, make additional duplicates of each such film *or digital image* available for sale to the public at a price not exceeding cost.

6. The Division shall provide services for recording other than microfilming *or digital imaging* to any local government if the Division has the equipment necessary to provide the services. The services provided are subject to the requirements of this section relating to microfilming ~~H~~ *or digital imaging*.

7. *Money received by the Division pursuant to this section and any interest or income on the money:*

(a) Must be accounted for separately in the State General Fund;

(b) Does not revert to the State General Fund at the end of any fiscal year;

(c) Must be carried forward to the next fiscal year; and

(d) Must be used exclusively for the repair or replacement of the equipment used by the Division to provide microfilming and digital imaging services.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2013.

