

SENATE BILL NO. 316—SENATORS DENIS AND MANENDO

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JOINT SPONSOR: ASSEMBLYMAN OHRENSCHALL

Referred to Committee on Commerce, Labor and Energy

SUMMARY—Requires provisions relating to materials recovery facilities. (BDR 54-1067)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: No.

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

AN ACT relating to contractors; requiring contractors to dispose of solid waste at a materials recovery facility under certain circumstances; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

- 1 This bill requires a contractor to dispose of certain solid waste produced by
2 construction, demolition or similar work at a materials recovery facility that has
3 been approved to operate pursuant to regulations of the State Environmental
4 Commission, if such a facility is located within 15 miles of the site of the work.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 624 of NRS is hereby amended by adding
2 thereto a new section to read as follows:

3 *1. A contractor who undertakes the construction, alteration,*
4 *repair, maintenance or demolition of any building, structure or*
5 *other work of improvement shall dispose of the solid waste*
6 *resulting from the work at a materials recovery facility, if a*
7 *materials recovery facility is located within 15 miles of the site of*
8 *the work.*

9 *2. As used in this section, “materials recovery facility” means*
10 *a solid waste management facility that provides for the extraction*



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1 *from solid waste of recyclable materials, materials suitable for use*
2 *as a fuel or soil amendment, or any combination of those*
3 *materials, and that has been approved to operate in accordance*
4 *with regulations adopted by the State Environmental Commission*
5 *pursuant to NRS 444.560. The term does not include:*

6 *(a) A facility that receives only recyclable materials that have*
7 *been separated at the source of waste generation if further*
8 *processing of the materials generates less than 10 percent waste*
9 *residue by weight on an annual average;*

10 *(b) A salvage yard for the recovery of used motor vehicle parts;*

11 *(c) A facility that receives, processes or stores only concrete,*
12 *masonry waste, asphalt pavement, brick, uncontaminated soil or*
13 *stone for the recovery of recyclable materials; or*

14 *(d) A facility that recovers less than 10 percent by weight of the*
15 *recyclable material from the solid waste received on an annual*
16 *average.*

