

**MINUTES OF THE FLOOR MEETING
OF THE
ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS**

**Seventy-Seventh Session
March 25, 2013**

The Assembly Committee on Ways and Means was called to order by Chair Maggie Carlton at 11:31 a.m. on Monday, March 25, 2013, behind the bar of the Assembly. Copies of the minutes are available and on file in the Research Library of the Legislative Counsel Bureau and on the Nevada Legislature's website at www.leg.state.nv.us/77th2013/committees/.

COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRESENT:

Assemblywoman Maggie Carlton, Chair
Assemblyman William C. Horne, Vice Chair
Assemblyman Paul Aizley
Assemblyman Paul Anderson
Assemblyman David P. Bobzien
Assemblyman Andy Eisen
Assemblywoman Lucy Flores
Assemblyman Tom Grady
Assemblyman John Hambrick
Assemblyman Crescent Hardy
Assemblyman Pat Hickey
Assemblywoman Marilyn K. Kirkpatrick
Assemblyman Randy Kirner
Assemblyman Michael Sprinkle

COMMITTEE MEMBERS ABSENT:

Assemblyman Steven Brooks
Assemblyman Joseph M. Hogan

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT:

Cindy Jones, Assembly Fiscal Analyst
Patricia Adams, Committee Manager
Connie Davis, Committee Secretary



Chair Carlton explained that the Committee had 26 bill draft requests (BDRs) to introduce.

BDR 35-1157: Revises provisions relating to roadside rest areas. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 447.](#))

BDR 36-1142: Revises certain provisions concerning the state militia. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 448.](#))

BDR 40-1139: Revises the use of certain proceeds received for purposes relating to vital statistics. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 449.](#))

BDR 38-1140: Revises provisions relating to public welfare. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 450.](#))

BDR 38-1163: Consolidates the Bureau of Services to Persons Who Are Blind or Visually Impaired and the Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation within the Rehabilitation Division of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 451.](#))

BDR 26-1194: Enacts provisions governing the management of sagebrush ecosystems. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 461.](#))

BDR S-1179: Appropriates to and authorizes the expenditure of money by the Desert Regional Center within the Division of Mental Health and Developmental Services of the Department of Health and Human Services for a new computer system for medical records, provider invoices and claims processing. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 462.](#))

BDR 31-1123: Revises provisions relating to stale claims and statutory contingency claims. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 463.](#))

BDR 32-1160: Revises provisions relating to the tax on special fuel. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 464.](#))

BDR 43-1150: Creates the General Services Division in the Department of Public Safety. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 465.](#))

BDR S-1185: Makes an appropriation to the Division of State Parks of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources to replace public safety equipment and worn and obsolete equipment. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 467.](#))

BDR S-1182: Makes an appropriation to the Department of Corrections for an upgrade to and end-user training for the Nevada Offender Tracking Information System. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 468.](#))

BDR S-1186: Makes appropriations to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the replacement and maintenance of emergency response, firefighting and other critical equipment and vehicles. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 469.](#))

BDR S-1188: Makes appropriations to the Nevada Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety to replace fleet vehicles and motorcycles that have exceeded the mileage threshold. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 470.](#))

BDR S-1191: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Department of Health and Human Services for an unanticipated shortfall relating to the operation of the vital records and statistics program in Fiscal Year 2012-2013. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 471.](#))

BDR 43-1152: Increases the maximum amount of the fee that the Director of the Department of Motor Vehicles is required to establish for the Program for the Education of Motorcycle Riders. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 472.](#))

BDR 43-1170: Revises the provisions governing the fees charged to defray the costs of producing license plates. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 473.](#))

BDR S-1174: Makes appropriations to restore the balances in the State Claims Account, Emergency Account, Reserve for Statutory Contingency Account and Contingency Account. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 474.](#))

BDR S-1177: Makes appropriations to the Legislative Fund for dues and registration costs for national organizations, building maintenance projects and information technology purchases. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 475.](#))

BDR 53-1164: Revises provisions relating to penalties for unemployment insurance fraud. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 476.](#))

BDR S-1176: Makes an appropriation to the Office of the State Controller to replace computer servers for the statewide financial system. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 477.](#))

BDR S-1192: Makes supplemental appropriations to the Nevada Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety as reimbursement for unanticipated visiting dignitary protection assignments and for an unanticipated shortfall resulting from an increase in fuel costs. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 478.](#))

BDR S-1193: Makes a supplemental appropriation to the Investigation Division of the Department of Public Safety for an unanticipated shortfall resulting from increases in fuel costs. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 479.](#))

BDR 22-1168: Revises provisions relating to the Tahoe Regional Planning Agency. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 480.](#))

BDR 19-1134: Authorizes the Division of State Library and Archives of the Department of Administration to retain money received for providing certain services to local governments. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 481.](#))

BDR 53-1166: Imposes a temporary assessment on certain employers for interest payments due on advances made by the Federal Government relating to unemployment benefits. (Later introduced as [Assembly Bill 482.](#))

ASSEMBLYMAN BOBZIEN MOVED FOR A BLANKET
INTRODUCTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
ADMINISTRATION'S BUDGET BILL DRAFT REQUESTS.

ASSEMBLYMAN GRADY SECONDED THE MOTION.

THE MOTION PASSED. (Assemblymen Brooks and
Assemblyman Hogan were not present for the vote.)

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With no further business to come before the Committee, Chair Carlton adjourned the meeting at 11:32 a.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

Patricia Adams
Committee Secretary

APPROVED BY:

Assemblywoman Maggie Carlton, Chair

DATE: _____