ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 154–COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE AND LABOR

(ON BEHALF OF THE SUNSET SUBCOMMITTEE)

FEBRUARY 13, 2015

Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

SUMMARY—Makes various changes to the Nevada Employment Security Council. (BDR 53-553)

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

AN ACT relating to the Nevada Employment Security Council; altering certain duties assigned to the Council; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

EXPLANATION - Matter in bolded italics is new; matter between brackets formitted material is material to be omitted.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Current law establishes the Nevada Employment Security Council as an advisory body to the Employment Security Division of the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation. (NRS 612.305, 612.310) This bill makes changes regarding the various duties assigned to the Council as recommended by the Sunset Subcommittee of the Legislative Commission.

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

Section 1. NRS 612.310 is hereby amended to read as follows: 612.310 1. The Employment Security Council shall act as an advisory council to the Administrator to:

- (a) Reduce and prevent unemployment;
- (b) Encourage and assist in the adoption of practical methods of vocational training, retraining and vocational guidance :; and
- (c) [Investigate, recommend, advise and assist in the establishment and operation by municipalities, counties, school districts and the State of reserves for public works to be used in times of business depression and unemployment.





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— (d)] Promote the reemployment of unemployed workers throughout the State in every other way that may be feasible.

[(e) Carry on and publish the results of investigations and research studies to these ends.]

- 2. Whenever the Employment Security Council believes that a change in contribution or benefit rates will become necessary to protect the solvency of the Unemployment Compensation Fund, it shall promptly so inform the Administrator and make recommendations with respect thereto.
 - **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.





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