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AN ACT relating to counties; authorizing an elected county officer to elect not to receive longevity pay; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

Existing law, with certain limitations, entitles an elected county officer, including a member of a board of county commissioners, who has served in his or her office for more than 4 years to receive an additional salary of 2 percent of his or her base salary for each full calendar year the officer has served in his or her office. (NRS 245.044) This bill authorizes an elected county officer to elect not to receive all or a portion of the longevity pay to which he or she is entitled for any fiscal year.

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

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

**Section 1.** (Deleted by amendment.)

**Sec. 2.** NRS 245.044 is hereby amended to read as follows:

245.044 1. On and after July 1, 1973, if an elected county officer has served in his or her office for more than 4 years, the officer is entitled to an additional salary of 2 percent of his or her base salary for the appropriate fiscal year as provided in subsection 2 of NRS 245.043 or his or her annual salary set pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 245.043, as applicable, for each full calendar year the officer has served in his or her office.

2. The additional salary ~~provided in this section for~~ *to which* an ~~eligible~~ *elected* county officer ~~is entitled pursuant to subsection 1:~~

(a) Must be ~~computed~~ *calculated* on July 1 of each year by multiplying 2 percent of the base salary for the appropriate fiscal year as provided in subsection 2 of NRS 245.043 or the annual salary set pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 245.043, as applicable, by the number of full calendar years the elected county officer has served in his or her office; and

(b) Must not exceed 20 percent of the base salary for the appropriate fiscal year as provided in subsection 2 of NRS 245.043 or the annual salary set pursuant to subsection 3 of NRS 245.043, as applicable.



3. *Any elected county officer who is entitled to additional salary pursuant to subsection 1 may elect not to receive the additional salary or any part of the additional salary.*

4. Service on the Board of Supervisors of Carson City for the initial term which began on July 1, 1969, and ended on the first Monday of January, 1973, shall be deemed to constitute 4 full calendar years of service for the purposes of this section.

**Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2015.

