FISCAL NOTE

AGENCY'S ESTIMATES

Agency Submitting: Nevada Department of Corrections

Date Prepared: March 31, 2015

Items of Revenue or Expense, or Both	Fiscal Year 2014-15	Fiscal Year 2015-16	Fiscal Year 2016-17	Effect on Future Biennia
Total	0	0	0	0

Explanation

(Use Additional Sheets of Attachments, if required)

The Department of Corrections has reviewed BDR #41-1135 in which chapter 463 of NRS will be amended to allow individuals to pool funds in a business entity to place wagers on race book and sports pool games with non-restricted gaming businesses. The activity will be allowed if the wager is submitted by an entity that has registered with the Gaming Control Board and the Secretary of State and has established a wagering account. Submitting false information in the application for registration of the business entity or failing to update the information within the required time frame will be a category D felony and punishable with 1 to 4 years in prison. Since June 2012, the NDOC has admitted two offenders convicted of a gaming license violations. One of them was found operating without a license and the other one attempted to avoid paying the gaming license fee. Currently, the NDOC is housing four offenders convicted of A, B, and C felonies because of not having a license or paying the fees. This law creates a new type of wagering entity. If false information is provided in the registration documents, it will be a D felony, which is a lower felony category than for the ones currently in prison. The low number of related cases and the likelihood of higher felony categories lead to the conclusion that the new crime is not anticipated to result in significant numbers of new felony convictions under the proposed law.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION'S COMMENTS The agency's response appears reasonable.	Date	Monday, March 30, 2015	
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