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AN ACT relating to support; repealing provisions relating to the reciprocal enforcement of support orders with foreign countries or political subdivisions; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

In 1997, the Nevada Legislature enacted the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act to establish the procedures and jurisdictional requirements regarding the issuance, enforcement and modification of interstate child-support and spousal-support orders. (Chapter 489, Statutes of Nevada 1997, pp. 2311-29) In 2009, the Nevada Legislature amended the Act to make the provisions of the Act apply to foreign support orders, foreign tribunals, and obligees, obligors and children residing in foreign countries. (NRS 130.0902-130.802; chapter 47, Statutes of Nevada 2009, pp. 119-40) Existing law authorizes the Attorney General to declare a foreign country or political subdivision to be a state for the purposes of enforcing certain support orders. (NRS 130.035) Under the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act, the Attorney General may determine “that a foreign country has established a reciprocal arrangement for child support with this State.” (NRS 130.308)

This bill repeals the provisions governing the declaration of a foreign country or political subdivision as a state because once the Attorney General determines that a foreign country has established a reciprocal agreement for child support with this State, the Uniform Interstate Family Support Act requires such countries to be treated as foreign countries and not as states.

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

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

Section 1. NRS 130.035 is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

