

Amendment No. 607

Senate Amendment to Senate Bill No. 175	(BDR 19-74)
Proposed by: Senator Hammond	
Amendment Box: Replaces Amendment No. 566.	
Amends: Summary: Yes Title: Yes Preamble: Amend Joint Sponsorship: No Digest: Yes	

ASSEMBLY ACTION				Initial and Date	SENATE ACTION				Initial and Date
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Receded	☐	Not	☐	_____	Receded	☐	Not	☐	_____

EXPLANATION: Matter in (1) *blue bold italics* is new language in the original bill; (2) variations of green bold underlining is language proposed to be added in this amendment; (3) ~~red strikethrough~~ is deleted language in the original bill; (4) ~~purple double strikethrough~~ is language proposed to be deleted in this amendment; (5) orange double underlining is deleted language in the original bill proposed to be retained in this amendment.

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Date: 4/24/2017

S.B. No. 175—Designates November 12 as Asian Culture Day in Nevada.
(BDR 19-74)



SENATE BILL NO. 175—SENATORS HAMMOND; ATKINSON, CANCELA, CANNIZZARO, FORD, GANSERT, HARDY, HARRIS, MANENDO, PARKS, ROBERSON AND SEGERBLOM

PREFILED FEBRUARY 13, 2017

JOINT SPONSORS: ASSEMBLYMEN PAUL ANDERSON, BILBRAY-AXELROD, BROOKS, BUSTAMANTE ADAMS, CARRILLO, COHEN, FRIERSON, FUMO, HAMBRICK, JAUREGUI, JOINER, KRAMER, KRASNER, MARCHANT, MCCURDY II, MILLER, MONROE-MORENO, NEAL, OHRENSCHALL, OSCARSON, PICKARD, SPIEGEL, THOMPSON, TOLLES, WATKINS, WHEELER AND YEAGER

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Designates ~~November 12~~ May 18 as Asian Culture Day in Nevada. (BDR 19-74)

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

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

AN ACT relating to days of observance; authorizing and requesting the Governor annually to proclaim ~~November 12~~ May 18 to be “Asian Culture Day” in Nevada; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

Existing law sets forth certain days of observance in this State to commemorate certain persons or occasions or to publicize information regarding certain important topics. (NRS 236.018-236.085) This bill authorizes and requests the Governor to annually proclaim ~~November 12~~ May 18 to be “Asian Culture Day” in the State of Nevada.

WHEREAS, Asians and Asian-Americans were instrumental to the settlement and early development of the State of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, The culture and cultural traditions shared by Asians and Asian-Americans in this State, which consist of a diverse range of cultures and traditions from across Asia, have enriched the lives of all of the residents of this State; and

WHEREAS, Within the State of Nevada, Asian and Asian-American communities continue to make important contributions to the cultural, religious, political and business environment of the State; and

WHEREAS, There are over 17,500 businesses owned by Asians and Asian-Americans within the State, adding to the rich diversity of the cities and counties of this State; and

1 WHEREAS, The State of Nevada desires to recognize the many contributions of
2 Asians and Asian-Americans to the prosperity and cultural diversity of the State of
3 Nevada and the United States of America; now, therefore,

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5 THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN
6 SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:
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8 **Section 1.** Chapter 236 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new
9 section to read as follows:

10 *1. The Governor shall annually proclaim ~~(November 12)~~ May 18 to be*
11 *“Asian Culture Day” in the State of Nevada.*

12 *2. The proclamation must call upon the news media, educators, business*
13 *and labor leaders and appropriate governmental officers to bring to the attention*
14 *of Nevada residents the important contributions of Asians and Asian-Americans*
15 *to the State of Nevada and the United States of America.*

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