

SENATE BILL NO. 508—COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

(ON BEHALF OF THE OFFICE OF FINANCE
IN THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR)

APRIL 30, 2019

Referred to Committee on Finance

SUMMARY—Makes appropriations to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the replacement of information technology infrastructure and to the Interim Finance Committee for allocation to the Department for wildfire prevention, restoration and long-term planning. (BDR S-1178)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation included in Executive Budget.

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

AN ACT making an appropriation to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the replacement of information technology infrastructure and making an appropriation to the Interim Finance Committee for allocation to the Department for wildfire prevention, restoration and long-term planning; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

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

- 1 **Section 1.** There is hereby appropriated from the State General
2 Fund to the State Department of Conservation and Natural
3 Resources, Administration, the sum of \$205,183 for the replacement
4 of information technology infrastructure.
5 **Sec. 2.** Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by
6 section 1 of this act must not be committed for expenditure after
7 June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or
8 any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or



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otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

Sec. 2.3. There is hereby appropriated from the State General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee for allocation to the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources the sum of \$5,000,000 for wildfire prevention, restoration and long-term planning. The Interim Finance Committee shall allocate money to the Department pursuant to section 2.7 of this act.

Sec. 2.7. 1. The State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources may obtain money from private or public sources of money, other than money from this State, including, without limitation, gifts, grants and donations to the Department, that requires matching money from this State. The Department shall, except as otherwise provided in subsection 4, use any such money that is obtained by the Department to match the money allocated pursuant to subsection 3 for wildfire prevention, restoration and long-term planning.

2. Each time the total amount of matching money obtained by the Department pursuant to subsection 1 is \$100,000 or more, the Department shall notify the Interim Finance Committee of the amount of matching money that the Department has obtained pursuant to subsection 1.

3. After receiving the notice pursuant to subsection 2, the Interim Finance Committee shall allocate to the Department any portion of the money appropriated pursuant to section 2.3 of this act, the total of which must not exceed the sum of \$5,000,000, that is equal to the amount of matching money that the Department obtained pursuant to subsection 1.

4. If the Department obtains matching money pursuant to subsection 1 and notifies the Interim Finance Committee pursuant to subsection 2 and the Interim Finance Committee determines that no money which is appropriated pursuant to section 2.3 of this act is available, the Department may use the matching money for wildfire prevention, restoration and long-term planning upon receiving the consent of the source of the matching money. If the Department does not receive such consent within 30 days after the Interim Finance Committee's determination that no money which is appropriated pursuant to section 2.3 of this act is available, the Department must return the matching money to the source of the money.



1 5. The Department may obtain money for wildfire prevention,
2 restoration and long-term planning from private or public sources of
3 money, other than money from this State, including, without
4 limitation, gifts, grants and donations to the Department, that does
5 not require matching money. The Department shall use any such
6 money that is obtained by the Department for wildfire prevention,
7 restoration and long-term planning.

8 **Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective upon passage and approval.

