## Amendment No. 52

Senate A		(BDR 38-6)					
Proposed by: Senate Committee on Health and Human Services							
Amends:	Summary: No	Title: No	Preamble: No	Joint Sponsorship: No	Digest: Yes		

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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.

TPG/KRO Date: 3/30/2021

S.B. No. 123—Revises provisions relating to the Nevada Silver Haired Legislative Forum. (BDR 38-6)

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#### SENATE BILL NO. 123-SENATOR SPEARMAN

#### FEBRUARY 15, 2021

#### Referred to Committee on Health and Human Services

SUMMARY—Revises provisions relating to the Nevada Silver Haired Legislative Forum. (BDR 38-6)

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 aging persons; revising qualifications relating to the membership of the Nevada Silver Haired Legislative Forum; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

## Legislative Counsel's Digest:

Existing law creates the Nevada Silver Haired Legislative Forum to identify and act upon issues of importance to aging persons. (NRS 427A.320) The Forum consists of members appointed by the Legislative Commission from persons nominated by each member of the State Senate and the members of the Nevada delegation of the National Silver Haired Congress, who are ex officio members of the Forum. (NRS 427A.330, 427A.350) To qualify for appointment by the Commission as a member of the Forum, a person must: (1) have been a resident of this State for 5 years immediately preceding the appointment; (2) have been a registered voter in the senatorial district of the Senator who made the nomination for 3 years immediately preceding the appointment, and (3) be at least 60 years of age on the day of the appointment. (NRS 427A.340) Section 1 of this bill revises the qualifications for such appointment by reducing the requirement for residency in this State from 5 years to [1 year, er] 6 months [1f the nominee is a member of the military.] and reducing the requirement for residency in the senatorial district from 3 years to 30 days.

Existing law authorizes a member of the National Silver Haired Congress, who is an ex officio member of the Forum, to vote on a matter considered by the Forum if the member: (1) has been a resident of this State for 5 years immediately preceding the date of a meeting at which the Forum will vote on such a matter; and (2) is at least 60 years of age on that date. (NRS 427A.350) Section [3] 2 of this bill revises those qualifications to vote by reducing the requirement for residency in this State from 5 years to [1 year, or] 6 months. [if the ex officio member is a member of the military.]

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

**Section 1.** NRS 427A.340 is hereby amended to read as follows: 427A.340 [13] To be eligible for appointment as a member of the Forum pursuant to NRS 427A.330, a person must:

1. {(a)} Have been a resident of this state for 5 years =

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(1) For 1 year 6 months immediately preceding his or her appointment; 2. <del>[or</del>

(2) If he or she is a member of the military, for 6 months immediately preceding his or her appointment.

(b) Have been a registered voter in the senatorial district of the Senator who nominated the member for [3 years] 30 days immediately preceding his or her appointment  $\neq$ : and

Be at least 60 years of age on the day that he or she is appointed.

12. As used in this section, "member of the military" means a person who is presently serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, a reserve component thereof or the National Guard.

Sec. 2. NRS 427A.350 is hereby amended to read as follows:

427A.350 1. Members of the National Silver Haired Congress from this State shall serve as ex officio members of the Forum. If a member of the National Silver Haired Congress ceases to be a member of the National Silver Haired Congress, the ex officio membership of that person in the Forum terminates. Except as otherwise provided in this section and NRS 427A.370, an ex officio member of the Forum has the same rights and responsibilities as the members who are appointed pursuant to NRS 427A.330.

2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 3, ex officio members of the Forum are nonvoting members.

- 3. A member of the National Silver Haired Congress from this State who is an ex officio member of the Forum may vote on a matter considered by the Forum if he or she: I on the date of a meeting at which the Forum will vote on a matter considered by the Forum:
- (a) Has been a resident of this State for [5 years the] 6 months immediately preceding the date of a meeting at which the Forum will vote on a matter considered by the Forum: [year or, if he or she is a member of the military, for the immediately preceding 6 months; and
- (b) Is at least 60 years of age H on the date of a meeting at which the Forum will vote on a matter considered by the Forum

14. As used in this section, "member of the military" means a person who is presently serving in the Armed Forces of the United States, a reserve component thereof or the National Guard.

**Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2021.