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## **In Memoriam Assemblyman Tyrone Thompson Majority Whip (D-Clark AD17)**

The Nevada Taxpayers Association joins all Nevadans in mourning the unexpected passing of Assemblyman Tyrone Thompson this past weekend in Carson City.

Assemblyman Thompson, Chairman of the Assembly Education Committee, was an unrelenting champion of education, and a steadfast advocate committed to helping children and the homeless.

Nevada and the Legislature are better places because of his legacy of service.

The NTA offers our deepest sympathies to Assemblyman Thompson's loved ones, colleagues, and friends.

This issue of Legislative Report contains a summary of bills and amendments, which directly or indirectly will have an impact on our members or be of interest to our members. It does not include industry specific bills.

### Notes:

- ♦ Page numbers continue in sequence from the last issue.
- ♦ To access the full text of the bills reported in this issue, use the link which appears at the end of the bill summary.
- ♦ Unless otherwise shown, the effective date of bills reported is July 1, 2019. (The Legislative default date is October 1).
- ♦ Some bills have a fiscal note, which is not indicated in the summary, as specific fiscal information is not currently provided.
- ♦ To review all bills introduced to date or the BDR list, click [here](#) or go to [www.leg.state.nv.us](http://www.leg.state.nv.us) and click on "Session Information – 80<sup>th</sup> (2019) Session."

## **FEES, FINES & PENALTIES**

*(See Issue 19-1, page 5, NTA's position on fees.)*

### **SB 72, 1<sup>st</sup> Reprint – Sports Wagering Licenses (Issue 1, page 7) – Removes the 2/3 Majority Requirement**

Removes the proposed registration of ticket brokers from the bill.

[https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB72\\_R1.pdf](https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB72_R1.pdf)

## **BUSINESS ISSUES**

### **AB 290, 1<sup>st</sup> Reprint – Construction Occupational Safety (Issue 10, page 73)**

Requires the registry of OSHA-10 and -30 course completers to be available on the internet. Clarifies deadlines for workers to have completed safety courses.

[https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/AB/AB290\\_R1.pdf](https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/AB/AB290_R1.pdf)

### **SB 493 – Employee Misclassification – Not Previously Reported**

Introduced by Senators Dondero Loop, Spearman et al and referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor. (BDR 53-1087)

Requires certain state offices to share information related to suspected employee misclassification, specifically as independent contractors. Creates the Task Force on Employee Misclassification, a 10-member body to review procedures of these state agencies to reduce the incidence of employee misclassification. A report and recommendations are due from the Task Force to the LCB Director by July 1, 2020 and each July 1 thereafter.

Effective: Varying from upon passage and approval to July 1, 2019.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6952/Text>

**SB 493, 1<sup>st</sup> Reprint – Employee Misclassification (see above)**

Notice of Exemption. Re-referred to Committee on Finance.

Reaffirms that an independent contractor must hold a state and or local business license. Tightens the definition of an independent contractor. Sets administrative penalties the Labor Commissioner may impose of not more than \$5,000 for a willful misclassification of each employee. A second offense will bring a fine of \$5,000 for each misclassified employee and suspension of the employer's business license for up to a year. Third offenses will result in revocation of the business license for up to 3 years.

Fiscal Impact: Unsolicited fiscal notes regarding the first reprint were received from the Office of the Labor Commissioner and the Industrial Relations Division - Workers Compensation Section. Respectively they are: FY2019-20 \$169,852, FY2020-21 \$177,306, future biennia \$354,612 for new duties and additional responsibilities; and FY2019-20 \$186,110, FY2020-21 \$234,993, future biennia \$469,986 for new responsibilities.

[https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB493\\_R1.pdf](https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB493_R1.pdf)

**STATE BUDGET: Appropriations IN Executive Budget**

The following Appropriation Bills in this category are all "Exempt"

**AB 500 – Office of Finance: Enterprise Resource Planning System**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1166)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance \$1,938,572 for the legacy systems data clean-up and interface builds for the replacement of the Advantage Financial and Human Resources System; and \$40,500,000 for the replacement of the Advantage Financial and Human Resources System with the Enterprise Resource Planning System. Appropriates from the State Highway Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance \$454,727 for the legacy system data clean-up and interface builds for the replacement of the Advantage Financial and Human Resources System with the Enterprise Resource Planning System; and \$9,500,000 for the replacement of the Advantage Financial and Human Resource System with the Enterprise Resource Planning System. Any remaining balance on September 15, 2023 reverts to the fund from which it was appropriated.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7002/Text>

**AB 501 – Fleet Services Division: Vehicle Replacement**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1171)

Appropriates \$5,291,952 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance as a loan to the Fleet Services Division of the Department of Administration for the replacement of vehicles. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7003/Text>

**AB 502 – Office of Finance: Electronic Tracking System**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1172)

Appropriates \$500,000 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance for an electronic tracking system for capital improvement projects. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7004/Text>

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**AB 503 – Fleet Services Division: New Vehicles Purchase**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1174)

Appropriates \$5,059,053 from the General Fund to the Fleet Services Division of the Department of Administration for the purchase of new vehicles. Appropriates \$715,350 from the State Highway Fund to the Fleet Services Division of the Department of Administration for the purchase of new vehicles. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the fund from which it was appropriated.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7005/Text>

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**AB 504 – Department of Agriculture: Water Conservation, Laboratory Equipment**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1177)

Appropriates \$400,000 from the General Fund to the State Department of Agriculture for Plant Health and Quarantine Services for water conservation projects to facilitate the modernization of techniques for irrigation and water storage for the agricultural and ranching industries. Appropriates from the General Fund to the State Department of Agriculture, Veterinary Medical Services, \$159,605 for new laboratory equipment; and \$14,479 for the replacement of laboratory equipment. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7006/Text>

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**AB 505 – Division of State Parks: Kiosks, Vehicles, Paving Project, Equipment Maintenance**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1180)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of State Parks of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources \$160,000 for a paving project at the visitor's center at Ice Age Fossils State Park; \$2,080,000 for maintenance at Ice Age Fossils State Park; \$213,009 for self-pay kiosks; \$1,291,348 for the replacement of vehicles; and \$49,500 for maintenance equipment for Sand Harbor at Lake Tahoe Nevada State Park. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7007/Text>

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**AB 506 – Department of Corrections: Systems and Equipment**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1182)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Department of Corrections \$1,812,000 for the Nevada Offender Tracking Information System; \$623,060 for the installation of a key control system for facilities; \$1,465,235 for the purchase of wireless networking capabilities for facilities; \$96,100 for the replacement of uninterruptible power supply equipment; \$3,390 for the purchase of data racks for the main data centers; \$152,371 for the replacement of handheld and vehicle radios and repeater upgrades; and \$4,380 for the replacement of scanners. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7008/Text>

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**AB 507 – Department of Corrections: Buses, Vehicles**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1183)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Department of Corrections \$822,498 for the replacement of buses; and \$1,731,157 for the replacement of other vehicles. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7009/Text>

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**AB 508 – Department of Corrections: Medical Equipment**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1185)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Department of Corrections, Prison Medical Care, \$114,700 for the replacement of medical equipment; and \$385 for a bladder scanner and a portable diagnostic scanner. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7010/Text>

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**AB 509 – Equal Rights Commission: Automation Solution**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1187)

Appropriates \$543,488 from the General Fund to the Nevada Equal Rights Commission within the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation for the new automation solution to streamline the intake process. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7011/Text>

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**AB 510 – Department of Motor Vehicles: Voter Registration**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1190)

Appropriates \$87,000 from the General Fund to the Division of Central Services and Records of the Department of Motor Vehicles for the costs of implementing the Automatic Voter Registration Initiative, Ballot Question No. 5 at the 2018 General Election. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7012/Text>

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**AB 511 – Investigation Division: Vehicles, Computer Software and Hardware**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1190)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Investigation Division of the Department of Public Safety \$540,388 for the replacement of vehicles; and \$58,848 for the replacement of computer hardware and software. Appropriates from the State Highway Fund to the Investigation Division of the Department of Public Safety \$93,538 for the replacement of vehicles; and \$2,008 for the replacement of computer hardware and software. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the fund from which it was appropriated.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7013/Text>

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**AB 512 – Office of Finance: Computer Applications**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1216)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance \$2,688,800 as a loan for the implementation of an enterprise cloud electronic mail and business productivity application; \$4,186,202 as a loan for the replacement of firewalls; and \$1,784,500 as a loan for the replacement of the content management and portal platform. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7014/Text>

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**AB 513 – Department of Public Safety: Computer Hardware and Software, Building Maintenance**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1219)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Training Division of the Department of Public Safety \$27,387 for the replacement of computer hardware and software; and \$24,606 for maintenance at the Carson City Training Building. Appropriates from the State Highway Fund to the Training Division of the Department of Public Safety \$47,056 for the replacement of computer hardware and software; and \$28,885 for maintenance at the Carson City Training Building. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the fund from which it was appropriated.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7015/Text>

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**AB 514 – Secretary of State: Voter Registration**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1225)

Appropriates \$7,665 from the General Fund to the Secretary of State for the Automatic Voter Registration Initiative approved by the voters at the 2018 General Election. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7016/Text>

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**AB 515 – Legislative Fund: Building Maintenance, Computer Hardware, Dues and Reimbursement**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1227)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Legislative Fund created by NRS 218A.150 \$230,000 for reimbursement of the costs of the consultant retained by the Nevada Right to Counsel Commission and the interim travel expenses of the members of the Commission; and \$1,843,663 for computer hardware, building maintenance and the payment of dues to national organizations. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7017/Text>

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**AB 516 – Interim Finance Committee: Marsy's Law**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1229)

Appropriates \$7,500,000 in each FY2019-20 and FY2020-21 from the General Fund to the Interim Finance Committee for unanticipated costs related to the implementation of Senate Joint Resolution No. 17 of the 78<sup>th</sup> Session of the Nevada Legislature, as approved and ratified by the people at the 2018 General Election, and commonly known as Marsy's Law. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7018/Text>

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**AB 517 – Governor's Office: Contract, Utility, and Operating Costs**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1230)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Office of the Governor \$8,475 for a shortfall in the utility costs for the Governor's Mansion; and \$12,500 for a shortfall in operating costs. Appropriates \$66,556 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance for a shortfall in contract costs in the Budget Division of the Office of Finance.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7019/Text>

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**AB 518 – Division of Public and Behavioral Health: Indirect Cost Rate Revenue Shortfall**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1233)

Appropriates \$1,565,311 from the General Fund to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of the Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Health Administration, for an unanticipated shortfall in indirect cost revenue.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7020/Text>

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**AB 519 – Stale Claims Account, Contingency Account**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1240)

Appropriates from the General Fund \$2,500,000 to restore the balance in the Stale Claims Account for payment of late claims for medical expenses; and \$16,253,908 to restore the balance in the Contingency Account.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7021/Text>

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**AB 520 – Division of Public and Behavioral Health: Web-based System, Computer Hardware and Software, Skid-Steer**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1244)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of the Department of Health and Human Services \$12,282 for the replacement of computer hardware and software; and \$112,000 for a web-based Community Health Services system. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of DHHS, Facility for the Mental Offender, \$28,565 for the replacement of computer hardware and software; and \$6,091 for the replacement of computer software. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of DHHS, Northern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services, \$131,714 for the replacement of computer hardware and software; \$721,970 for the deferred maintenance projects essential for the security and operation of the facility; \$207,439 for phone system upgrades; and \$56,500 for the replacement of buildings and grounds equipment. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Public and Behavioral Health of DHHS, Southern Nevada Adult Mental Health Services, \$174,960 for the replacement of computer hardware; and \$21,000 for a skid-steer. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7022/Text>

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**AB 521 – State Controller: Payroll Shortfall**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means and referred to same. (BDR S-1258)

Appropriates \$121,257 from the General Fund to the State Controller for a projected payroll shortfall.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7023/Text>

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**AB 522 – Budget Division: Upgrade System, Office Furniture**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1165)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Budget Division of the Governor's Office of Finance \$1,438,500 for an upgrade to the Nevada Executive Budget System; and \$66,382 for the replacement of office furniture. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7024/Text>

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**AB 523 – Department of Motor Vehicles: Power Supply, Network Units, Telephone and PBX Systems, CrowdStrike**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1191)

Appropriates from the State Highway Fund to the Division of Information Technology of the Department of Motor Vehicles \$150,000 for the replacement of uninterruptible power supply equipment; \$660,680 for the replacement of Storage Area Network units; \$379,185 for an upgrade to the Avaya telephone and PBX systems; and \$93,500 for CrowdStrike software. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the State Highway Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7025/Text>

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**AB 524 – Department of Corrections: Shortfall in Costs**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1234)

Appropriates \$1,479,223 from the General Fund to the Office of the Director of the Department of Corrections for an unanticipated shortfall in utilities costs, inmate-driven costs and food costs.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7026/Text>

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**AB 525 – Division of State Parks: Terminal Leave Payout Costs**

Introduced by the Committee on Ways and Means on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Ways and Means. (BDR S-1237)

Appropriates \$142,047 from the General Fund to the Division of State Parks of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for an unanticipated increase in terminal leave payout costs.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7027/Text>

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**SB 503 – Nevada Promise Scholarship Program**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1169)

Appropriates \$4,500,000 from the General Fund to the Nevada Promise Scholarship Account for continuation of the program.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6975/Text>

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**SB 504 – Office of Finance: 2020 Decennial Census**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1170)

Appropriates \$5,000,000 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance for outreach and educational activities for the 2020 federal decennial census. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6976/Text>

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**SB 505 – Office of Finance: School District Adjustments**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1173)

Appropriates \$8,600,000 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance for an adjustment to school districts affected by the district of residence issue. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6977/Text>

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**SB 506 – Division of State Library, Archives and Public Records: Large Book Scanner**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1175)

Appropriates \$85,250 from the General Fund to the Division of State Library, Archives and Public Records of the Department of Administration for the replacement of a large book scanner. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6978/Text>

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**SB 507 – Office of Finance: Marlette Lake**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1176)

Appropriates \$200,000 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance as a loan for the support of Marlette Lake. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6979/Text>

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**SB 508 – Department of Conservation and Natural Resources: Information Technology Infrastructure**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1178)

Appropriates \$205,183 from the General Fund to the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Administration, for the replacement of information technology infrastructure. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6980/Text>

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**SB 509 – Division of Water Resources: Vehicle, Computer Software and Hardware**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1181)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Water Resources of the State Department of Conservation and Natural Resources \$115,554 for the replacement of vehicles; and \$159,911 for the replacement of computer hardware and software. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6981/Text>

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**SB 510 – Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation: Database System**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1186)

Appropriates \$352,000 from the General Fund to the Department of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation for access to the database system for the Commission on Postsecondary Education to serve as the State approving agency for the VA Educational Benefits program and Alcohol Awareness programs for the issuance of Alcohol Beverage Awareness cards. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6982/Text>

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**SB 511 – Department of Corrections: Roof Hatches, Sewer Pump, Flooring, Plumbing**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1184)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Department of Corrections \$49,294 for replacement of roof hatches at High Desert State Prison; \$80,000 for bathroom flooring repairs at Humboldt Conservation Camp; \$18,482 for the replacement of a sewer chopper pump Lovelock Correctional Center; \$25,000 for repair of a sewer grinder at Southern Desert Correctional Center; and \$70,569 for replacement of floors and fixtures at Tonopah Conservation Camp. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6983/Text>

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**SB 512 – Nevada Gaming Control Board: Technology System, Security System**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1188)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Nevada Gaming Control Board \$7,218,698 for the Alpha Migration Project to modernize the COBOL-based computer system to a modern technology system; and \$143,211 for the replacement of security system equipment in both the Carson City office and the Gaming lab. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6984/Text>

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**SB 513 – Division of Welfare and Supportive Services: Computer Software and Hardware, Office Equipment**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1189)

Appropriates \$16,862,690 from the General Fund to the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services of the Department of Health and Human Services for the Child Support Enforcement Modernization system for the child support enforcement program. Expenditure of \$33,254,408 is hereby authorized during FY2019-20 and FY 2020-21 by the Division for the same purpose. Appropriates \$319,861 from the General Fund to the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services of DHHS, Administration, for the replacement of computer hardware and software. Expenditure of \$745,179 is hereby authorized during FY2019-20 and FY 2020-21 by the Division for the same purpose. Appropriates \$32,891 from the General Fund to the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services of DHHS for the replacement of computer hardware and software for the child support enforcement program. Expenditure of \$63,847 is hereby authorized during FY2019-20 and FY 2020-21 by the Division for the same purpose. Appropriates \$412,267 from the General Fund to the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services of DHHS, Welfare Field Services, for the replacement of computer hardware and software. Expenditure of \$878,016 is hereby authorized during FY2019-20 and FY 2020-21 by the Division for the same purpose. Appropriates \$5,995 from the General Fund to the Division of Welfare and Supportive Services of DHHS, Welfare Field Services, for conference room chairs. Expenditure of \$12,765 is hereby authorized during FY2019-20 and FY 2020-21 by the Division for the same purpose. Any remaining balance on September 15, 2023 or September 17, 2021, respectively, reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6985/Text>

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**SB 514 – Criminal History Central Repository Information System**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1192)

Appropriates \$11,500,000 from the General Fund to the Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History within the Records, Communications and Compliance Division of the Department of Public Safety for replacement of the Nevada Criminal Justice Information System. Expenditure of \$3,955,300 is hereby authorized during FY2019-20 and FY 2020-21 by the Central Repository for Nevada Records of Criminal History for the same purpose. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6986/Text>

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**SB 515 – Division of Parole and Probation: Computer Equipment, Offender Tracking System**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1193)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Parole and Probation of the Department of Public Safety \$2,711,874 for the replacement of the Offender Tracking Information System; and \$470,322 for the replacement of computer software and hardware. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6987/Text>

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**SB 516 – Parole Commissioners Board: Computer Software and Hardware, Video Conference Equipment, Chairs**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1195)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the State Board of Parole Commissioners of the Department of Public Safety \$43,249 for the replacement of computer software and hardware; \$87,555 for the replacement of video conference equipment; and \$11,380 for the replacement of hearing room chairs. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6988/Text>

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**SB 517 – Highway Patrol: Radio System, Computer Hardware and Software, Mobile Data Computers, Mobile Radios**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1224)

Appropriates from the State Highway Fund to the Nevada Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety \$676,547 for maintenance and support of the radio system; \$264,871 for the replacement of computer hardware and software equipment; \$1,118,772 for the replacement of mobile data computers, and \$95,715 for portable and mobile radio equipment. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the State Highway Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6989/Text>

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**SB 518 – Department of Taxation: Unified Tax System**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1226)

Appropriates \$1,700,373 from the General Fund to the Department of Taxation for the needs assessment for the modernization of the Unified Tax System. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6990/Text>

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**SB 519 – Office of Finance: Snowcat Vehicle**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1228)

Appropriates \$190,500 from the General Fund to the Governor's Office of Finance for a Snowcat vehicle for winter access to the pump house and dam at Marlette Lake. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6991/Text>

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**SB 520 – Distributive School Account: K-12 Enrollment Increase**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1231)

Appropriates \$36,492,628 from the General Fund to the State Distributive School Account for an unanticipated increase in K-12 enrollment for the 2017-18 and 2018-19 school years.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6992/Text>

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**SB 521 – Highway Patrol: Dignitary Protection Services**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1235)

Appropriates \$64,664 from the General Fund to the Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety for an unanticipated shortfall in dignitary protection services for visiting dignitaries.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6993/Text>

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**SB 522 – Highway Patrol: Gasoline Costs**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1236)

Appropriates \$441,225 from the State Highway Fund to the Nevada Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety for an unanticipated shortfall in gasoline costs.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6994/Text>

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**SB 523 – Department of Education: Literacy Programs Personnel Expenditures**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance and referred to same. (BDR S-1248)

Appropriates \$11,344 from the General Fund to the Department of Education for an unanticipated shortfall in personnel services expenditures for literacy programs.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6995/Text>

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**SB 524 – Non-State Retiree Rate Mitigation Account**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance and referred to same. (BDR S-1249)

Appropriates \$127,819 from the General Fund to the Non-State Retiree Rate Mitigation Account for a projected shortfall related to the payment of supplemental subsidies for coverage of non-state, non-Medicare retirees under PERS for FY2018-19.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6996/Text>

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**SB 525 – Division of Forestry: Equipment and Maintenance**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1179)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Forestry of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources \$4,500,000 for the replacement of a helicopter; \$485,088 for the replacement of wood chippers; \$722,651 for the replacement of emergency response vehicles; \$2,594,544 for deferred maintenance projects; \$218,295 for the replacement of mobile incident kitchen trailers for the Forestry Conservation Camps; \$2,234,850 for the replacement of emergency response fire-fighting and resource equipment for the Forestry Conservation Camps for FY2019-20; and \$2,103,642 for deferred maintenance projects for the Forestry Conservation Camps for FY2019-2020. Any remaining balances on varying dates of September 17, 2021 and September 18, 2020 revert to the General Fund.

Effective: Varying from upon passage and approval to July 1, 2019.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6998/Text>

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**SB 526 – Highway Patrol: Patrol Vehicles, Patrol Motorcycles**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1223)

Appropriates from the State Highway Fund to the Nevada Highway Patrol Division of the Department of Public Safety \$13,282,242 for the replacement of patrol vehicles and motorcycles; and \$256,712 for the replacement of patrol vehicles. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/6999/Text>

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**SB 527 – Division of Child and Family Services: Maintenance, Security Camera System**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1245)

Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Child and Family Services of the Department of Health and Human Services \$231,250 for deferred maintenance projects for the security and operation of the Caliente Youth Center; \$110,608 for the replacement of equipment at Caliente Youth Center. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Child and Family Services of DHHS \$780,206 for the deferred maintenance projects for the security and operation of the Nevada Youth Training Center. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Child and Family Services of DHHS, Northern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services \$113,396 for security camera system upgrades at the Adolescent Treatment Center, the Family Learning Homes and the agency administration building. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Child and Family Services of DHHS, Southern Nevada Child and Adolescent Services \$204,240 for the security and operation of the Children's Mental Health facilities. Appropriates from the General Fund to the Division of Child and Family Services of DHHS \$308,723 for deferred maintenance at the Summit View Youth Center. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund. Any remaining balance on September 17, 2021 reverts to the General Fund.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7000/Text>

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**SB 529 – Rainy Day Fund: Guidelines for Appropriations**

Introduced by Senators Settlemeyer, Hardy, et al by Emergency Request of Senate Minority Leader. Referred to Committee on Government Affairs. (BDR 31-1267)

Amends the allocation directive for this account to allow the Legislature to directly appropriate funds from it if the balance exceeds 6.25 percent of all appropriations made for the current biennium, and if the Economic Forum forecasts a decrease in revenue for the current fiscal year or total actual revenue falls short of anticipation by 5 percent or more or the General Fund balance falls below 5 percent of total appropriations for the year. No amount may be used to satisfy obligations under a collective bargaining agreement for state employees.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

**NTA POSITION: SUPPORT.**

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7028/Text>

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**SB 531 – Division of Forestry: Firefighting Costs**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1239)

Appropriates \$9,600,000 from the General Fund to the Division of Forestry of the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for an unanticipated shortfall in firefighting costs.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7030/Text>

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**SB 532 – Division of Health Care Financing and Policy: Medicaid, Intergovernmental Transfer Revenue**

Introduced by the Committee on Finance on behalf of the Governor's Office of Finance. Referred to Committee on Finance. (BDR S-1232)

Appropriates \$14,493,387 from the General Fund to the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy of the Department of Health and Human Services for an increase in the Medicaid cost-per-eligible participant and decrease in intergovernmental transfer revenue for FY2017-18 and FY2018-19. Expenditure of \$115,587,508 is authorized during the fiscal year beginning on July 1, 2019 and ending on June 30, 2020 by the Division of Health Care Financing and Policy of DHHS.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7031/Text>

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### STATE BUDGET: Appropriations NOT in Executive Budget

#### **SB 528 – Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health: Research, Clinical Studies, Operations, Educational Programs**

Introduced by Committee on Finance and referred to same. (BDR S-1260)

Appropriates \$2,000,000 from the General Fund to the Lou Ruvo Center for Brain Health for research, operations and educational programs. Appropriates from the General Fund \$542,343 for FY2019-20 and \$542,343 for FY 2020-21 to restore funding previously provided through the UNR Medical School. Any money from the two annual amounts not spent at the end of the respective fiscal years will revert to the General Fund.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7001/Text>

#### **SB 530 – Nevada Supreme Court: Judicial Selection Processes**

Introduced by Committee on Finance and referred to same. (BDR S-1250)

Appropriates \$10,500 from the General Fund to the Nevada Supreme Court for a projected shortfall related to judicial selection process.

Effective: Upon passage and approval.

<https://www.leg.state.nv.us/App/NELIS/REL/80th2019/Bill/7029/Text>

### GENERAL INTEREST

#### **SB 117, 1<sup>st</sup> Reprint – Property Conveyance Rules (Issue 3, page 25)**

Requires the Real Estate Division to work with county recorders to create any forms necessary to make a declaration of removal of a discriminatory restriction. Strengthens language relating to void and unenforceable provisions. Changes the effective date.

Effective: Upon passage and approval for administrative tasks and October 1, 2019 for all other purposes.

[https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB117\\_R1.pdf](https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB117_R1.pdf)

#### **SB 117, 2nd Reprint – Property Conveyance Rules (see above)**

Adds Assemblywoman Krasner as Joint Sponsor. Declares discriminatory restrictions immediately void and unenforceable upon filing of the form by the owner(s) with the respective county recorder.

[https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB117\\_R2.pdf](https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB117_R2.pdf)

### STUDIES

#### **SB 284, 1<sup>st</sup> Reprint – HIV Exposure Task Force (Issue 9, page 63)**

Changes Criminalization to Modernization in Task Force title. Requires the majority of task force members to be HIV patients or working with HIV affected population. Clarifies the focus of the task force on statutes, legal disparities and developments nationally regarding modernization of HIV criminalization laws.

[https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB284\\_R1.pdf](https://www.leg.state.nv.us/Session/80th2019/Bills/SB/SB284_R1.pdf)

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