

---

---

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 84—COMMITTEE  
ON COMMERCE AND LABOR

(ON BEHALF OF THE STATE CONTRACTORS' BOARD)

PREFILED DECEMBER 20, 2014

---

Referred to Committee on Commerce and Labor

**SUMMARY**—Authorizes the State Contractors' Board to issue a written administrative citation to a person who acts as a contractor without an active license of the proper classification. (BDR 54-386)

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

~

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

---

---

AN ACT relating to contractors; authorizing the State Contractors' Board or its designee to issue a written administrative citation to a person who acts as a contractor without an active license of the proper classification; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

1 Under existing law, if the State Contractors' Board or its designee has a reason  
2 to believe that a person has, based upon a preponderance of the evidence, acted as a  
3 contractor without an active license of the proper classification issued pursuant to  
4 chapter 624 of NRS, the Board or its designee is required to issue or authorize the  
5 issuance of a written administrative citation to the person. This bill amends existing  
6 law to authorize, rather than require, the Board or its designee to issue a written  
7 administrative citation to the person.

---

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

1 **Section 1.** NRS 624.341 is hereby amended to read as follows:  
2 624.341 1. ~~If the~~ *The* Board or its designee ~~;~~ *may issue or*  
3 *authorize the issuance of a written administrative citation to a*  
4 *person if,* based upon a preponderance of the evidence, *the Board*



1 *or its designee, as applicable*, has reason to believe that ~~[a] the~~  
2 person has:

3 (a) Acted as a contractor without an active license of the proper  
4 classification issued pursuant to this chapter ~~[, the Board or its~~  
5 ~~designee, as appropriate, shall issue or authorize the issuance of a~~  
6 ~~written administrative citation to the person.] ; or~~

7 (b) Committed any other act which constitutes a violation of this  
8 chapter or the regulations of the Board ~~. [, the Board or its designee,~~  
9 ~~as appropriate, may issue or authorize the issuance of a written~~  
10 ~~administrative citation to the person.]~~

11 2. A citation issued pursuant to this section may include,  
12 without limitation:

13 (a) An order to take action to correct a condition resulting from  
14 an act that constitutes a violation of this chapter or the regulations of  
15 the Board, at the person's cost;

16 (b) An order to pay an administrative fine not to exceed  
17 \$50,000, except as otherwise provided in subsection 1 of NRS  
18 624.300; and

19 (c) An order to reimburse the Board for the amount of the  
20 expenses incurred to investigate the complaint.

21 3. If a written citation issued pursuant to this section includes  
22 an order to take action to correct a condition resulting from an act  
23 that constitutes a violation of this chapter or the regulations of the  
24 Board, the citation must state the time permitted for compliance,  
25 which must be not less than 15 business days after the date the  
26 person receives the citation, and specifically describe the action  
27 required to be taken.

28 4. The sanctions authorized by this section are separate from,  
29 and in addition to, any other remedy, civil or criminal, authorized by  
30 this chapter.

31 5. The failure of an unlicensed person to comply with a citation  
32 or order after it is final is a misdemeanor. If an unlicensed person  
33 does not pay an administrative fine imposed pursuant to this section  
34 within 60 days after the order of the Board becomes final, the order  
35 may be executed upon in the same manner as a judgment issued by a  
36 court.

