
ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 443—COMMITTEE ON
LEGISLATIVE OPERATIONS AND ELECTIONS

MARCH 25, 2013

Referred to Committee on Legislative Operations and Elections

SUMMARY—Revises provisions governing ethics in government.
(BDR 23-988)

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 ethics in government; revising provisions governing ethical standards for public officers and employees concerning gifts; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 The Nevada Ethics in Government Law (Chapter 281A of NRS) prohibits a
2 public officer or employee from accepting gifts under certain circumstances and
3 requires disclosure and abstention from voting on matters relating to gifts accepted
4 by certain public officers and employees under certain circumstances. (NRS
5 281A.400, 281A.420) This bill provides a definition of the term “gift” for the
6 purposes of these provisions.

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

1 **Section 1.** Chapter 281A of NRS is hereby amended by
2 adding thereto a new section to read as follows:
3 *“Gift” has the meaning ascribed to it in NRS 218H.060.*



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1 **Sec. 2.** NRS 281A.030 is hereby amended to read as follows:
2 281A.030 As used in this chapter, unless the context otherwise
3 requires, the words and terms defined in NRS 281A.040 to
4 281A.170, inclusive, *and section 1 of this act* have the meanings
5 ascribed to them in those sections.

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