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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 90-ASSEMBLYWOMAN BENITEZ-THOMPSON

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Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

- SUMMARY—Directs the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study concerning the impacts of projects of intercounty significance. (BDR S-883)
- FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: May have Fiscal Impact. 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 local governments; directing the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study concerning the impacts of projects of intercounty significance; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel's Digest:

This bill directs the Legislative Commission to appoint a committee to conduct an interim study concerning state, regional and local impacts from projects of intercounty significance initiated in response to state-approved economic development incentives. This bill requires the committee to: (1) examine the impacts of such projects on local governments, the State and sources of state and local revenue; and (2) submit a report of its findings and any recommendations to the Legislature.

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

- 1 Section 1. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 2 Sec. 2. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 3 Sec. 3. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 4 Sec. 4. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 5 Sec. 5. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 6 Sec. 6. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 7 Sec. 7. (Deleted by amendment.)





- 1 Sec. 8. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 2 Sec. 9. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 3 Sec. 10. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 4 Sec. 11. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 5 Sec. 12. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 6 Sec. 13. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 7 Sec. 14. (Deleted by amendment.)
- 8 **Sec. 14.5.** 1. The Legislative Commission shall appoint a 9 committee to conduct an interim study concerning the state, regional 10 and local impacts of projects of intercounty significance initiated in 11 response to state-approved economic development incentives.
- 12 2. The committee must be composed of six Legislators as 13 follows:
- (a) One member appointed by the Chair of the Senate
 Committee on Revenue and Economic Development during the
 preceding regular session;
- 17 (b) One member appointed by the Majority Leader of the 18 Senate;
- 19 (c) One member appointed by the Speaker of the Assembly;
- 20 (d) One member appointed by the Chair of the Assembly 21 Committee on Revenue during the preceding regular session;
- 22 (e) One member appointed by the Minority Leader of the 23 Senate; and
- 24 (f) One member appointed by the Minority Leader of the 25 Assembly.
- 3. The Legislative Commission shall appoint a Chair and aVice Chair from among the members of the interim committee.
- 4. In conducting the study, the committee shall examine, without limitation:
- 30 (a) Existing projects of intercounty significance that were 31 developed in response to state-approved economic development 32 incentives;
- (b) The impact of existing projects of intercounty significance
 on the State, as a whole, and local governments, including, without
 limitation:
- (1) The impact on population growth and housing in the
 counties and cities in which projects of intercounty significance are
 located and in the immediately adjacent counties and cities;
- 39 (2) The cost to the State for employees and dependents of
 40 employees who received Medicaid benefits while employed by any
 41 employer that received state-approved economic development
 42 incentives;
- 43 (c) The impact to state and local sources of revenue caused by
 44 tax abatements and other state-approved economic incentives
 45 awarded to projects of intercounty significance by the Office of





Economic Development, including, without limitation, an analysis
 of the amounts of state and local sources of revenue that will be
 generated after any tax abatements end; and

4 (d) Any data or information relevant to analyzing the impacts of 5 projects of intercounty significance, including, without limitation:

6 7 (1) State and local tax reports and assessments;(2) Demographic information; and

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(3) County and regional master plans.

9 5. The committee shall submit a report of its findings, 10 including, without limitation, any recommendations for legislation 11 to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmittal to:

12 (a) The 82nd Session of the Legislature;

(b) The Chair of the Senate Committee on Revenue and
 Economic Development during the 82nd Session of the Legislature;
 and

(c) The Chair of the Assembly Committee on Revenue duringthe 82nd Session of the Legislature.

18 Sec. 15. This act becomes effective on July 1, 2021.

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