

SENATE BILL NO. 109—SENATOR PARKS

PREFILED FEBRUARY 2, 2011

Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY—Revises provisions relating to local financial administration. (BDR 31-825)

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 financial administration; revising provisions governing limitations on fees for business licenses which may be imposed by a local government on a public utility; providing that any proceeds from the interstate sale of natural gas to a wholesale provider of electric energy are not considered revenue for the purposes of imposing certain fees for business licenses; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

1 Existing law authorizes the governing body of a city or county in this State to
2 impose certain fees for a business license on a public utility. The amount of such a
3 fee for a business license may be based only upon the revenue derived by the public
4 utility from customers located within the jurisdiction of the city or county. (NRS
5 354.59881-354.59889) For the purposes of imposing such a fee, the term “revenue”
6 does not include any proceeds from the interstate sale of natural gas to a provider of
7 electric energy that holds a certificate of public convenience and necessity issued
8 by the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada. (NRS 354.598818) This bill
9 additionally excludes from the definition of “revenue” any proceeds from the
10 interstate sale of natural gas to a wholesale provider of electric energy.

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

1 **Section 1.** NRS 354.598818 is hereby amended to read as
2 follows:
3 354.598818 “Revenue” does not include:
4 1. Any proceeds from the interstate sale of natural gas to ~~fa~~:



1 *(a)* A provider of electric energy that holds a certificate of public
2 convenience and necessity issued by the Public Utilities
3 Commission of Nevada; or

4 *(b)* A *wholesale provider of electric energy; or*

5 2. Any revenue of a provider of a telecommunication service
6 other than intrastate revenue that the provider collects from retail
7 customers.

8 **Sec. 2.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2011.

