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ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 214—ASSEMBLYMEN KRAMER; BILBRAY-AXELROD, COHEN, EDWARDS, HAFEN, ROBERTS, SWANK AND TOLLES

FEBRUARY 18, 2019

JOINT SPONSORS: SENATORS KIECKHEFER, PARKS; AND SETTELMEYER

Referred to Committee on Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Mining

SUMMARY—Makes an appropriation for a feasibility study of the development of the historic structures, buildings and other property and any artifact resources of the Nevada State Prison. (BDR S-535)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.
Effect on the State: Contains Appropriation not included in Executive Budget.

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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 the Nevada State Prison; making an appropriation to the Division of Museums and History of the Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs to complete a feasibility study of the development of the historic structures, buildings and other property and any artifact resources of the Nevada State Prison for use as a historic, cultural, educational and scientific resource, including use as a museum; requiring the submission of a report of the results of the feasibility study to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmission to the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

Legislative Counsel’s Digest:

- 1 Under existing law, the State Land Registrar is required to determine, in
- 2 consultation with the Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs, the Nevada
- 3 State Prison Preservation Society, local government and other state agencies, which



4 structures, buildings and other property of the Nevada State Prison are appropriate
5 for administration as a historical, cultural, educational and scientific resource. (NRS
6 321.004) This bill makes an appropriation to the Division of Museums and History
7 of the Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs to complete a feasibility study
8 of the development of the historic structures, buildings and other property and any
9 artifact resources of the Nevada State Prison for use as a historic, cultural,
10 educational and scientific resource, including, without limitation, use as a museum.
11 This bill additionally requires the submission of a report of the results of the
12 feasibility study to the Director of the Legislative Counsel Bureau for transmission
13 to the 81st Session of the Nevada Legislature.

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

1 **Section 1.** 1. There is hereby appropriated from the State
2 General Fund to the Division of Museums and History of the
3 Department of Tourism and Cultural Affairs the sum of \$250,000 to
4 complete a feasibility study of the development of the historic
5 structures, buildings and other property and any artifact resources of
6 the Nevada State Prison for use as a historic, cultural, educational
7 and scientific resource, including, without limitation, use as a
8 museum located at the Nevada State Prison.

9 2. In consultation with the Nevada State Prison Preservation
10 Society, the Division shall develop contracts and select one or more
11 consultants to complete the feasibility study.

12 3. The study must include:

13 (a) An evaluation of the historic structures, buildings and other
14 property and any artifact resources of the Nevada State Prison
15 available for use as a historic, cultural, educational and scientific
16 resource, including, without limitation, use as a museum;

17 (b) A marketing analysis;

18 (c) A client and audience analysis; and

19 (d) An interpretive plan.

20 **Sec. 2.** On or before January 1, 2021, the Division shall
21 present a report of the results of the feasibility study conducted
22 pursuant to section 1 of this act, including, without limitation, any
23 recommendations for legislation, to the Director of the Legislative
24 Counsel Bureau for transmission to the 81st Session of the Nevada
25 Legislature.

26 **Sec. 3.** Any remaining balance of the appropriation made by
27 section 1 of this act must not be committed for expenditure after
28 June 30, 2021, by the entity to which the appropriation is made or
29 any entity to which money from the appropriation is granted or
30 otherwise transferred in any manner, and any portion of the
31 appropriated money remaining must not be spent for any purpose
32 after September 17, 2021, by either the entity to which the money



1 was appropriated or the entity to which the money was subsequently
2 granted or transferred, and must be reverted to the State General
3 Fund on or before September 17, 2021.

4 **Sec. 4.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2019.



