

ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 205—ASSEMBLYMEN THOMPSON, FLORES,  
ARAUJO, DIAZ; ELLIOT ANDERSON, JOINER, SPIEGEL AND  
SWANK

MARCH 2, 2015

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JOINT SPONSORS: SENATORS ATKINSON, FORD,  
KIHUEN, SPEARMAN; DENIS AND HARRIS

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Referred to Committee on Education

SUMMARY—Requires the Legislative Committee on Education to consider matters relating to certain mentorship programs. (BDR S-116)

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

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

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AN ACT relating to education; requiring the Legislative Committee on Education to consider guidelines, parameters and financial plans for certain mentorship programs; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

**Legislative Counsel's Digest:**

1 Existing law creates the Legislative Committee on Education. The Committee  
2 meets during the legislative interim to evaluate, review and comment upon issues  
3 related to education in this State. (NRS 218E.600-218E.615) This bill requires the  
4 Committee, during the 2015-2016 legislative interim, to consider guidelines,  
5 parameters and financial plans for certain mentorship programs in this State to aid  
6 in addressing issues relating to education, college and career readiness, health,  
7 criminal justice and employment with respect to children residing in this State,  
8 including, without limitation, children who are disproportionately at risk of: (1)  
9 being deprived of the opportunity to develop and maintain a competitive position in  
10 the economy; (2) failing to make adequate yearly progress in school; or (3) entering  
11 the juvenile justice system.

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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.)

8     **Sec. 7.5.** 1. As part of its review of issues related to  
9 education during the 2015-2016 legislative interim, the Legislative  
10 Committee on Education created by NRS 218E.605 shall consider  
11 guidelines, parameters and financial plans for mentorship programs  
12 that are established or may be established in this State to address  
13 issues relating to education, college and career readiness, health,  
14 criminal justice and employment with respect to school-age  
15 children, including, without limitation, children who are  
16 disproportionately at risk of:

17     (a) Being deprived of the opportunity to develop and to maintain  
18 a competitive position in the economy;

19     (b) Failing to make adequate yearly progress in school; or

20     (c) Entering the juvenile justice system.

21     2. Not later than February 6, 2017, the Committee shall prepare  
22 and submit a written report to the Director of the Legislative  
23 Counsel Bureau, for transmittal to the 79th Session of the Nevada  
24 Legislature, concerning the Committee's consideration of the  
25 matters described in this section and any recommendations for  
26 legislation.

27     **Sec. 8.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2015.

