

NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF SENTENCING POLICY

Legislative Tracking



Nevada Sentencing Commission Meeting

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Nevada Sentencing Commission Duties and Reporting Requirements

NRS 176.0134, 176.01343, 176.01347

Makes Recommendations:

- elements of the criminal justice system that affect criminal sentences
- structure of criminal sentencing that incorporates objectives and goals of fairness, consistency, and proportionality
- statutory sentencing guidelines

Evaluates:

- sentencing policies and practices related to efficacy and fiscal considerations
- impact of sentencing program options

Facilitates the development and maintenance of a statewide sentencing database

Provides Training on sentencing and related issues, policies, and practices

Reports:

- Comprehensive sentencing changes and recommendations
- Comparative sentencing and inmate data based on statutory data measures
- Projected and actual fiscal effects of sentencing reform

Advises the Department of Sentencing Policy in assisting the Commission in ensuring its Compliance with its duties, requirements, and other objectives



Current Legislative Tracking Plan and Effort

AB 236 breakdown

- List of NRS chapters/provisions touched by AB236
- Table of AB236 sections with substantive description of each

Bill Draft Requests

- BDR review to identify any possible relevance to Commission's duties and objectives
- 242 BDRs

Legislative Bill Tracking

- Review bills assigned to tracked BDRs through broad filter related to the Commission's duties and mandates
- Add relevant bills and their information to legislative tracking workbook
- When possible, watch committee meetings and bill discussions
- Continued review and evaluation of the bill's possible impact on criminal sentencing policies and issues



Current Bills being Tracked

Assembly Bills

No.t	Description
AB2	Appointments to public bodies
AB10	Penalties for Vehicular Manslaughter
AB17	Discharge from parole or probation
AB23	Incompetent criminal defendants
AB25	Transfer of person on conditional release
AB36	Competency hearings
AB42	Charging of domestic violence batteries
AB58	Authorities and duties of the A.G.
AB64	Crimes related to human trafficking
AB104	Wrongful convictions
AB113	Prosecution for sex trafficking
AB125	Credits against sentences
AB131	Peace officer use of recording devices
AB133	Training for peace officers

Senate Bills

No.	Description
SB6	Orders for protection - high risk behavior
SB15	Policies and procedures regarding grants
SB19	Criminal history records of certain persons
SB30	Crimes committed by prisoners
SB31	RCCD records related to public safety
SB32	N.D.O.C. treatment programs for offenders
SB37	A.G. assistance to D.A. in criminal cases
SB41	Use of a pen register or trap and trace device
SB50	Prohibition of no-knock warrants
SB69	Behavioral health
SB70	Treatment related to mental health issues
SB89	Probation for Category C felony
SB99	Fiscal note requirement for legislative bills
SB108	Training for criminal justice employees
SB109	Collection of certain personal information
SB113	Crime of Arson
SB116	Training program related to mental health



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