

# Nevada Network Against Domestic Violence 2015 Legislative Summary

## **AB 110**

Full Text: <u>AB 110</u>

• **Summary:** AB 110 proposed that a person without legal representation could be penalized and fined for bringing forward allegations that are not "founded in fact".

Origin/Author: Assemblyman Randy Kirner

Position: Oppose

Outcome: Failed in Senate

## **AB 148**

Full Text: <u>AB 148</u>

• Summary: AB 148 is known as the "campus carry" bill. It would have allowed those with Concealed Carry Permits to carry their guns on college campuses (amongst other locations).

Origin/Author: Assemblywoman Michele Fiore

Position: Oppose

Outcome: Failed in Senate

## **AB 193**

Full Text: AB 193

• Summary: AB 193 allows for hearsay evidence to be used in preliminary and grand jury hearings to establish probable cause for felony domestic violence cases with substantial bodily harm, child abuse and child sexual abuse victims under the age of 16. This reduces the amount of times victims must face their abusers in court and allows for hearsay, such as a statement given to law enforcement, to be used in the preliminary hearing.

Origin/Author: Assembly Committee on Judiciary

Position: Support

Outcome: Signed by the Governor

Effective: October 1, 2015

## **AB 212**

Full Text: AB 212

• **Summary:** Increases the statute of limitations for sexual assault from 4 years to 20 years.

Origin/Author: Assemblywoman Bustamante Adams

Position: Support

Outcome: Signed by the Governor

• Effective: October 1, 2015

## **AB 375**

■ Full Text: AB 375

• **Summary:** AB 375 proposed a requirement that students who identify as transgender use the bathroom which coincides with their "biological sex".

Origin/Author: Assemblywoman Victoria Dooling

Position: Oppose

Outcome: Failed in Assembly

# **AB 405**

■ Full Text: AB 405

• **Summary:** AB 405 proposed to expand parental notification laws in Nevada for a minor under the age of 18 to get an abortion.

Origin/Author: Assemblyman Ira Hansen

Position: Oppose

Outcome: Failed in the Senate

## SB 175

Full Text: <u>SB 175</u>

- Summary: SB 175 places some federal prohibitors for the possession of firearms into Nevada law. This codifies that anyone convicted of misdemeanor domestic violence (as defined in federal law) cannot own or possess a firearm and that anyone subject to an extended order of protection cannot subsequently purchase or acquire a firearm for the duration of that order. This bill contains other firearms provisions.
- Origin/Author: Senator Michael Roberson
- Position: NNADV did not take a position in the Senate but testified in support in the Assembly
  on the portions of the bill related to domestic violence.

Outcome: PassedEffective: June 2, 2015

## **SB 187**

- Full Text: <u>SB 187</u>
- Summary: SB 187 would have created restrictions for those subject to an extended order of
  protection and those convicted of misdemeanor domestic violence from having firearms. It
  included surrender provisions and increased penalties for violations.
- Origin/Author: Senator Debbie SmithPosition: Support (NNADV sponsored bill)
- Outcome: Did not receive a hearing

## **SB 286**

- Full Text: SB 286
- Summary: SB 286 stated that a person who is arrested for or charged with murder or voluntary
  manslaughter may not act as the person authorized to order the burial or cremation of the
  decedent who the person is accused of killing.
- Origin/Author: Senator Greg Brower
- Position: Support
- Outcome: Signed by the Governor
- Effective: This act became effective: (a) June 4, 2015 for purposes of adopting regulations and performing any preparatory administrative tasks that are necessary to carry out the provisions of this act; and (b) On January 1, 2016, for all other purposes.

## **SB 362**

- Full Text: SB 362
- **Summary:** SB 362 allows for the Division of Public and Behavioral Health under the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services to apply for funding for the prevention of domestic violence.
- Origin/Author: Senator Patricia Spearman
- Position: Support
- Outcome: Signed by the Governor
- Effective: July 1, 2015

## SB 394

- **Full Text:** SB 394
- Summary: SB 394 mandates that the Department of Education develop K-12 curriculum about violence prevention by 2016 and for the Board of Trustees to implement this curriculum by 2020.
- Origin/Author: Senator Michael Roberson
- Position: Support
- Outcome: Signed by the Governor
- Effective: May 27, 2015 for adoption of regulations. See summary for implementation dates.

# **SJR 17**

■ Full Text: SJR 17

• **Summary:** Senate Joint Resolution 17 would expand victim's rights in the Nevada Constitution. This bill is based off of California's Marsy's Law.

• Origin/Author: Senator Michael Roberson

Position: SupportOutcome: Passed

 Because this is a constitutional amendment, SJR 17 must also be passed by the 2017 legislature and be voted on in the 2018 election.