NEVADA STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

Legislative Committee Minutes March 9, 2016

An open meeting of the Joint Meeting of the Legislative Committees of the Nevada State Board of Accountancy and Nevada Society of CPAs was called to order at 10:00 A.M. by Board Committee Member L. Ralph Piercy.

The Legislative Committee Conference Call was accessed by dialing toll free (877) 873-8018 and reference participant access code 2972156#.

Nevada State Board of Accountancy Committee Members Present:

L. Ralph Piercy, CPA Secretary/Treasurer Nicola Neilon, CPA Board Member Brian Wallace, CPA Board Member Karen Peterson, Counsel Viki A. Windfeldt, Executive Director

Nevada Society of CPAs Committee Members Present:

Jeffrey Cooper, CPA Anna Durst, CPA Kevin Karo, CPA Sharon Uithoven, Executive Director

- A. Call to Order and Roll Call
- B. <u>Public Comment Section:</u> In accordance with NRS 241.020 Public Comment will be taken prior to the beginning of the meeting.

Note: No one was present for this section of the public comment agenda item.

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Agenda Item 1: Board Member and Society Member discussion of proposed language to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) for the 2017 Legislative Session

The Legislative Committee discussed the following topics in connection with proposed amendments to statutes during the 2017 Legislative Session based upon the agenda materials provided to the Legislative Committee:

- Definition of Attest
- Definition of Compilation
- Definition of Report
- Appointment of Board Members
- General requirements regarding experience for licensure
- Continued regulation of the term "accounting"
- Education required to sit for the exam versus licensure
- Firm Mobility

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Committee Members discussed their positions on the above topics, alternative language for some statutory provisions, requested further information on some topics and gave Viki Windfeldt direction on the above topics. Viki Windfeldt will be providing further information to the Committee Members consistent with the direction given for discussion and determination at the next Committee Meeting.

Viki Windfeldt informed the Committee Members that the Board's lobbyist was working on who would introduce the bill for the Board.

C. <u>Public Comment Section:</u> In accordance with NRS 241.020 Public Comment will be taken prior to the adjournment of the meeting.

Note: No one was present for this section of the public comment agenda item.