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**MINUTES OF THE WORKSHOP TO SOLICIT COMMENTS TO
PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO EXISTING REGULATIONS TO ENSURE THEY ARE
STREMLINED, CLARIFIED, REDUCED OR OTHERWISE IMPROVED**

A workshop of the Government Employee-Management Relations Board, properly noticed and posted pursuant to the Nevada Open Meeting Law, was held on Tuesday, June 9, 2026, at the hour of 1:00 p.m. in the Carl Dodge Conference Room which is located in Suite 490 of the Nevada State Business Center, 3300 W. Sahara Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89102. The workshop was also held virtually using Teams.

The workshop was conducted by EMRB Commissioner Marisu Abellar. Also present were Board Secretary Kelly Valadez, and Ashley M. Kim, Esq., Deputy Attorney General.

Members of the Public Present: Shannon Garcia

The meeting was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by Commissioner Abellar.

1. **Public Comment.**
No public comment was offered.
2. **Solicitation of Comments and Suggestions on Proposed Regulatory Amendments to Ensure They Are Streamlined Clarified, Reduced, or Otherwise Improved.**
Commissioner Abellar presented an overview of the one (1) additional regulation identified for potential improvement. Following the overview, the regulation was presented individually for discussion.

After the presentation the amendment, the floor was opened for comments, feedback or suggestions. The corresponding comments are summarized below:

1. NAC 288.279 – Adds rules establishing submission deadlines for the issuance of a subpoena duces tecum.

Deputy Attorney General Ashley Kim offered two minor edits to paragraph 6 of the amendment:

- a. Remove the word “else” on line five so the sentence beginning in line four will read: “attempted to obtain the records pursuant to the Public Records Act, along with either the response from the government employer to that request or an affidavit that no response was received.”
- b. It was also recommended to add a clarifying reference to the Public Records Act by inserting “NRS Chapter 239” after each mention of “Public Records Act.” This change will be made where the term first appears, as well as in paragraph six, line four. Deputy Attorney General Kim noted that although the Act is commonly known as the Public Records Act, the statute itself does not include a short title, so the reference is added for clarity.

No additional changes were suggested.

3. Solicitation Proposed Additions or Revisions for Other Than the Above Reasons

There were no proposed additions or revisions offered.

4. Additional Period of Public Comment

No Public Comment.

5. Adjournment

There being no additional business to conduct, Commissioner Abellar adjourned the meeting. The workshop thus adjourned at 1:04 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Marisu Romualdez Abellar, Commissioner
Government Employee-Management Relations Board