

## SMALL BUSINESS IMPACT STATEMENT AS REQUIRED BY

**NRS 233B.0608**

**Temp NDA R-k**

**1. A description of the manner in which comment was solicited from affected small businesses, a summary of their response and an explanation of the manner in which other interested persons may obtain a copy of the summary.**

- There are three separate actions being proposed to amend NAC 590. The provisions of two of these proposed changes involve only the updating or removal of language that has become outdated. The third will have only a one-time effect on small businesses, and is being pursued in the interest of the marketplace and the consumers of the state of Nevada. The regulations were available on the website of the Department of Agriculture, [www.agri.nv.gov](http://www.agri.nv.gov) and posted at the following locations:

Department of Agriculture

405 S. 21<sup>st</sup> Street

Sparks, NV 89431

Department of Agriculture

2300 McLeod Street

Las Vegas, NV 89104

Department of Agriculture

4780 E. Idaho Street

Elko, NV 89801

**2. The manner in which the analyses was conducted.**

- No analyses was conducted for the reasons stated above. Two of these proposed changes involve only the updating or removal of outdated language. The third will have only a one-time effect on a relatively few small businesses, and is being pursued in the interest of the marketplace and the consumers of the state of Nevada.

**3. The estimated economic effect of the proposed regulation on the small businesses it is to regulate, including, without limitation:**

- Only one of the three actions will have any economic effect, and this will be in the form of a one-time cost for additional labeling.

**4. A description of the methods that the agency considered to reduce the impact of the proposed regulation on small businesses and a statement regarding whether the agency actually used any of those methods.**

- Does not apply.

**5. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation.**

- Does not apply.
- 6. **If the proposed regulation provides a new fee or increases an existing fee, the total annual amount the agency expects to collect and the manner in which the money will be used.**
  - Does not apply.
- 7. **If the proposed regulation includes provisions which duplicate or are more stringent than federal, state or local standards regulating the same activity, an explanation of why such duplicative or more stringent provisions are necessary.**
  - This regulation will allow for the continued sale of 85 octane gasoline, while addressing, through labeling, the concerns of consumers and the marketplace.
- 8. **The reasons for the conclusion of the agency regarding the impact of a regulation on small businesses.**
  - This regulation will affect only a small portion of the industry, and will be a one-time expense for those affected.

I certify that to the best of my knowledge or belief a concerted effort was made to determine the impact of this proposed regulation on small businesses and that the information contained in this statement is accurate.



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