## State of Nevada Certified Court Reporters Board Legislative Regulations Committee Meeting – October 22, 2024 Agenda Item #4

EXPLANATION – Matter in *blue italics* is new material; and matter between <del>[red brackets with single strikethrough]</del> is material to be omitted.

## Certificate by Endorsement

**NRS or NAC Definition:** "Certificate by Endorsement" means a certificate to practice court reporting issued to a natural person within the jurisdiction of the United States, who has been certified as a court reporter or voice writer in a jurisdiction other than Nevada.

## NAC 656.XXX "Certificate by Endorsement" means a certificate to practice court reporting issued to a natural person under the provisions of this chapter.

- 1. Any natural person who is certified as a court reporter or voice writer in a jurisdiction other than Nevada may, with the approval of the Board, practice court reporting as a certified court reporter/voice writer. A natural person requesting the approval of the Board to practice court reporting under the provisions of this section of NAC shall submit to the Board:
- a) An application accompanied by a fee of \$200 and all information as required under NRS 656.150 and NRS 656.180
- b) Documentation or other proof that the person has at least one continuous year of experience working full-time in the practice of court reporting; and
- c) A copy of one of the following:
- 1) A certificate as a Registered Professional Reporter, Registered Merit Reporter or Certified Realtime Reporter issued to the natural person by the National Court Reporters Association; or
- 2) A certificate as a Certified Verbatim Reporter issued to the natural person by the National Verbatim Reporters Association.
- 2. A natural person who is granted applying for a certificate by endorsement shall take successfully pass a written examination in accordance with NRS 656.160 and NRS 656.170.
- 3. A natural person issued a certificate by endorsement shall comply with the provisions set forth in NRS 656 and NAC 656 and all applicable laws, regulations and court procedural rules governing court reporters.
- 4. To the extent applicable, the Board will apply the laws, regulations and court procedural rules governing court reporters, including, without limitation, suspension or revocation of a certificate, to a natural person holding a certificate by endorsement as the Board applies those statutes and regulation to court reporters.
- 5. A natural person holding a certificate by endorsement may administer oaths and affirmations in accordance with NRS 656.315.