

**State of Nevada Certified Court Reporters Board
Legislative Regulations Committee Meeting – October 22, 2024
Agenda Item #5**

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

NAC 656.XXX Certificate or license required. (NRS 656.020)

1. A person or business entity may not perform or offer to perform the practice of court reporting if the person or business entity does not hold a current certificate or license.

2. It is unlawful for any person or business entity to engage in the business of, act in the capacity of, advertise or assume to act as, a:

(a) certified court reporter; or

(b) court reporting firm.

3. For the purposes of this section, a person or business entity is considered to “hold themselves out” as engaged in the practice of court reporting if the person or business entity represents to persons that they are a certified court reporter or court reporting firm. Such representation occurs with any written or verbal communication which represents the person or business entity to be a certified court reporter or court reporting firm or other similar title commonly understood to express expertise in the practice of court reporting.

4. The Board may prefer a complaint for a violation of this section before any court of competent jurisdiction and may assist in presenting the law or facts upon any trial for a violation of this section.

5. The district attorney of each county shall prosecute all violations of this section in their respective counties in which violations occur unless prosecuted by the Attorney General. Upon the request of the Executive Secretary, the Attorney General shall prosecute any violation of this section in lieu of the district attorney.