

■ **CHILD LABOR LAWS**

**TERMS:** In general, it is illegal for any person, firm or corporation to employ a child under 14 in agriculture during the hours in which the public schools where the child resides are in session. Furthermore, no one under the age of 16 is permitted to work at any time in any farm job that involves the operation of machinery. There are generally no other state restrictions on the use of child labor in agriculture.

**ENFORCEMENT:** *Office of the Labor Commissioner, Nevada Department of Business and Industry, Carson City, Nevada 89706 (775-684-1890).*

The provision prohibiting employment of children during school hours is also enforced by the local school districts.