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Budget cuts affecting the Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology (NBMG) will actually reduce income to the State of Nevada.

Revenue to the state from gold, silver geothermal, oil, lithium.....(and the list goes on) exploration and production will fall if the technical resources made available by the NBMG are curtailed.

If the state is looking to generate more money, they should consider expanding the services of the NBMG instead of cutting back its budget.

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