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General Comment

Nevada State has very good existing regulations regarding native and injurious wildlife. Pythons, boas or anacondas are NOT in this category, as it freezes here during winter nights and these big reptiles couldn't survive here.

Other reason is lack of hiding places and prey base for big ambush reptile predators.

Nevada's economy is built on entertainment, which includes exotic animals, and keeping the animals legal is necessary for the economy as well as for letting Nevada State keep its uniqueness.

Furthermore, there is NO problem with loose exotic reptiles in the state Nevada, there is nothing to fix, let the locality, such as Florida state and counties, deal with their local problem, which has been addresses by the 'python' bill already passed last year.

No need to use radiation treatment for simple scratch on the leg. There is no real scientific or factual need to do federal regulation regarding constrictors.