HOUSE BILL NO. 558

INTRODUCED BY REAM, B. BROWN

IN THE HOUSE

FEBRUARY 1, 1991	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TAXATION.
FEBRUARY 2, 1991	FIRST READING.
MARCH 7, 1991	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.
MARCH 8, 1991	PRINTING REPORT.
MARCH 9, 1991	ON MOTION, CONSIDERATION PASSED.
MARCH 11, 1991	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
MARCH 12, 1991	ENGROSSING REPORT.
MARCH 14, 1991	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 94; NOES, 5.
	TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.
	IN THE SENATE
MARCH 15, 1991	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TAXATION.
	FIRST READING.
APRIL 12, 1991	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
APRIL 15, 1991	SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.
APRIL 16, 1991	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 49; NOES, 0.
	RETURNED TO HOUSE.
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APRIL 17, 1991	RECEIVED FROM SENATE.
•	SENT TO ENROLLING.

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16 review all proposed rules of the department of revenue filed

17 with the secretary of state.

- (2) The committee may:
- 19 (a) request and obtain the department's rulemaking 20 records for the purpose of reviewing compliance with 21 2-4-305;
- 22 (b) prepare written recommendations for the adoption, 23 amendment, or rejection of a rule and submit the 24 recommendations to the department;
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- 2 (d) require the department to appear before the 3 committee and respond to the committee's recommendations for 4 the adoption, amendment, or rejection of a rule:
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- 7 (f) recommend to the legislature the repeal, amendment, 8 or adoption of a rule as provided in 2-4-412;
- 9 (g) institute, intervene in, or otherwise participate 10 in proceedings involving the legality of a rule under the 11 Montana Administrative Procedure Act in the state and 12 federal courts and administrative agencies;
- (h) review the incidence and conduct of the department's administrative proceedings;
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- 18 (j) by an affirmative vote of at least six members of
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 20 impact statement or require the department to prepare an
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- 22 2-4-405:
- (k) petition the department to promulgate, amend, or repeal a rule. Within 60 days after submission of a
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- writing, stating its reasons for the denial, or shall initiate rulemaking proceedings in accordance with 2-4-302 through 2-;-305.
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- (n) petition for judicial review of the sufficiency of the reasons for the department's finding of imminent peril to the public health, safety, or welfare, cited in support of an emergency or temporary rule proposed by the department under 2-4-303; and
- 24 (o) require the department to conduct the biennial 25 review of its rules as required in 2-4-314 and report its

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- 7 costs, including the preparation of fiscal notes.
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- 11 department of revenue, and any other agency that has
- 12 information regarding any of the tax or revenue bases of the
- 13 state."
- 14 NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date. [This act] is
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