





STATE OF MONTANA - FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15


In compliance with a written request, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for HB0615, as introduced.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

This bill: 1) provides for issuance of a 3-day nonresident shooting preserve bird hunting stamp for use only on a shooting ranges; 2) revises the restriction on shooting preserve seasons; and 3) revises shooting harvest provisions.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None

  
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ROD SUNDSTED, BUDGET DIRECTOR      2-8-91      DATE  
Office of Budget and Program Planning

  
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BOB THOFT, PRIMARY SPONSOR      2-11-91      DATE  
Fiscal Note for HB0615, as introduced

HB 615

APPROVED BY COMM.  
ON FISH AND GAME

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 615  
 2 INTRODUCED BY Ream  
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 4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ISSUANCE  
 5 OF A 3-DAY NONRESIDENT SHOOTING PRESERVE BIRD HUNTING STAMP  
 6 FOR USE ONLY ON A SHOOTING PRESERVE; REVISING THE  
 7 RESTRICTION ON SHOOTING PRESERVE SEASONS; REVISING SHOOTING  
 8 PRESERVE HARVEST PROVISIONS; AND AMENDING SECTIONS 87-4-504,  
 9 87-4-521, AND 87-4-527, MCA."

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 17 [Section 4] is intended to be codified as an integral part  
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SECOND READING  
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