# SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 6

Introduced by Swift, et al.

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1/22	Fiscal Note Received
1/24	Fiscal Note Printed
1/25	Hearing
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1/30	2nd Reading Passed
1/31	3rd Reading Passed
	Transmitted to House
2/01	First Reading
2/01	Referred to Natural Resources
2/11	Hearing
3/13	Committee ReportBill Concurred
3/14	Rereferred to Appropriations
4/04	Hearing
4/04	Tabled in Committee

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respectively, two Senators and two Representatives, one from 1 each party, to represent Montana on the Western States 2 Legislative Forestry Task Force, which operates as a 3 clearinghouse for opinions from all the various interests 4 involved in the forests of the western states and which 5 includes among its duties a report to the Legislatures of 6 the participating states and to those states' delegations in 7 the United States Congress concerning means of protecting 8 and fostering the forests of the participating states. 9

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## STATE OF MONTANA - FISCAL NOTE

### Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for SJR0006, as introduced.

### DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

A joint resolution of the Senate and the House of Representatives to appoint delegates to the Western States Legislative Forestry Task Force.

#### ASSUMPTIONS:

- 1. All four legislators appointed to the task force will attend all meeting of the task force at the rate of four meeting for each year of the 1993 biennium.
- 2. Legislator salary of \$60.24 per day will be paid to each legislator for four days per meeting.
- 3. Legislator per diem will be paid to each legislator for four days per meeting.
- 4. Travel expenses for each legislator are estimated to be \$425 per meeting. This expense would not be applicable if any meetings are held in Montana.
- 5. No registration fee will be charged for any task force meeting.
- 6. Montana will pay full dues to the organization at the rate of \$2,750 per year.
- 7. The executive budget request for the Legislative Council Interim Studies and Conferences Program contains \$20,000 for the biennium for regional conference; however, no amount is specifically allocated for this particular task force.

### FISCAL IMPACT:

Legislative Council:

	FY 92			FY 93		
	<u>Current Law</u>	Proposed Law	Difference	<u>Current Law</u>	Proposed Law	Difference
Expenditures:						
Personal Services	0	3,855	3,855	0	3,855	3,855
Operating Costs	0	<u> </u>	<u>13,390</u>	0	13,390	<u>13,390</u>
Total	0	- 17,245	17,245	0	17,245	17,245
Funding:	0	17 0/F	17 0/5	0	17 0/5	17.0/5
General Fund (01)	U	17,245	17,245	0	17,245	17,245

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