

HOUSE BILL NO. 621
INTRODUCED BY ELLIOTT

IN THE HOUSE

FEBRUARY 13, 1993 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON LABOR & EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS.

FIRST READING.

FEBRUARY 17, 1993 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL
DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.

FEBRUARY 18, 1993 PRINTING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 19, 1993 SECOND READING, DO PASS.

FEBRUARY 20, 1993 ENGROSSING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 22, 1993 THIRD READING, PASSED.
AYES, 99; NOES, 0.

FEBRUARY 23, 1993 TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

MARCH 1, 1993 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
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MARCH 19, 1993 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE
CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.

MARCH 20, 1993 SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.

MARCH 22, 1993 THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.
AYES, 38; NOES, 10.

RETURNED TO HOUSE.

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MARCH 23, 1993 RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

1 INTRODUCTION BY House BILL NO. 421
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6 ESTABLISHING WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE PREMIUMS FOR
7 THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY; AMENDING SECTION 39-71-2211, MCA;
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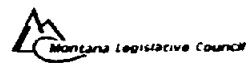
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