

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE  
MARCH 23, 1981

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Lund in Room 104, State Capitol, at 7:00 p. m. All members of the Committee were present.

HEARINGS.

HB 560.

MR. WARD SHANAHAN, Attorney, Helena, testified on behalf of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Helena in his claim against the State of Montana in the amount of \$7500.

MR. WARD SHANAHAN stated that prior to the sale, water in the building purchased, was reconnected, but the heat was not turned on. He stated that the pipes froze and were damaged, but that this was not discovered until August, 1980. He stated that the State Architect was notified of the problem and that he was testifying to present evidence with respect to damages.

CHAIRMAN LUND stated that there was no recommendation from the Board of Examiners.

HB 601.

REP. AUBYN CURTISS, District 20, Fortine, Mt., testified as sponsor of HB 601, stating that the bill would appropriate funds to the DNRC from the Renewable Resource Development Clearance Fund for emergency assistance in replacement of the St. Clair Siphon in Glen Lake District.

REP. CURTISS stated that there was a need to replace the large, 2200 foot, 40 inch siphon to meet increased demand. She stated that the District cannot qualify for additional loans.

REP. CURTISS stated that \$700,000 had been expended in the past few years on the project and that she feels the project needs completing in an expeditious manner. REP. CURTISS stated that \$260,000 was the correct appropriation in the bill and that the \$650,000 figure should be stricken from the bill.

REP. THOFT asked if the water rights were pooled or if they were individual rights. REP. CURTISS stated that the rights were held by the District and that this type of revenue was needed. He stated that residents pay \$20 per acre, currently and that the larger siphon would allow more acres to be irrigated.

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REP. CURTISS stated that the valley gets 12 to 13 inches annual rainfall and that the irrigation district is vital to the area. She stated that the current siphon is 36 inches at 3200 acres and that the 40 inch siphon would irrigate 5000 acres. She stated that the project would not be completed in the 83 biennium and that a grant was needed for completion.

REP. HURWITZ asked how many water users there are. REP. CURTISS stated that the district served 80 families, the Forest Service, the cemetery and the fair grounds. She stated that the drop in altitude in the valley creates good pressure without the need for additional pumps.

REP. CURTISS stated that the original siphon was installed in 1916.

REP. SHONTZ asked if revenue would be raised by \$36,000 if there was more water. REP. CURTISS stated that the additional acres would be dryland pasture with 98% of irrigation done by sprinkler.

REP. MOORE asked how much of the 3200 acres is in grain and pasture.

REP. CURTISS stated that it was about 20% grain, 10% pasture, and 70% hay. REP. CURTISS stated that the district would no longer be able to participate in cost sharing and that this was the reason HB 601 was introduced.

REP. BENGTON asked what the average cost of irrigation is in Montana. REP. CURTISS replied that she did not know for sure, but that some speculation has been done in hydro-generation.

There were no opponents to the bill.

REP. CURTISS, in closing, stated that the acreage is bonded and that the demand is increasing due to subdivisions, yards and gardens. She urged the Committee to support HB 601.

HB 602 was held for the time being.

HB 801.

MR. DAVE LEWIS, Budget Director, stated that there has been past criticism of doing budget amendments during the legislature and/ or after legislators have gone home. He stated that the bill was being presented to avoid this problem.

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REP. MOORE stated that he feels the Committee needs a description of each request before acting on the bill.

MR. LES GRAHAM, Dept. of Livestock, stated that \$100,000 was needed from the earmarked revenue fund for re-registration of brands. He stated that re-registration runs on a ten-year cycle and that this is the beginning of a new cycle.

MR. GRAHAM stated that the program would be put on computer and that the re-registration fee is \$25.00 per brand. He stated that \$60,000 in earmarked revenue funds was requested for predator control, adding that the Vertebrate Pest Control Bureau was dissolved and that \$11,354.76 was needed in termination costs for the employees of the Bureau. He stated that this amount would come from the general fund.

DR. JIM GLOSSER, DVM, Dept. of Livestock, stated that the Rabies Program would have an \$11,000 deficit by the end of FY81. He stated that this amount was requested in general funds.

REP. QUILICI asked where rabies had been found west of the divide. DR. GLOSSER replied that a rabid animal has been found eight miles out of Kalispell, MT.

MR. LEO BERRY, Jr., Department of Natural Resources, stated that the request for the Alternate Energy Program is \$2,500,000 in earmarked revenue funds. He stated that \$5,000 would be Federal and private revenue funding and that the funds would pass through to assist counties and towns in energy conservation loans. He added that the earmarked revenue funds were actually coal tax funds and provided the members of the committee with a list of grants, both tentative and definite. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED)

REP. KATHLEEN MCBRIDE, District 85, Silverbow County, stated that she is a member of the Alternative Energy Advisory Council. She stated that tentative proposals have been reviewed in the Fall of 1980 by the Council for \$1,800,000 for the \$2,500,000. She stated that definite proposals were awarded last session and that a budget amendment was needed to spend the funds.

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MR. JOHN BADGLI, Institute of the Rockies, Missoula, stated that his request establishes an energy center, through a private non-profit association and that the Institute has already received its grant. He stated his support of the bill.

MR. CHARLES FOWLKES, Bozeman, stated that he holds a doctorate in Engineering. He stated that he does solar research and has been working on a program the past five years to create a solar radiation data base in Montana.

MR. JOHN RABENBURG, Wolf Point, MT., stated that he was a member of the Montana Gasahol Commission. He stated that there was an application for methane production, which is a long-term project that is close to fruition. He stated that Mr. John Robbins, who does bio-fuel research was a member of the Commission.

MR. DAN MIZNER, Exec. Sec., League of Cities and Towns, stated that he was representing the city of Livingston, which has applied for a grant for wind energy study.

MR. MAJOR CALDWELL, Administrator, Horizon Lodge, Conrad, MT. stated that he does not have a current request for a grant, but stated that his HUD project for the elderly used solar power for pre-heating hot water, which has resulted in dollar savings. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED).

DR. JERRY PLUNKETT, Butte, MT., and President of the Montana Energy and MHD Research and Development Institute, Inc., urged that the program be converted to a loan program and that the funds be used to establish viable businesses instead of grants. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED) . He stated his support of SB 141.

MR. BERRY stated that he intends to get into a loan program during the next biennium. He stated that \$1,000,000 would be expended per biennium on conservation districts if SB 141 passes.

MS. EARLENE OSTBURG, stated that she and her husband received a \$25,000 grant for hydroelectric turbine power and that she feels the project will pay for itself in six years. She stated that two wind-generated units were now being constructed in their area.

SEN. HAROLD DOVER, DISTRICT 24, stated that he feels there is a need to emphasize alternate energy sources and that he is an executive director of the National Gasahol Commission. He

stated that there was a need to develop new methods of obtaining fuels to move food to areas where gas costs and shortages are prohibitive.

He stated that with the shortage of Federal funds there is a need to check viability of the program more closely and that the Project in Montana is nearly completed, but needs a loan for final stages.

MR. DON BRELSFORD, Bozeman Engineer, stated that he has a request for a grant, which was funded in 1978, for technology of plant fuels and biomass energy potential. He stated that he feels cellulose is the key to the energy crisis, as it can be converted to sugar. He stated that he was requesting funds to complete detailed design work on wood wastes.

Forest and Farm Fuels, Inc., in Lewistown does research with cellulose and lignon, which he stated is a valuable material used to bind plastic. (EXHIBIT Attached).

MR. BRUCE KENYA, AE, Montana Inc., stated that he has received a \$25,000 grant toward his \$75,000 project. He stated that he has a current request for the remaining \$50,000 and that his system is on computer. He stated that this reduces the costs of building the facility he needs, as less space is needed. He stated that he would welcome a loan program and that few stills available have an anhydrous capacity, which he feels is needed. He stated that ethanol interrupts the food chain and takes the starch out of grain, leaving the protein, without breaking the food chain.

MR. DAVID OWEN, Farmer, Conrad, MT., stated that there are 30 solar retrofits in Conrad, none of which are funded by grants. He stated that he is currently in the process of building a farm-scale still.

MR. THOR JACKOLA, Professional Engineer, Kalispell, stated that his firm has applied for a grant to develop production of a thermal well (125°). He stated that currently, the well is 240' in a 6" casing and that he would go to a 12" casing. He stated that the water would be purified and recovered by injecting it back into an aquifer.

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MR. HAROLD MORGENSTERN, representative of Vista Logo Home Owners Assn., stated that the project applied for would create 60-120 kilowatts on the East Shore of Flathead Lake. He stated that he is a Registered Hydraulic Engineer.

MR. RICHARD MEAD, Contrator, Great Falls, stated that he had a grant request for a project.

PROFESSOR DENNIS BLACKLETTER, MSU, stated that he was a member for the Advisory Council for DNRC. He stated that it was the desire of the Council to concentrate on wind projects, alcohol, municipal solid wastes and low-head hydro proposals.

MR. JESSE LONG, Medicine Lake, representing School Administrators of Montana, stated his support of HB 801.

MS. PASTY REIMCKE, Nashua, MT., and representative of WIFE, stated she is the State Chairwoman for Gasohol Production for WIFE. She stated that \$1.3 million would go to projects directly related to alcohol use. She urges the Committee to support HB 801. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED).

MR. MARK PRICE, Montana Forest and Conservation Experiment Station of U of M in Missoula, provided the Committee with an explanation of his project. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED).

MR. WILBUR SCOTT, Director of Agricultural Resources, Great Falls, MT., stated that his request was directly related to a one million gallon annual capacity fuel-alcohol plant in Cascade County. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED).

MS. LYNN LUNDBORG, Helena, owner of Lynn's Solar and Stove Shop stated her support of HB 801. She stated that she feels that Montanans need help with energy self-sufficiency in Montana.

MR. TERRY SAVAGE, Superior, MT., stated that he received a grant of \$14,050 for a small hydro-electric kilowatt plan.

MS. LIND NIELSON, Agri-Processors, Glasgow, MT., provided the members of the Committee with a copy of her request. (EXHIBIT ATTACHED).

MR. DAN MILES, Agri-fuels Corporation, Polson, MT., stated his support of HB 801. He stated that the Corp. had one 300 gallon still and two small stills. He stated that 3200 acres of seed potatoes are grown in the Mission valley and that 2/3 are culled as they are not right for planting and the farmers bury them.

MR. MILES stated that the Corporation has been making alcohol for four months, from potatoes and grain, and that in May, 1981, they hope to be self-sufficient on a co-op basis. He stated that the Corp. is working with the Salish-Kootenai Federated tribes to do a feasibility study on the Dixon post plant in which steam will be co-generated for the plant with 1,600 acres of high-alcohol content plants, via a portable still.

REP. MOORE asked if individuals were fixing up their residences with grant funds. MR. BERRY stated that emphasis in the past was for demonstration grants and that it is shifting to commercialization. He stated that there are no patents and that development information is the property of the State of Montana.

MR. BERRY stated that \$165,000 of the grant monies is Federal matching funds and that \$25,935 is Federal Emergency Energy Act funds. He stated that \$26,829 is dedicated to a study of renewable energy, which does not need to be matched and is seed money.

MR. BERRY stated that \$6,918 in CETA funds was requested for water resources (water rights) and that \$39,732 would be for flood plain management. He stated that \$118,000 was requested to repair the spillway on the Tongue River Dam and that the repair is already done. He stated that \$13,682 would be used to locate hydro-incentive areas in the State and that \$330,608 was for the hy-plex project in Miles City. He added that Federal funds for the project were currently available.

REP. MOORE asked how long Federal funding would remain available. MR. BERRY stated that it would terminate in October, 1981. He stated that \$80,652 for the Kootenai Falls project was paid by the county, as the application fee for the Major Facilities Siting Act and that \$8,241 was required to monitor the project.

MR. BERRY stated that \$25,000 in Old West Regional Commission funds would be for corridor planning capabilities for energy transmission facilities and that \$81,000 was for solar energy programs under Western Sun. MR. BERRY stated that \$22,390 was to run the nursery in addition to \$6,000 in the Forestry Division and \$13,836 in CETA funds for a total of \$19,836 in the OBPP budget amendment.

DR. BOB ARCHIBALD, Director, Museum and Gallery, Montana Historical Society, stated that \$26,000 would be required for an exhibition of the works of Nicolai Feshin, a Russian-born artist-emigrant, who did Indian portraits and scenes of the American West.

DR. ARCHIBALD stated that \$22,051 was needed for the difference in square footage for rent and that \$13,000 was needed for CETA employees.

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REP. BARDANOUVE stated that boiler-plate language in the appropriation does not allow for budget amendments on general funds.

MR. DAVIS LEWIS, Budget Director, stated that the general fund monies were included in the budget amendment at the request of MS. Rippingale, Legislative Fiscal Analyst.

REP. BARDANOUVE asked why this was not brought in in a supplemental bill. REP. MOORE stated that there were \$252,321 in general fund money in the amendment.

CHAIRMAN LUND stated that he thought the Governor should have sent down an amendatory veto on HB94, but that he was informed to follow the process submitted by the OBPP. He stated that he would take under advisement, the suggestion to draw up another bill.

MR. LEWIS stated that \$5516 was for a CETA position in the State Library.

MR. JACK GRIBBLE, Administrator, Property Tax Division, Dept. of Revenue, stated that \$90,000 was requested for property valuation as matching funds for CETA employees.

MR. RON WEISS, OBPP, stated that \$148,739 and \$17,000 were needed for recovery of child support.

MR. BOB REDPATH, ADMINISTRATOR, Central Services, Health and Environmental Services, stated that no general funds were requested by his Dept. He stated that \$937,740 was requested for for the WIC program, \$132,695 for the dental program for hygiene and education. He stated that \$22,352 was requested for the coop program with State Lands with regard to air pollution versus state mining.

MR. REDPATH stated that \$19,670 was requested for the hypertension program and \$170,000 for a coordinator for sulphur dioxide pollution studies in the Billings area. He stated that these were private revenue funds and involved no additional FTE.

MR. BEN JOHNS, Deputy Director, SRS, stated that \$200,000 was requested for the Visual program, for a three-year project. He stated that these funds were for the Independent Living skills Center for the Blind. MR. JOHNS stated that \$625,051 was requested for the Surplus Commodities program of which 25% was funded by the Tribes and 75% by the Federal government. He stated that \$46,236 would provide for additional eligibility technicians in the counties at 46% county funding and that 54% would be Federal funds of \$54,278.



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MR. MORRIS BRUSETT, Director, Dept. of Administration, stated that \$23,932 would be required for the community revolving fund. He stated that \$9,000 was requested for Investments for a contract for economic forecasts, as the firm asked for an increase in FY81. He stated that the increase was provided for in HB 500 for the 83 biennium. MR. BRUSETT stated that \$9,000 was needed for the Teachers and Fire Fighters Retirement System in addition to \$2500 to set up data processing for the system.

MR. BRUSETT stated that \$99,157 was requested to complete updates by July 1, 1981 and that he had no objection to this amount being itemed. He stated that the Architecture and Engineering Division requested \$9,000 to monitor-building projects.

MR. PHIL HAUCK, A&E Division, stated that \$76,000 was requested for energy grants for the Employment Security Building in Bozeman, Mt., and that \$19,241 was required for the Board of Housing. He stated that a project in Sidney, MT., was in default and that the terms of the sale included escrow funds to guarantee work on the heating system and masonry, of \$5500 and \$2100 respectively. He stated that the new owner was a private individual.

MR. DAVE KRAFT, Board of Housing, stated that the balance of the request is for a single-family residence in Great Falls. That \$9300 was requested for a law clerk and for travel to hearings for the Workmen's Comp. Judge.

MR. JIM WILLIAMS, OBPP, stated that \$10,500 was requested for U.S. Fish and Wildlife funds to study Bald Eagles. He stated that \$165,000 was requested for enforcement and that \$1,200,000 was requested for a revolving fund in Central Services, to be derived from license fees.

MR. BOB KUCHENBROD, Administrator, Central Services, Dept. of Justice, stated that the Dept. would have five budget amendments this year, but that there was insufficient information to date, on these amendments. He stated that \$11,280 was requested for the Fire Marshall for a Deputy, to inspect Developmentally Disabled homes at random for compliance with State Standards and Codes, which will be paid by the National Bureau of Standards. He stated that \$60,000 was needed in general funds for transportation and extradition of prisoners adding that \$20,000 was required during the past three months.

MR. JOHN PREBIL, Administrator, Central Services, Dept. of Highways, stated that \$161,928 was needed for the Communications Bureau for operations. He stated that \$54,450 was needed for

GVW and that \$25,861 from the earmarked revenue fund, \$17,814 in Federal and private funds, \$8218 matching funds, \$22,675 for historic bridges, \$97,000 in equipment and rental and \$57,000 in equipment rental were also needed.

MR. PREBIL stated that \$735,000 was needed for gas for the Equipment Bureau, adding that 21 bridges in Montana were considered to be historic bridges and that 60 were questionable. He stated that a committee would determine whether or not these bridges were of historical significance.

MR. TOM CROSSER, Office of Public Instruction, stated that Federal funds of \$347,051 are required for traffic safety and that \$86,526, plus \$5400 in indirect costs would revert to the general fund.

Mr. Crosser stated that in-service training for special education, requires \$35,000, with a \$24,150 indirect cost reversion. He stated that total cost reversion would be \$29,550 and that the \$317,501 in HB801 does not include general fund reversion.

MS. MARY EVANS, Administrator, Central Services Dept. of Agriculture, stated that \$4,968 was needed for a medicated feed inspector, \$16,600 for transportation (funding to come from Wheat Research and Marketing). He stated that \$1,100 was required to work with North Dakota Dept. of Agriculture for pest analysis.

\$300,000 is needed for the hardrock mining environmental impact statement, which will be funded by Federal funds in the Stillwater Complex near Big Timber, for the Dept. of State Lands.

MR. CURT CHISHOLM, Deputy Director, Dept. of Institutions, stated that Mountain View School requires funding of \$8,815 for a VO-ED grant received from OSPI and \$225 in ESEA, Title IV grants for text books.

MR. CHISHOLM stated that \$66,437 was required for the ranch and dairy at the Montana State Prison and that \$1,600 was required for the World of Work Program, to be funded via of a CETA grant, for community supplies and equipment.

MR. CHISHOLM stated that \$5,825 was required at the Swan River Youth Forest Camp to allow expenditure of ESEA Title I funds to tutor educationally impaired students. He stated that \$2,382 was needed for a CETA clerk-typist and that \$6,399 in ESEA, Title I funds, was needed to pay VO-ED instructor salaries in FY81.

MR. CHISHOLM stated that \$105,009 was needed for two Federally funded grant programs for mental health and residential services in addition to \$3,170 in management services for a CETA clerk. He added that there is \$80,000 in a community support project grant

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MR. CHISHOLM stated that \$138,047 was needed in services at Warm Springs for two CETA contracts for 14 training positions, which are comprised of 10 grounds-keepers, 2 custodians and 1 clerical position.

MR. CHISHOLM stated that \$2,605 was needed for Resident Services for in-service staff training at the Center for the Aged. He stated that an additional \$4,125 was needed for the canteen revolving fund.

MR. CHISHOLM stated that spending authority was needed in the amount of \$4815 for a shelter care program in the Central Office of the Corrections Division. He stated that \$45,200 in grants from OSPI was required to purchase audio-visual equipment and to cover staff assistance and additional equipment and educational materials.

MR. CHISHOLM stated that Title IV grant funds were required for autistic children to provide staff training, in the amount of \$6599 on a CETA contract.

MR. HOWARD ELLIS, Public Service Commissioner, District 5, stated that \$20,000 in general funds was needed to compensate for overexpenditures of 2%, which is mostly rent. He stated, that in the past three years, funding has reverted to the general fund.

MR. ELLIS stated that \$382,700 was for public utility policy funds.

MR. BILL OPITZ, Executive Director, PSC, stated that two grants comprised the \$382,700 figure and that the OBPP already applied \$200,000 by budget amendment in October, 1979.

MR. DAVE LEWIS, Budget Director, stated that \$700,000 was needed by the Governor's Office for the Pacific Northwest Power and Energy Conservation Act, which was passed a few days prior to this testimony. He stated that he doesn't know how much will be expended in FY81, but that if the funds were not spent, they would carry over to the next biennium.

MR. ED CARNEY, Director, Department of Professional and Occupational Licensing, stated that support funds were needed for the Board of Athletics, which would terminate 7-1-81.

MR. TOM CROSSER, OBPP, stated that the Board of Public Education needs spending authority for annual volunteer fire training, which was transferred from DNRC.

MR. PHIL HAUCK, A&E Division, Dept. of Administration, stated that \$10,738 was needed to transfer funds from the University of Montana project to repay the Federal government for Bond

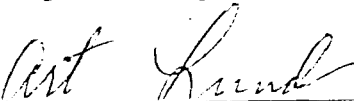
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Proceeds and Insurance Clearance Account funds.

MR. HAUCK stated that \$17,500 was needed for historic buildings and for the State Capitol, which must be matched, for \$35,000 for a restructuring report before any work may be done. He stated that \$5300 from the Bureau of Reclamation would match a MacDonald's grant for the Missouri River Park.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 midnight.

  
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REP. ART LUND, CHAIRMAN

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# STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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MR. **SPEAKER:** .....

We, your committee on **HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS** .....

having had under consideration **HOUSE** Bill No. **801** .....

**A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO INCREASE AGENCY BUDGETS DURING THE BIENNIUM ENDING JUNE 30, 1981, WHICH INCREASES WOULD USUALLY BE MADE BY BUDGET AMENDMENT; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."**

Respectfully report as follows: That **HOUSE** Bill No. **801** .....

1. Amend the bill, pages 1 through 6, per the attached amendment.
2. Sen. Harold Dover Amendment to HB 801 as attached.  
Following: line 3, "the department."  
Strike: the remainder of line 3, and lines 4, 5, and 6 in their entirety.
3. Page 3, HB 801, line 22  
Following: line 21  
Strike: Visual Services, \$200,000, and Federal and Private Grant Clearance
4. page 4  
Following: line 15  
Insert: The appropriation to Teachers Retirement Division in the amount of \$2500 and the appropriation to PERS in the amount of \$9000 shall be contingent upon the passage of HB 45.

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**DO PASS AS AMENDED**

CONTINUED: HB 801.

5. page 4, line 17  
Following: line 16, HB 801  
Strike: Wildlife, \$10,500, Federal and Private
5. page 4, line 18  
Following: line 17, HB 801  
Strike: Revenue

DO PASS AS AMENDED

REP. ART LUND

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 801

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official  
Amendments

Page 1, Line 18

Strike: "Energy Planning"  
Insert: "Energy Division"

Page 1, Line 20

Strike: "Energy Planning"  
Insert: "Energy Division"

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Page 1, Line 21

Strike: "Energy Planning"  
Insert: "Energy Division"

Page 1, Line 23

Strike: "Energy Planning"  
Insert: "Energy Division"

Page 1, Line 25

Strike: "Energy Planning"  
Insert: "Energy Division"

Page 2, Line 14

Following: "Siting"  
Strike: "250,000"  
Insert: "25,000"

Page 2, Line 15

Strike: "Facility Siting"  
Insert: "Energy Division"

Page 2, Line 19

Following: Line 19  
Insert: "Forest Resources 13,836 Federal and Private Revenue"

Page 2, Line 21

Following: "Galleries"  
Strike: "38,000"  
Insert: "26,000"

Page 4, Line 7

Following: Line 7  
Insert: "Teachers' Retirement Division 2,500 Earmarked Revenue"

11. Page 4, Line 8

Following: Line 8  
Insert: "PERS Program 9,000 Earmarked Revenue"

Page 4, Line 11

Following: Line 10  
Strike: Lines 11 and 12

13. Page 4, Line 22

Following: Line 21  
Strike: "Registrar's Bureau 12,182 Federal and Private"  
Insert: "Fire Marshal 11,280 Federal and Private Revenue"

14. Page 4, Line 25

Following: Line 25  
Insert: "General Operations 25,861 Earmarked Revenue  
General Operations 117,814 Federal and Private Revenue"

15. Page 5, Line 10

Following: Line 10  
Insert: "Environmental Management 1,100 Federal and Private Revenue"

16. Page 5, Line 22

Following: Line 22  
Insert: "Care and Custody 255 Federal and Private"

17. Page 6, Line 9

Following: Line 9  
Insert: "Corrections Division 4,815 Federal and Private Revenue"

18. Page 6, Line 16

Following: Line 16  
Insert: "EASTMONT HUMAN SERVICES CENTER  
Care and Custody 10,419 Federal and Private Revenue  
PINE HILLS SCHOOL  
Care and Custody 45,200 Federal and Private Revenue  
MONTANA VETERANS HOME  
Care and Custody 6,599 Federal and Private Revenue"



19. Page 6, Line 21

Following: Line 20  
Insert: "76,000 Revolving"

20. Page 6, Line 25

Following: Line 25  
Insert: "SCHOOL FOR DEAF AND BLIND"  
Deaf and Blind Program 7,000 Federal and Private Revenue  
  
BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION  
Fire Services 2,000 Federal and Private Revenue  
  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
Public Service Regulation 182,700 Federal and Private Revenue  
  
DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL AND OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING  
Board of Athletics 2,500 Earmarked Revenue"

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AMENDMENT TO HB 801

Senator Harold Dover

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Following: line 20,

Insert: "Funds included in the above appropriation are not committed to any of the tentatively approved grants submitted by the department. ~~Expenditure of this appropriation is subject to the provisions of SB 441, 1981 session which allows the department to authorize loans for commercialization of alternative renewable energy in Montana.~~

The department may commit funds for demonstration purposes only when in its judgement such expenditures or commitments have good potential for producing savings of nonrenewable energy sources. The department may not commit funds for demonstration purposes when any of the following conditions are present:

- (a) previous commitments of similar nature were not productive;
- (b) a similar demonstration has been conducted within close geographic proximity of the location of the proposed demonstration project;
- (c) the proposed demonstration project would not further the purpose of 90-4-101.

The department shall submit proposals for expenditure of these funds to the environmental quality council for review and evaluation. The environmental quality council shall make such recommendations as it considers necessary to assure the greatest possible benefit of the program to the people of the state as a whole.

HOUSE BILL NO. 801

INTRODUCED BY Finance Committee on Appropriation

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO INCREASE AGENCY BUDGETS DURING THE BIENNium ENDING JUNE 30, 1981, WHICH INCREASES WOULD USUALLY BE MADE BY BUDGET AMENDMENT; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA: Section 1. Increase in spending authority. The following money is appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1981:

Agency and Program	Amount	Fund
DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK		
Inspection and Control	100,000	Earmarked Revenue
Predator Control	60,000	Earmarked Revenue
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES		
Energy Planning Division	5,000	Federal and Private Revenue
Energy Planning Division	2,500,000	Earmarked Revenue
Energy Planning Division	165,898	Federal and Private Revenue
Energy Planning Division	25,935	Federal and Private Revenue
Energy Planning Division	26,829	Federal and Private Revenue

1	Water Resources	6,918	Federal and Private Revenue
2	Water Resources	39,732	Federal and Private Revenue
3	Water Resources	118,000	Federal and Private Revenue
4	Water Resources	13,682	Federal and Private Revenue
5	Water Resources	330,608	Federal and Private Revenue
6	Facility Siting	80,652	Earmarked Revenue
7	Facility Siting	8,241	Earmarked Revenue
8	Facility Siting	250,000	Earmarked Revenue
9	Facility Siting	25,000	Federal and Private Revenue
10	Facility Siting	81,000	Federal and Private Revenue
11	Forest Resources	22,370	Earmarked Revenue
12	Forest Resources	6,000	Federal and Private Revenue
13	Forest Resources	13,836	Federal and Private Revenue
14	Forest Resources	38,000	Federal and Private Revenue
15	Forest Resources	26,000	Federal and Private Revenue
16	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
17	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
18	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
19	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
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21	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
22	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
23	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
24	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue
25	Forest Resources	13,000	Federal and Private Revenue

1	General Library	5,516	Federal and Private
2	Services		Revenue
3	DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE		
4	Property Valuation	90,000	Federal and Private
5			Revenue
6	Recovery Services	148,739	Federal and Private
7			Revenue
8	Legal	17,000	Federal and Private
9			Revenue
10	DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES		
11	Health Services	937,740	Federal and Private
12			Revenue
13	Health Services	132,695	Federal and Private
14			Revenue
15	Environmental Health	22,352	Federal and Private
16			Revenue
17	Communicable Disease	19,670	Federal and Private
18			Revenue
19	Environmental Health	170,000	Federal and Private
20			Revenue
21	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES		
22	Visual Services	200,000	Federal and Private
23			Grant Clearance
24	Assistance Payments	625,051	Federal and Private
25			Revenue

1	Eligibility	46,236	Federal and Private
2	Determination		Revenue
3	Eligibility	54,278	Revolving
4	Determination		
5	DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION		
6	Communications	23,932	Revolving
7	Investments	9,000	Revolving
8	TELEPHONE RETIREMENT DIV	2,500	REVENUE
9	PERS Program	99,157	Earmarked Revenue
10	PERS Program	9,000	REVENUE
11	Architecture and	9,000	Revolving
12	Engineering		
13	Architecture and	76,000	Revolving
14	Housing	19,241	Revolving
15	Workers' Compensation	9,300	Earmarked Revenue
16	Judge		
17	DEPARTMENT OF FISH, WILDLIFE, AND PARKS		
18	Wildlife	10,500	Federal and Private
19	Enforcement	165,000	Earmarked Revenue
20	Centralized Services	1,200,000	Revolving
21	DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE		
22	Registrars-Bureau	12,182	Federal and Private
23	FIRE MARSHAL	11,280	FEDERAL AND PRIVATE REVENUE
24	General Operations	161,928	Earmarked Revenue
25	General Operations	54,450	Earmarked Revenue
26	General Operations	25,861	Earmarked Revenue
27	General Operations	117,814	FEDERAL AND PRIVATE REVENUE

EASTMONT HUMAN SERVICES CENTER  
 CARE AND CUSTODY 10,419 FEDERAL APPROPRIATE  
 RESUME  
 PINE HILLS SCHOOL  
 CARE AND CUSTODY 45,200 FEDERAL AND  
 PRIVATE REVENUE  
 MONTANA VETERANS HOME  
 CARE AND CUSTODY 6,599  
 FEDERAL AND  
 PRIVATE REVENUE

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# Revenue

Section 2. Limitations on expenditures. The conditions  
 set forth in sections 1 through 16 of House Bill 483 passed  
 by the 46th legislature apply to appropriations under this

act.

Section 3. Effective date. This act is effective on  
 passage and approval.

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# STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

MARCH 25

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MR. SPEAKER:

We, your committee on HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

having had under consideration HOUSE Bill No. 355

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE TO  
PAY INDEMNITY AT FULL APPRAISED VALUE ~~IF~~ THE DEPARTMENT OF  
LIVESTOCK REQUIRES DESTRUCTION OF A HERD BECAUSE OF  
BRUCELLOSIS INFECTION; STATING THE CONDITIONS FOR PAYMENT OF  
THE INDEMNITY; APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR THE PAYMENT OF THE  
INDEMNITY; AMENDING SECTIONS 81-2-201 AND 81-2-209, MCA."

Respectfully report as follows: That HOUSE Bill No. 355

DO NOT PASS

~~DO PASS~~

# STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

MARCH 25

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MR. SPEAKER:

We, your committee on HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

having had under consideration HOUSE Bill No. 837

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO THE  
DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A GUARD TOWER AT  
MONTANA STATE PRISON; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE".

Respectfully report as follows: That HOUSE Bill No. 837

DO PASS

DO PASS