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HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

48th Legislature

HOUSE

Bill No.	Subject matter	Date In	Sponsor	Hearing Date	Committee Action	Date Out
3	To disapprove part of the Supreme Ct. rule on disqualification & substitution of judges that allows each party 2 substitutions of a judge.	1/3/83	Rep. Curtiss	1/11/83	Do Not Pass	1/12/83
10	Providing the training coordinator for county attorneys may act as special counsel to a county, etc.	1/3/83	Rep. Curtiss	1/6/83	Do Pass	1/6/83
13	Requiring the training coordinator for county attorneys to prepare and distribute a checklist of legal errors, etc.	1/3/83	Rep. Curtiss	1/6/83	Do Pass	1/6/83
15	To make retroactive & prospective the presumption that reference to a provision of the MCA is a reference to that provision, etc.	1/3/83	Rep. Ramirez	1/5/83	Do Pass	1/5/83
27	To amend Montana's Codification of the UCC providing there are no implied warranties that certified agricultural seed is disease free	1/3/83	Rep. Koehnke	1/12/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/13/83
44	To give a supplier of dated goods that are rotated in inventory an interest in the goods higher in priority than creditors.	1/3/83	Rep. Harper	1/12/83	Tabled 1/14/83	

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45	To establish a fee for declaration of marriage w/o solemnization, allocating it in the same manner as a marriage license fee.	1/3/83	Rep. Waldron	1/11/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/11/83
42	An act to create a lien in favor of agr. commodity producers and agr. commodity dealers that has priority over all other purchasers of agr. commodity purchaser.	1/3/83	Rep. Donaldson	--	Re-referred to Agriculture	2/4/83
47	To require the publication of a statement, with every rule proposed and adopted under implied rulemaking authority, that the rule lack the effect of law.	1/3/83	Rep. Schultz	1/5/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/13/83
53	Providing civil remedy for issuance of a check dishonored for lack of funds/no account setting forth damages that may be recovered.	1/3/83	Rep. Bergene	1/10/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/10/83
60	Requiring ministers who wish to be authorized to solemnize marriages to file a copy of their credentials with the clerk of the dist. court.	1/3/83	Rep. Shontz	1/11/83	Do Not Pass as Amended	1/11/83
61	To allow the testimony of incest victims to be videotaped for evidentiary purposes amending section 46-15-401.	1/3/83	Rep. Waldron	1/10/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/10/83

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71	Establishing filing fee to be paid to Clerk of Dist. Ct. for filing of certain items by a domiciliary foreign personal rep. of the estate of a nonres.	1/3/83	Rep. Abrams	1/10/83	Do Pass	1/10/83
74	To raise legal rate of interest to 10% a year.	1/4/83	Rep. Fabrega	1/13/83	Do Pass	1/13/83
97	Changing penalties that may be imposed on youths for unlawful possession of intoxicating substances and for motor violations and providing contempt of court remedy.	1/5/83	Rep. Manuel	1/12/83	Do Not Pass	1/13/83
119	Providing there is a presumption in a child support proceeding the level of support of each child not less than that received by children on public assistance.	1/6/83	Rep. Mueller	1/13/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/13/83
1130	Preventing the manufacture, possession, sale and advert. of imitation dangerous drugs; authorizing Board of Pharmacy to adopt rules; creating exemptions & provide penalties.	1/10/83	Rep. Stobie	1/14/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/25/83
1139	Providing whenever a vehicle is witnesses illegally passing a school bus there is rebuttable presumption the registered owner committed the violation.	1/10/83	Rep. Eudaily	1/14/83 Back on 1/17/83	Do Pass Do Pass as Amended	1/14/83 1/25/83

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143	Allowing employees of the st. to attend Montana Law Enforcement Academy if their employment relates to the criminal justice system.	1/10/83	Rep. Ernst	1/17/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/17/83
148	To exclude insurance proceeds from an estate for purposes of computing the compensation of a personal rep. and attorneys engaged by the personal rep.	1/10/83	Rep. Keyser	1/17/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/17/83
150	To grant to justices' courts jurisdiction over 1st offenses of criminal possession of marijuana and to alter the penalty.	1/10/83	Rep. Peck	1/14/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/14/83
170	To add to the list of places to which an intoxic. person may be taken for help; to provide persons aiding intoxic. person are not civilly liable if they act within scope of law.	1/11/83	Rep. Pistoria	1/18/83 Back On 1/19/83	Do Not Pass Table	1/18/83 2/9/83
178	Making it a Felony for the driver of a motor vehicle to attempt to elude a pursuing police vehicle.	1/12/83	Rep. D. Brown	1/19/83	Do Not Pass	1/20/83
179	To revise the uniform disposition of unclaimed property act to conform with U.S. Sup. Ct. decision in <u>Texas v. New Jersey</u> .	1/12/83	Rep. Bardanouve	1/21/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/21/83

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183	To make unauthorized use of handicapped parking spaces a misdemeanor and providing a penalty.	1/12/83	Rep. Winslow	1/19/83	Rereferred to Human Services	1/14/83
184	To revise the requirements for obtaining a permit to carry a concealed weapon.	1/12/83	Rep. Hand	1/20/83	Do Not Pass	2/3/83
191	To provide the division of property in a proceeding to terminate a marriage is considered to be a division of common ownership interest of both parties.	1/13/83	Rep. Ramirez	1/24/83	Do Pass	1/25/83
194	Submitting to qualified electors of Montana at the 11/6/84 election to raise the age from 19 to 21 the maximum age for consuming/possessing alcohol.	1/13/83	Rep. Swift	1/25/83	Do Pass	1/15/83
195	Raising from 19 to 21 the legal age persons may possess, consume or be sold or given alcohol beverages.	1/13/83	Rep. Swift	1/25/83	Do Pass	1/15/83
210	Requiring presentation of a valid insurance card for registration of a motor vehicle and suspension of dr. license for certain off.	1/13/83	Rep. Pistoria	1/24/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/25/83

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211	Relating the compensation benefits paid to victims of crime to the average weekly wage as determined for purposes of workers' compensation.	1/13/83	Rep. J. Brown	1/24/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/24/83
215	To adopt the revised uniform principal and income act as promulgated by the National Conference of Commissioners on uniform state laws.	1/13/83	Rep. Ramirez	1/19/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/19/83
220	Requiring the court in an action for nonpayment of rent to order the tenant of a residence to pay into court all or part of the accrued rent.	1/13/83	Rep. Hannah	1/18/83 Taken off Table 1/11/83	Tabled 1/18/83  Do Pass As Amended	1/11/83
234	Providing trustees of any school district when acting in official capacity are individually immune from liability for exemplary and punitive damages.	1/14/83	Rep. Yardley	1/26/83	Do Pass	1/27/83
235	Repealing Sections 53-30-107 through 53-30-109, MCA concerning an intensive rehabilitation center for adult offenders.	1/14/83	Rep. Nilson	1/19/83	Do Pass	1/19/83
251	Removing the county residency requirement for obtaining a marriage license.	1/14/83	Rep. Sales	1/19/83	Do Pass	1/19/83

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238	Providing liens attaching to a private dwelling for material, machinery or fixtures must be decreased in amount for that payment for the material.	1/14/83	Rep. Vincent	1/26/83	Tabled	2/7/83
245	Expanding geographical area that may be covered by contracts not to compete and to provide such contracts may not cover licensed professions and occupations.	1/14/83	Rep. Addy	1/18/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/18/83
246	Providing for staggered terms for members of the Board of Pardons.	1/14/83	Rep. Mueller	1/24/83	Do Pass	1/25/83
250	Providing mandatory term of imprisonment in the city jail upon a 1st conviction for driving under influence of drugs or alcohol.	1/14/83	Rep. Vincent	1/26/83	Do Pass as Amended	2/16/83
251	To remove the county residency requirement for obtaining a marriage license; amending Section 40-1-201, MCA.	1/14/83	Rep. Sales	1/19/83	Do Pass	1/19/83
257	Adopting the American Bar Association's model act on professional corp. and repeal the laws regulating corp. that render professional services.	1/17/83	Rep. Ramirez	1/24/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/25/83

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265	Eliminating certain qualifications for condemnation commissioners in eminent domain proceedings & providing for their compensation.	1/17/83	Rep. McBride	1/26/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/27/83
272	Eliminating the Swan River Youth Forest Camp as a place of commitment under the Youth Court Act.	1/17/83	Rep. Nilson	1/27/83	Do Pass	1/27/83
278	Prohibiting the issuance of a restricted probationary drivers license to person whose license suspended for conviction of driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs.	1/17/83	Rep. Kemmis	1/25/83 Rereferred 2/23/83	Do Pass as Amended	2/21/83
280	Repealing law providing that an accomplice's testimony must be corroborated before a conviction can be based on that testimony.	1/17/83	Rep. Hand	1/27/83	Do Pass	1/27/83
292	Providing for a second dist. court judge in the seventh judicial district.	1/18/83	Rep. Shontz	1/27/83	Tabled - 1/27/83	
307	Providing crime of riot or incitement to riot if occurring in a st. adult correctional facility is a felony, with term of 1 to 5 years.	1/18/83	Rep. Brand	1/28/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/27/83



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323	Providing municipal court judges & city judges be added to the group of incumbent judicial officers who are subj. to approval by voters when no election contest.	1/18/83	Rep. Veleber	1/27/83	Do Pass	1/27/83
327	To change the rights of and restrictions on a merchant detaining a suspected shop-lifter.	1/18/83	Rep. Bergene	1/28/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/31/83
331	To establish the offense of criminal possession of a toxic substance.	1/18/83	Rep. Pistoria	1/26/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/27/83
332	Removing the state's liability for the cost of a mental evaluation or commitment of a criminal defendant & related transportation costs.	1/18/83	Rep. Roush	1/28/83	Do Not Pass	1/31/83
453	Awarding litigation costs & attorney fees to a health care provider prevailing in a civil malpractice action providing injury not caused by malpractice of the provider.	1/22/83	Rep. S. Hansen	1/31/83	Tabled - 1/31/83	
347	Revising the Small Tract Financing Act of MT by increasing the limit on trustees' & attorneys' fees and deleting unnecessary recording lang.	1/19/83	Rep. Donaldson	1/24/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/24/83

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350	Specifying the time period during which Board of Pardons shall investigate a prisoner to determine his suitability for parole.	1/19/83	Rep. Hammond	1/31/83	Do Pass	1/31/83
355	Revising and clarify the laws relating to evidence.	1/19/83	Rep. Sands	2/2/83	Do Pass	2/4/83
357	Revise the laws relating to immunization and indemnification of governmental employees.	1/19/83	Rep. Donaldson	2/2/83	Do Pass, As Amended	2/5/83
358	Prohibiting discrimination on the basis of sex or marital status in the issuance or operation of insurance policies and retirement plans.	1/19/83	Rep. J. Brown	1/28/83	Do Pass, As Amended	2/8/83
362	Providing a voluntarily induced intoxic. or drugged condition may not be considered an impairment to a defendant's mental capacity.	1/19/83	Rep. Sands	1/31/83	Do Pass	2/2/83
368	Expanding the scope of appeal by the State in crim. cases by allowing interlocutory appeals on controlling questions of law.	1/19/83	Rep. Sands	1/27/83	Do Not Pass	1/27/83

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369	Requiring a judge to state his reasons for imposing a sentence.	1/19/83	Rep. Sands	1/27/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/27/83
370	To define a correctional policy for the State of Montana.	1/19/83	Rep. Sands	1/31/83	Do Pass as Amended	1/31/83
376	Revising the law on grand-parent visitation rights.	1/19/83	Rep. McBride	1/26/83	Do Pass as Amended	2/3/83
379	Requiring Attorney General to prepare instructions on how to probate a will or settle an estate and to distribute such to public.	1/19/83	Rep. Brand	1/28/83	Do Not Pass	2/7/83
381	To adopt the exclusionary rule exception of reasonable good faith belief in the legality of search and seizure.	1/19/83	Rep. Hannah	2/8/83	Table	2/21/83
382	To repeal the exclusionary rule; providing civil remedy for viol. of a person's constitutional privacy rights or search and seizure rights.	1/19/83	Rep. Hannah	2/8/83	Table 2/16/83	

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389	Providing for motor vehicle liability coverage of persons w/o regard to the motor vehicles owned or operated by the insured.	1/19/83	Rep. Menahan	2/2/83	Table	2/9/83
398	Providing that voluntary intoxication or drugged condition is not a defense to any criminal offense & to clarify the test for responsibility for conduct.	1/19/83	Rep. J. Jensen	1/31/83	Tabled	2/8/83
403	Revising the sentences for possession of dangerous drugs; providing for concurrent jurisdiction over offenses involving dangerous drugs.	1/19/83	Rep. Hand	1/31/83	Tabled - 1/31/83	
415	Allowing a municipal court judge and his law partners to practice law before any court in the state except the court of that judge.	1/20/83	Rep. Daily	2/2/83	Do Pass	2/2/83
417	Updating the list of controlled substances to conform with controlled substances listed in code of federal regulation.	1/20/83	Rep. Metcalf	2/2/83	Do Pass as Amended	2/2/83
430	To increase the penalties for violation of laws relating to motor vehicle registration, operation and accident reports.	1/21/83	Rep. Hannah	2/3/83	Do Pass as Amended	2/3/83

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429	To increase for discharging firearms within the limits of a city or town.	1/21/83	Rep. Hannah	2/2/83	Do Pass	2/3/83
433	Providing a challenge for cause to a juror may not be taken because of a debtor-creditor relationship when that relationship arises solely because a juror a depositor of funds.	1/21/83	Rep. Mueller	2/3/83	Do Pass	2/3/83
438	Criminal offenses of negligent assault, negligent vehicular assault, and neg. endangerment; deleting from the assault law a presumption as to assailant's purpose.	1/21/83	Rep. Hand	2/3/83 Rereferred 2/3/83	Do Pass Do Pass, As Amended	2/4/83 2/15/83
439	To abolish the sentence review division of the Montana Sup. Court; repealing Sections 46-18-901 through 46-18-905, MCA.	1/21/83	Rep. Hand	2/3/83	Do Not Pass	2/4/83
440	Providing for mutual and reciprocal discovery in criminal cases.	1/21/83	Rep. Hand	2/3/83	Do Not Pass, As Amended	2/5/83
467	To generally revise the inquest statutes.	1/24/83	Rep. J. Jensen	2/4/83	Do Pass, As Amended	2/12/83

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468	To speed the process of final criminal convictions by requiring the dismissal of felony charges not prosecuted in a timely manner.	1/24/83	Rep. Swift	2/4/83	Do Pass, as amended	2/10/83
471	Establishing the position of referee in certain judicial dist.; providing for appointment, qualifications, term & salary of referee, etc.	1/24/83	Rep. Addy	1/31/83	Do pass, as amended	2/10/83
478	Adopting exclusionary rule exception of reasonable good faith belief in the legality of a search and seizure.	1/25/83	Rep. Hannah	2/9/83	Tabled	2/16/83
481	Allowing officers of the United States Customs Service or immigration and naturalization service to make arrests.	1/25/83	Rep. Phillips	2/3/83	Do Pass	2/3/83
483	Providing an action brought in city court for violation of a state law may be brought in the name of the city or town.	1/25/83	Rep. Spaeth	2/4/83	Do Pass	2/8/83
494	Allowing a person making an arrest to bring the arrested person before a judge of the city nearest to the city in which the warrant was issued, if issuing judge absent.	1/25/83	Rep. Hannah	2/9/83	Do Not Pass	2/9/83

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496	Requiring clerks of Dist. Ct. to issue passports in accordance with fed. law and to establish and collect fees for issuing passports.	1/25/83	Rep. Ellison	2/4/83	Do Not Pass	2/4/83
501	Allowing an exception to the prohibition against employment discrimination on the basis of marital status in certain circumstances	1/25/83	Rep. Farris	2/11/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/12/83
502	Extending the time that judicial proceedings are stayed upon transmission of additional evidence to the Public Service Commission eliminating auto transmission of add. evidence	1/25/83	Rep. Pavlovich	2/4/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/4/83
507	Amend laws relating to the office hours and fees of justices' courts and to the commencement of actions in and removal of actions from justices' courts.	1/26/83	Rep. Hannah	2/9/83	Do Pass	2/9/83
516	Providing for city attorney reports to the Attorney General on cases involving declined prosecutions or the excl. rule; provide AG newsletter	1/26/83	Rep. Addy	2/7/83	Do Not Pass As Amended	2/8/83
524	Repeal Section 49-2-601, relating to criminal penalties for a violation of Human Rights Act.	1/27/83	Rep. Darko	2/7/83	Do Pass	2/7/83

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537	Providing there may be no deferral of imposition of sentence or suspension of execution of an imposed sentence for certain major crimes.	1/27/83	Rep. Jones	2/7/83	Table	2/9/83
540	Revising geographical application of laws prohibiting driving under the influence of alcohol or drugs; making it offense to drive with blood alcohol concentration more .10.	1/27/83	Rep. Vincent	2/10/83 Rereferred <del>5/4/83</del> 4/5/83	Do Pass As Amended  Senate Amendments Be Not Concurred In	2/17/83  5/4/83 4/5/83
546	Provide for granting of parole by the Board of Pardons if the population at prison or the women's center exceeds design capacity for more than 30 days	1/28/83	Rep. Waldron	2/7/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/8/83
555	Providing assistance to state and local agencies for the furtherance and improvement of local law enforcement, courts criminal prosecution and defense	1/28/83	Rep. Quilici	2/7/83	Do Not Pass As Amended	2/9/83
562	Amending definition of the crime of incest to include any sexual contact w/o consent and to extend the definition to include stepson/daughter not adopted by offender.	1/29/83	Rep. Harper	2/10/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/10/83
575	To provide a lien for medical practitioners and hospitals against payments awarded by the Workers' Comp. Div. for medical services	1/29/83	Rep. Winslow	2/10/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/12/83



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577	Providing application fee for admission to State Bar and the fee for the bar examination be commensurate with costs as determined by Supreme Court.	1/29/83	Rep. McBride	2/10/83	Do Pass	2/10/83
583	Generally revising sentencing laws and providing mandatory sentences.	1/31/83	Rep. Hannah	2/8/83	Do Not Pass	2/8/83
584	An act to expand the aggravating circumstances under which the death penalty may be imposed.	1/31/83	Rep. Hannah	2/9/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/9/83
585	To decrease the instances in which an offender is designated as nondangerous	1/31/83	Rep. Hannah	2/9/83	Do Not Pass As Amended	2/12/83
586	Submitting to qualified electors of Mt. an amendment to Article VII, Sect. 11 to require removal of justice or judge who fails to impose a criminal sentence as by law.	1/31/83	Rep. Hannah	2/8/83	Do Not Pass	2/9/83
589	Removing a statutory conflict with respect to charging certain costs to convicted defendants.	1/31/83	Rep. Schye	2/11/83	Do Pass	2/11/83

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608	Repealing section which establish procedures for disciplining attorneys that are inconsistent with order and rules of Supreme Court.	2/1/83	Rep. Spaeth	2/11/83	Do Pass	2/11/83
609	Directing Department of Justice and local law enforcement agencies to establish a central repository for dental records of missing persons.	2/1/83	Rep. Spaeth	2/11/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/12/83
618	Amending medical malpractice panel act.	2/2/83	Rep. Keyser	2/10/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/10/83
619	Allowing a landlord to terminate a tenancy on 3 days written notice if tenant damages or removes part of the premises.	2/3/83	Rep. Hannah	2/9/83	Do Pass	2/9/83
628	Providing person not informed of his right to appeal a crt. order finding him seriously mentally ill and to whom habeas corpus is unavailable may have review in sup. crt.	2/3/83	Rep. Harper	2/10/83	Do Pass	2/10/83
629	Defining the term "general election" for the purpose of submission to the people of laws or constitutional amendments by the legislature.	2/3/83	Rep. D. Brown	2/7/83	Do Pass	2/7/83

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2	Authorizing the possession of antique slot machines	2/4/83	Rep. Yardley	2/11/83	Do Pass	2/11/83
0	To establish procedure for an individual alleging violations of Human Rights Act may elect to pursue a complaint, etc.	2/5/83	Rep. S. J. Hansen	2/11/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/11/83
4	To revise the gambling laws, by revising the definition of "slot machine" and "authorizing card game", etc.	2/5/83	Rep. Curtiss	2/9/83	Table	2/9/83
6	To increase from 3 to 20 days the notice period for termination of a mobile space rental agreement, etc.	2/5/83	Hammond	2/14/83	Do Pass	2/14/83
7	An act to allow bingo prizes to be paid in cash	2/8/83	Rep. Nilson	2/16/83	Do Pass As Amended	2/16/83
4	An act to increase the minimum penalties for sale of dangerous drugs, etc.	2/8/83	Rep. Ramirez	2/14/83	Do Pass	2/14/83

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705	An act increasing certain district court fees, re-distributing the percentage amount of court fees deposited, etc.	2/10/83	Rep. Spaeth	2/15/83	DO Pass As Amended	2/16/83
714	An Act to establish procedures to be followed by the Human Rights Commission in the enforcement of the Governmental Code, etc.	2/10/83	Rep. Spaeth	2/15/83	DO Pass, AS Amended	2/15/83
731	To adopt 1978 Revisions to the Uniform Federal Lien Registration Law;	2/14/83	Rep. Ramirez	2/17/83	Do Pass	2/17/83
741	To provide that the training services of the county attorney training coordinator may be made available to city attorneys, etc.	2/14/83	Rep. Addy	2/17/83	Do Pass	2/17/83
761	An act adding two judges to the Office of the Workers' Compensation Judge; , etc.	2/14/83	Rep. Addy	2/18/83	Table	2/19/83
768	An act to give surveyors the right of access onto private property when necessary for the completion of a survey.	2/14/83	Rep. Wallin	2/18/83	Table	2/19/83

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769	An act creating a lien against a motor vehicles for the value of any parts furnished for the motor vehicle, etc.	2/14/83	Rep. Wallin	2/18/83	Table	2/19/83
774	An act creating a classification of shorthand reporters to be known as certified shorthand reporters; etc.	2/14/83	Rep. Addy	2/17/83	Do Pass, As Amended	2/17/83
787	An act creating a jail standards commission, etc.	2/14/83	Rep. Bergene	2/18/83	Table	2/18/83
796	An act creating a drug and alcohol abuse prevention grant program within the Dept. of Institutions, etc.	2/14/83	Rep. Kemmis	2/18/83	Table	2/19/83
808	An act allowing an arresting officer to immediately suspend the driver's license of a person refusing to submit to a chemical test; etc.	2/15/83	Rep. Kitselman	2/18/83	Do Pass, As Amended	2/19/83
811	An act to require guardians and conservators for wards and protected persons to file an accounting, etc.	2/15/83	Rep. Yardley	2/19/83	Do Pass, As Amended	2/19/83

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8848	Providing for prejudgment interest at the rate of 10 percent a year on a judgment greater, etc.	2/15/83	Rep. Menahan	2/21/83	Table	2/21/83
8854	To authorize the use of certain mechanical or electronic machines for playing poker, etc.	2/15/83	Rep. Pavlovich	2/21/83	Table	2/21/83
8855	To revise Montana's probate code with respect to renunciation of succession, etc.	2/15/83	Rep. Ramirez	2/21/83	Do Pass	2/21/83
8857	Authorizing mutual aid agreements among law enforcement agencies, etc.	2/15/83	Rep. Abrams	2/21/83	Do Pass	2/21/83
8875	Creating a real estate recovery account for the payment of unsatisfied judgments against real estate salesmen and brokers, etc.	2/15/83	Rep. S.J. Hansen	2/21/83	Table	2/21/83

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HJR 19	Requesting an assignment of a select committee on Indian affairs	2/5/83	Rep. Asay	2/14/83	Do Pass	2/14/83
HJR 23	Urging the development of community-based corrections.	2/15/83	Rep. Berge- ne	2/18/83	Do Pass As Amend- ed	2/19/83
HJR 29	Requesting an interim study of the insurance laws of the state of Montana, etc.	2/16/83	Rep. Rameriz	2/21/83	Do Pass, As Amend- ed	2/21/83
HJR 47	Requests that an interim study be conducted to examine the status of Montana-Canadian relations and provide recommendations	4/18/83	Rep. Vincent	4/19/83	Do Pass	4/19/83

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SB 2	Criminal procedure, appellate review, prohibiting in certain circumstances	1/26/83	Sen. Aklestad	3/16/83	Be Concurred In	3/22/83
SB 4	Crime procedure, requiring appellant to order in writing a transcript	1/17/83	Sen. Mazurek	3/10/83	Be Concurred In	3/10/83
SB 7	Capital punishment, permitting condemned to be confined at state prison at state expense pending execution	1/20/83	Sen. Aklestad	3/16/83	Be Concurred In	3/16/83
SB 14	To clarify the law relating to termination of the parent-child relationship; amending section 41-3-603, MCA	1/10/83	Sen. Mazurek	1/14/83	Do Pass Consent Calendar	1/14/83
SB 15	To change infant to minor where appropriate throughout code in order to achieve consistency with Title 41, MCA	1/10/83	Sen. Mazurek	1/17/83	Do Pass Consent Calendar	1/17/83
SB 23	Providing for the streamlining of hearings after the issuance of a preliminary decree in the general adjudication of water rights	2/10/83	Sen. Hager	3/15/83	Be Not Concurred In	3/15/83



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SB 26	To alter certain judicial district boundaries and to change the number of judges in certain judicial districts, etc.	2/14/83	Sen. Mazurek	3/10/83	Be Concurred In, AS Amended	3/10/83
SB 37	Water rights, water courts, clarifying jurisdiction, composition, providing for judicial review and location of such hearings	2/11/83	Sen. Hager	3/15/83	Be Concurred In AS Amended	3/15/83
SB 41	Requires the DNR to compile reports of all certificates of water rights issued by the dept. requiring copies to county clks. and recorders	3/2/83	Sen. Hager	3/15/83	Be Concurred In	3/15/83
SB 52	District courts, providing for third judge in the 1st District	1/29/83	Sen. Mazurek	3/10/83	Table	3/10/83
SB 65	Crime procedure, sentencing, length of sentence pending restitution	1/26/83	Sen. Halligan	3/11/83	Be Concurred In	3/11/83
SB 79	Crime law, establishing as a crime and penalties therefor unauthorized acquisition and use of food stamps	1/22/83	Sen. Fuller	3/3/83	Be Concurred In	3/3/83

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SB 99	Water Rights, water courts, providing for assignment and transfer of judges and other personnel	1/24/83	Sen. Hager	3/15/83	Be Concurred In	3/15/83
SB 114	Suicides, providing that property with or upon decedent to be given to family or public administration, etc.	2/3/83	Sen. Thomas	3/3/83	Be Concurred in As Amended	3/15/83
SB 123	Notaries Public, bonding increasing amount to be posted; making Governor's power to issue commissions discretionary	1/28/83	Sen. Marbut	3/2/83	Be Condurred In	3/2/83
SB 127	Peace officers, establishing employment and training standards, allowing for extensions to limits	1/26/83	Sen. Hazelbaker	3/8/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/8/83
SB 129	Writs of Execution, County Treasurers, increasing from 60 to 90 days time for returns	1/29/83	Sen. Fuller	3/3/83	Be Concurred In	3/3/83
SB 138	To generally revise Montana's codification of uniform commercial code by substantially adopting the 1972 & 1977 changes recommended	3/1/83	Sen. Mazurek	3/21/83	Be Concurred In	3/22/83

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SB 142	Sec. of State, tax liens, deleting requirement that released federal tax liens not be removed from SS files	1/29/83	Sen. Gage	3/2/83	Table	3/8/83
SB 145	Montana State Bar, repealing fee for examination for admission	2/29/83	Sen. Turnage	3/8/83	Table	3/8/83
SB 168	Montana Youth Court Act, revising 6-month commitment to Dept. of Institutions and process	2/11/83	Sen. Van Valkenburg	3/4/83	Be Concurred In	3/4/83
SB 170	To provide for reversion to the former owner of certain interests in real property acquired for public use and later abandoned	2/28/83	Sen. Boylan	3/9/83	Table Be Concurred In As Amended	3/9/83 3/14/83
SB 177	To provide that income of a judgment debtor necessary for the support of his family is exempt from execution to satisfy, etc.	2/14/83	Sen. Van Valkenburg	3/4/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/4/83
SB 194	Jurys, generally amending and clarifying laws relating to selection; eliminating ballot capsules; specifying duties, etc	2/9/83	Sen. Aklestad	3/16/83	Be Concurred In	3/22/83

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SB 195	Crime law, controlled substances, "hashish" defining, etc.	1/29/83	Sen. Crippen	3/9/83	Be Concurred In	3/9/83
SB 196	Court reporters, salaries, increasing; requiring notes and proceedings to be stored for 10 years	2/10/81	Sen. Van Valkenburg	3/4/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/4/83
SB 201	Crime procedure, witnesses, grant of immunity barring use of testimony in a crime prosecution against him; deleting bar against prosecution, etc.	2/9/83	Sen. Turnage	3/8/83	Be Not Concurred In Rereferred 3/14/83 Be Concurred In, As Amended	3/11/83 3/22/83
SB 203	To require a judge or justice to assist the supreme court, a district court, etc.	3/1/83	Sen. Towe	3/21/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/21/83
SB 218	Sheriffs, granting discretion in segregating prisoners	2/10/83	Sen. Van Valkenburg	3/4/83	Be Concurred In	3/4/83
SB 220	Montana State Prison, warden allowing warden to restore good time with approval of Dept. of Institutions	2/9/83	Sen. Daniels	3/2/83	Be Concurred In	3/2/83

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SB 225	To extend the period of time following request for release in which a person voluntarily committed to a mental health facility may be detained, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Daniels	3/9/83	Be Not Concurred In	3/11/83
SB 226	Youth Courts, providing for party's moving for continuances, also in custodial situations	2/4/83	Sen. Crippen	3/9/83	Be Concurred In	3/10/83
SB 236	Crime law, forfeiture, addressing to list of items creating rebuttable presumption; disposition of drug fines, etc.	2/9/83	Sen. Crippen	3/9/83	Be Concurred In	3/9/83
SB 237	To provide a procedure for restitution to victims of crimes by the criminal offenders, etc.	3/1/83	Sen. Halligan	3/21/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/22/83
SB 248	Revise laws relating to claim of mental disease or defect in criminal prosecution; allowing a county attorney, etc.	3/1/83	Sen. Towe	3/21/83	Be Concurred In	3/21/83
SB 260	To extend laws relating to operation of motor vehicle while under influence of alcohol to roads and parking areas, etc.	2/2/83	Sen. Halligan	3/11/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/22/83

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SB 313	Allowing an arresting officer to immediately seize the driver's license of any person refusing to submit to a chemical test; etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Halligan	3/11/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/22/83
SB 326	To submit to the qualified electors of Mt. an amendment to allow the Mt. Supreme Court to discipline a justice or judge	2/14/83	Sen. Blaylock	3/1/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/1/83
SB 347	An act providing that a prescriptive easement cannot be acquired by recreational use	2/28/83	Sen. Galt	3/8/83	Tabled	3/14/83
SB 351	An act to limit opinion testimony of psychiatrists and other experts in criminal proceedings, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Halligan	3/11/83	Be Not Concurred In	3/11/83
SB 352	An act to include as a member of a foster care review committee the foster parent of the child whose care is under review, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Regan	3/10/83	Be Concurred In	3/10/83
SB 354	Revising the laws relating to priority of agisters' liens and liens of service over perfected security interests, etc	2/28/83	Sen. Christiaens	3/14/83	Be Concurred In	3/14/83

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SB 371	Providing that if it is in the best interest of a child a child custody decree may be modified when a child aged 14 years desires, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Fuller	3/14/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/14/83
SB 373	Validating unacknowledged deeds executed prior to Jan. 1, 1983; validating and making sufficient as legal notice of the interest contained therein	2/28/83	Sen. Van Valkenburg	3/14/83	Be Concurred In	3/14/83
SB 381	An act to allow all grandparents the opportunity to seek visitation rights with their grandchildren	2/28/83	Sen. Hager	3/15/83	Be Concurred In Rereferred Table	3/15/83 3/21/83
SB 386	Providing a direct communication to a judge by a litigant or his atty. that intends to influence outcome constitutes contempt	2/28/83	Sen. Halligan	3/11/83	Be Not Concurred In, As Amended	3/11/83
SB 388	Amends the complaint and initial investigation provision of the law relating to misconduct by judicial officers, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Blaylock	3/14/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/14/83
SB 391	To generally revise criminal penalties; increasing dollar amount required before penalties are increased, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. Eck	3/14/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/22/83

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SB 394	Allowing a defendant sentenced to death to choose between hanging and a lethal injection, etc.	2/28/83	Sen. B. Brown	3/16/83	Be Concurred In As Amended	3/21/83
SB 409	Clarifying the law regarding the revocation of a deferred or suspended sentence requiring that a petition to revoke sentence	2/28/83	Sen. Berg	3/10/83	Be Concurred In	3/10/83
SB 465	Revises limits of recovery in tort suits against the state and local governments;	4/18/83	Sen. Turnage	4/19/83	Be Concurred In, As Amended	4/19/83



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SJR 15	Commending citizens, law enforcement officials, and the media for their support of crimestoppers	2/28/83	Sen. Turnage	3/8/83	Be Concurred In	3/8/83
SJR 24	To study and prepare recommendations for the 49th legislature on updating and clarifying the laws on venue and statutes of limitation	3/29/83	Sen. Mazurek	4/5/83	Be Concurred In	4/5/83
SJR 25	Request an interim study of the creation of a unified court system and the financing of such a system.	4/8/83	Sen. Marbut	4/12/83	Be Concurred In	4/12/83