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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 52nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

SUBCOMMITTEE ON EDUCATION & CULTURAL RESOURCES

Call to Order: By CHAIRMAN PECK, on January 24, 1991, at 8:00 am

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Ray Peck, Chairman (D)

Sen. Greg Jergeson, Vice Chairman (D)

Sen. Don Bianchi (D)

Rep. Larry Grinde (R)

Sen. H.W. Hammond (R)

Rep. Mike Kadas (D)

Staff Present: Pam Joehler, Senior Fiscal Analyst (LFA)

Skip Culver, Associate Fiscal Analyst (LFA)

Doug Schmitz, Budget Analyst (OBPP)

Mary Ann Wellbank, Budget Analyst (OBPP)

Melissa Boyles, Secretary

Please Note: These are summary minutes. Testimony and discussion are paraphrased and condensed.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL CENTERS

Tape No. 1

CHAIRMAN PECK stated that during Executive Action no one in attendance is allowed to participate in the meeting unless a member of the subcommittee asks them to do so. What the subcommittee does in this meeting is only a recommendation to the Full Committee. CHAIRMAN PECK stated that the subcommittee needs to decide whether they want to go with Incremental or Formula funding. If done incrementaly it would be more of a stability situation and cannot approach the pay equities, a formula base will give a better step towards equality.

CHAIRMAN PECK asked the staff which approach they wanted to take. REP. KADAS said that he asked Pam Joehler to run numbers on the formula that was worked out over the interim and said he would like to talk about them.

Ms. Joehler distributed a handout on the Vo-Tech System Funding Formula. EXHIBIT 1

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SEN. BIANCHI asked Ms. Joehler what the student faculty ratio is. Ms. Joehler said the faculty ratio is 13.5 for contact hour. The student faculty ratio converted to the credit hour base is 17.96.

REP. KADAS asked how Ms. Joehler got the institutional support rate. Ms. Joehler referred to page six of EXHIBIT 1

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CHAIRMAN PECK stated that the Governor's recommendation is about \$11.2 million annually. What does the Governor have in terms of MODS that the LFA is not showing. Ms. Joehler said that the Governor did not recommend any budget modification. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Ms. Joehler if the Governor put the \$807,000 back in Perkins money. Ms. Joehler said no. REP. KADAS asked if that position had changed. Doug Schmitz said yes, the OBPP would go along with the change to restrict it.

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Ms. Joehler stated that the Governor's budget was based on FY90 actual student faculty ratios and budgeted appropriations. Because the enrollment had gone down and staff had not decreased measurably to the enrollment reduction they are actually offering a richer student faculty ratio than what the formula used. The budgeted student FTE is higher than the FY90 actual because they have been on a downward slide. If you use the FY89 and FY90 actual to calculate a two-year average, the average is actually higher than FY90 actual enrollment.

REP. KADAS asked Ms. Joehler to explain Option 3. Ms. Joehler stated that formula option 3 uses the same formula factors as included on table 7, page 43 of the LFA CL Budget Analysis EXHIBIT 2 Ms. Joehler reviewed calculations for formula option 3 on page 4 of EXHIBIT 1

CHAIRMAN PECK asked if you use center specific number three versus number two, would you be moving closer towards equity under two than you are three. Ms. Joehler said that on a system wide basis you would be. REP. KADAS asked what is driving number three, experience or educational level. Ms. Joehler said the difference in number two and three is the uniqueness of the faculty at each campus as it exists now. REP. KADAS asked if number three more closely replicates the changes proposed in the systems equity proposal. Ms. Joehler said it would at each center. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Ms. Joehler if she took the average throughout the system on number two and used the center average on number three. Ms. Joehler said yes. CHAIRMAN PECK said that he was trying to determine which one would move the system closer to a system salary schedule. Under two it looks like Great Falls being the lowest is gaining more under two than three so this must be moving them towards the single salary proposal. Ms.

Joehler said the specific average equity base salary is \$26,819 versus the system wide at \$29,636. If the goal is to reach the system wide average salary formula two would get you there faster than three.

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SEN. JERGESON asked if option four addresses the equity issue.

Ms. Joehler said it does not. Option four includes the salary
that was included in table 7 EXHIBIT 2 which is half way between
the average equity base.

REP. GRINDE asked how many MODS there would be if the subcommittee goes with the formula driven funding. CHAIRMAN PECK said there would be no MODS. Any MODS would be above and beyond and would have to be considered separately.

REP. KADAS stated that option two gives an average base across the board that does not take into account experience or educational level. Option three takes into account those two factors which were two of the main driving forces in the Commissioners negotiated equity plan. The negotiated equity plan does not contemplate a system average, it contemplates averages that have educational and seniority components built into the units average faculty salary. Ms. Joehler said yes, if your trying to arrive at the average equity base salary for each campus. REP. KADAS said if option two were used rather than option three we would be rewarding Great Falls to a greater extent than the equity proposal that was worked out. In a sense by rewarding Great Falls we would be damaging everyone else by that much more. Ms. Joehler agreed with REP. KADAS.

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CHAIRMAN PECK asked why there is a difference in the acceleration of the trend in Butte versus that in Missoula. REP. KADAS said it would be the make up of the faculty at the two different institutions. Ms. Joehler said the difference between the Butte specific equity \$31,600 versus the average \$29,600 is a \$2,000 difference versus Missoula at \$30,000 versus the average \$29,600 is only a \$400 difference. So the magnitude between two and three would be greater in Butte than Missoula because of the difference in center specific equity salary versus the system equity salary. REP. KADAS stated that what is driving Buttes \$31,600 is that they have a more senior faculty and possibly more Masters Degrees in the faculty then all other institutions except Helena. REP. KADAS said he is more comfortable going with three, but is concerned with some of the impacts that will be forced onto some of the campuses.

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CHAIRMAN PECK said that he was going to depart from normal committee rules and asked Laurie Neils if she has any comments or observation. Laurie Neils referred the question to Jack Noble. Jack Noble stated that he agrees with REP. KADAS. He feels the third option is what they would be looking at. Equity in terms

of faculty should take into consideration educational degrees and experience. It is similar to the State Classification Pay Plan. The average agency may be a grade 10 but you don't fund the agency on a grade 10. Some agencies have more 14 and some have predominately grade 8. The same situation would be with the faculty and the faculty signed off on it and by doing so are saying this would treat them fair. CHAIRMAN PECK asked if option three would be beneficial to the proposed agreement that the Commissioner of Higher Education laid out for the subcommittee. Mr. Noble said yes.

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REP. KADAS asked the Commissioners Office what their general attitude is about moving from incremental to formula. Mr. Noble said it is hard to refute formula budgeting. The question is how you step into it. The salary equity is an important step and the other thing that would need to be considered would be the student faculty ratios that have been applied system wide and change to an across the board student faculty ratio. We can not discard the faculty we have in those Vo-Techs this spring. The Vo-Techs need some time to go to an across the board student faculty ratio where all Vo-Techs are given the identical ratio. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Mr. Noble if he was saying that they need individual ratios the first year of the biennium and then go to the system the second year. Mr. Noble said yes.

SEN. BIANCHI asked if the subcommittee had the individual faculty ratios. Ms. Joehler said it was done based on the actual number of faculty that are budgeted in the LFA CL Budget for instruction and compared that to the budgeted enrollment using 89-90. FTE faculty reflect their request, Billings 15.77, Butte 16.30, Great Falls 16.03, Helena 15.05, Missoula 15.35, with a system average of 15.64. This generates 164.35 faculty FTE. REP. KADAS asked why it is different from the 17.96. Ms. Joehler said it was because they had more faculty than the formula was generated When the faculty ratio was set it was based on FY88 actual student faculty ratio and the enrollments were higher at that The enrollment has gone down and applying the same student faculty ratio would result in a lower number of faculty being budgeted with the formula. Because the budgets were based incremental they are really based on FY88 actual operating Doug Schmitz asked Ms. Joehler what the actual FTE attendance for FY89 and FY90 were. Ms. Joehler said it was based on a 180 day contact hour. Mr. Schmitz said that he used those same numbers and he finds a significant difference between Ms. Joehler's numbers and his own. Ms. Joehler stated that the Vo-Techs used to operate on different days. They didn't have all the standard number of days to operate on and it was closer to 180 days in the past. Some of the Centers operated at 165 days. So historically the data has been collected and converted to 180 days. Ms. Joehler stated that the contract has been changed to 162 days, so she went back and converted all the 180 contact hour reports to 162 days.

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SEN JERGESON asked if it could be changed in the first year of the biennium to a formula. CHAIRMAN PECK said it is up to the subcommittee what they are going to recommend. SEN. JERGESON asked how the transition would be handled to change to formula budgeting. Ms. Joehler said if the subcommittee wants to go with the Commissioners recommendation using actual student faculty ratios in the first year of the biennium you would just use that. This would generate a higher budget than if you used a higher student faculty ratio. CHAIRMAN PECK stated that faculty adjustments could not be made in the first year. Commissioners Office would like to stay with the individual average in the first year and go to the system average in the second year. SEN. JERGESON said if the transition were to be made would it be based on the 15.64 in the first year. PECK said he thought the Commissioners Office wants it done individually by centers.

CHAIRMAN PECK said that he feels the discussion is indicating that the subcommittee wants to go with the formula approach unless he is wrong the discussion should center on that. Otherwise the CHAIR will assume the subcommittee is going with formula funding. There being no disagreement from the subcommittee CHAIRMAN PECK asked the subcommittee to deal with the specifics of the formula.

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REP. KADAS said he would like to see what using the existing campus student faculty ratios and the campus specific faculty salaries that are used in Option 3, EXHIBIT 1 This would ease into the change and in the future use a system average on student faculty ratio. REP. KADAS said he is concerned with doing all of it in the next two years. CHAIRMAN PECK asked why he wants to postpone for two years when the system is saying they want to change in the second year of the biennium. REP. KADAS said he is concerned on the dollar impact on specific campuses. SEN. HAMMOND said the jump is going to be there. REP. KADAS said he would like to take two small jumps rather than one big jump.

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SEN. BIANCHI asked how the 17.96 compares to the peer institutions. Ms. Joehler said Montana compared favorably to surrounding institutions. Using the 13.5 ratio (developed with contact data) North Dakota was 17/1, South Dakota 15/1, Washington 20/1. The NACUBO reports for Vo-Techs was 15/1, and the NACUBO report for two year institutions with enrollment less than 1,000 was 14/1.

SEN. BIANCHI said he agrees with REP. KADAS and would like to take a look at his suggestion before he makes any decisions. CHAIRMAN PECK said he feels movement should be made before FY93. The process is going to be painful but it needs to be made.

CHAIRMAN PECK called a fifteen minute recess.

SEN. JERGESON opened the meeting in absence of CHAIRMAN PECK.

Ms. Joehler distributed and reviewed a handout on Formula Option number 5 and 6. EXHIBIT 3

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SEN. BIANCHI asked where it would put us if the subcommittee used 16.5 in the second year of the biennium, instead of the 17.9.

Ms. Joehler said if it was at a system wide basis at 16.5 FTE it would be \$10,752,000 instead of \$10,522,000. REP. KADAS said he would like to see something like what was done with the University System last year. Move 25% in the first year and 25% in the second year. SEN. JERGESON asked where the transition from the center to system wide would be made. REP. KADAS said it would be a three year phase in.

Tape No. 2

SEN. BIANCHI said that the centers have contracts with faculty and will have to give one years notice before they can lay anyone off. If they do have to lay off faculty this will affect the students that are in two year programs now. SEN. BIANCHI said he would like to give them time to adjust.

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REP. KADAS said that he thought that going from the system average to the Great Falls specific average on FTE would reduce Great Falls total appropriation. Instead it has increased it. SEN. JERGESON said that there is an increase in option five for all the centers. The actual student faculty ratios for each of the centers is dramatically lower than the 17.96.

SEN. JERGESON asked Jack Noble what the provisions on notice to the faculty. Mr. Noble said it is one year. Mr. Noble said that for the student and faculties sake, time would be needed to adjust.

SEN. HAMMOND asked Mr. Noble how going 1/3 of the way would alleviate the problems with two year contracts. Mr. Noble said they would have to commence immediately in order to meet those deadlines. REP. KADAS asked Mr. Noble if going 1/3 of the way on student faculty ratio in the first year would work. Mr. Noble said the Commissioners Office would like to stay at the current ratio in the first year.

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SEN. JERGESON stated that if the option suggested by REP. KADAS 1/3, 1/3, and 1/3 were used the dollar figures would end up less than what is shown. But, if in the first year the particular dollar figures difference be allocated to the BOR to be used at whatever center is more critical. Would this make it any easier. Mr. Noble said that putting it into one barrel is not going to make the task any less difficult.

Ms. Joehler stated that REP. KADAS asked her to look at the Carl Perkins issue. The LFA CL does include \$805,044 per year in the Current Level Budget for Carl Perkins. There is a request by the BOR to replace that with General Fund. The Legislative Auditor recommended that the funds be placed in the current restricted fund rather than the current unrestricted fund. He did note that any indirect cost that could be recovered from the restricted funds should be deposited to the current unrestricted fund. Under the Carl Perkins Act the subcommittee is not supposed to know what the Vo-Techs might be getting. However, we do know that each one is entitled to at least a minimum of \$50,000. indirect cost rate that is allowed to be collected is 5%. would be \$12,500 for the system. The impact of replacing the \$805,000 is to free up Federal Funds to be used by other PostSecondary Institutions or by the Vo-Tech Centers for other programs.

SEN. HAMMOND asked Ms. Joehler if there is a minimum of \$50,000 and depending on the program the schools may get more. Ms. Joehler said that is what she understood from what Sib Clack said at the Carl Perkins Review Hearing on January 23, 1991. REP. KADAS asked Sib Clack if the \$492,146 is what is going to be available for all of PostSecondary Education. Ms. Clack said the \$492,146 is not the formula allocated amount, it is the split dollars that were estimated in the competitive grant awards. The total amount that would go to the five Vo-Techs, 3 Community Colleges and three of the seven tribal Community Colleges is 1.106 million. REP. KADAS asked if this was an annual figure. Ms. Clack said yes.

SEN. HAMMOND asked what entitles the schools to the \$50,000. Ms. Clack said the formula required by federal law is to take the number of Pell grant and BIA assistance recipients, role in Vocational Technical Education in each of the institutions. Then you compare this to the total number of pell grant and BIA assistants in all the institutions which gives you your ratio. The ratio is applied times the pot of 35% that was set aside for postsecondary. SEN. HAMMOND asked Ms. Clack if she had some idea of who was going to qualify. Ms. Clack said that all five of the Vo-Techs will receive at least \$50,000. The total number for the Vo-Techs is \$527,396, 5% of that is \$26,700 for indirect cost recovery. REP. KADAS asked if all twelve of the Institutions compete on equal footing. Ms. Clack said they all compete equally.

REP. KADAS stated that he feels all of the Carl Perkins Funds except for the indirect cost, should be taken out of the current unrestricted. If we don't, we may lose it and cause the current unrestricted to go below current level for some of the Vo-Techs. Unless we do that we run the risk of losing it altogether. REP. BARDANOUVE said that we have never lost any Carl Perkins Funds in the past ten years.

SEN. JERGESON asked Mr. Noble if a center had to reduce faculty

that are budgeted for if formula is used, however, it is all paid for by General Fund. If the center were to get the Carl Perkins Grants that were applied for would some of the faculty transfer over when grants came in. Mr. Noble said it could be a possibility. The intent of the Carl Perkins Act is to add to not to take out.

Mr. Noble stated that the Commissioners Office provided a schedule that worked in cooperation with the Governor and the Governor's Budget Office of where the Governor's Executive recommendation incorporates part of the Carl Perkins Funding in the amount of \$570,000 per year. REP. KADAS asked if that was in the original Executive Budget. Mr. Noble said yes. It is an allocation of a portion of the \$8,000,000 that was given to the Regents to address their priorities. REP. KADAS asked if it was the BOR position that there is \$800,000 per year of Carl Perkins money all of that is going to be taken out of current unrestricted and put in an additional \$570,000,000 general fund so overall it will still be \$250,000 short.

Mr. Hutchinson, Commissioner of Higher Education, said that the money that is used for the Carl Perkins Funding would be used for the programs that have the largest number of disadvantaged students. Some faculty being reduced could be picked up on Carl Perkins Funds. However, it would not be a very easily planned adjustment.

REP. KADAS asked what would happen if a formula were used and put a half million dollars per year of Carl Perkins were added as a revenue source for distribution to the formula. Mr. Noble said that Carl Perkins money can not be appropriated to the formula.

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REP. KADAS said he would like to see the dollar amounts on an institutional basis. He would like to find a system formula that works and doesn't cause to much damage in the time that it takes to work.

CHAIRMAN PECK called a twenty minute recess so Ms. Joehler could run the numbers for REP. KADAS. Ms. Joehler distributed a worksheet on Formula Options. EXHIBIT 4

REP. KADAS asked if the Carl Perkins funds were removed and replaced with General Fund what the cost would be for Option 7.

Ms. Joehler said it would be approximately \$1,222,000 in FY92 and \$990,400 in FY93. SEN. JERGESON asked if that would be in addition to the General Fund amounts on F33. Ms. Joehler said yes. SEN. JERGESON said the appropriated amount he came up with is \$700,000 less than the Governor's appropriated amount. SEN. JERGESON said that the 2.1 million dollar increase puts approximately \$700,000 over the Executive Budget in General Fund.

Ms. Joehler distributed and reviewed a handout on General Fund

Impact. EXHIBIT 5

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REP. KADAS asked which number is the right one in regards to millage. Ms. Joehler stated that she talked to Terry Johnson and he said the difference comes in the area of how the two offices reallocated the non tax revenues. This will be clarified when the revenue resolution is worked on and will be better addressed later in the session when it is worked out to one number.

Doug Schmitz, OBPP, said the two major differences is in tax increment financing districts which the OBPP excluded and the vehicle fees which come in. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Mr. Schmitz if the OBPP is going to come up. Mr. Schmitz said he didn't know that they would come up but the revenues may change. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Mr. Schmitz if they were moving more in the direction of the LFAs estimate of millage. Mr. Schmitz said he believes the difference is in the way that it was calculated.

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REP. KADAS said the Commissioners Office asked to be able to come back with some recommendations. REP. KADAS stated that the subcommittee is trying to keep the General Fund down and at the same time not damage the campuses too much. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Mr. Noble what the Commissioners Office would need additional to be helpful. Mr. Noble said he would like some idea of the bottom line parameters, what amount of Carl Perkins would be in there, what the General Fund targets are. Mr. Noble stated that the Commissioners Office would like the opportunity to give the environmental impact statement. This would show the issues and consequences of cutting back.

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SEN. BIANCHI asked if the subcommittee needs to tell the Commissioners Office what the subcommittee wants in order for them to be able to come back with their recommendations. REP. KADAS said his low end is an additional \$570,000 per year General Fund and \$2,000,000 on the high end. CHAIRMAN PECK stated that he would not vote to support anything in excess of the Governor. Mr. Noble asked if they could use the Executive Branch recommendation and incorporate the \$570,000 general fund backfill for Carl Perkins and give the subcommittee a proposal on that. REP. KADAS asked if that were \$570,000 per year or biennium. Mr. Noble said it is \$570,000 per year. CHAIRMAN PECK said he would be interested in seeing that.

CHAIRMAN PECK asked Mr. Noble what kind of time frame the Commissioners Office would need to put their recommendations together. Mr. Noble said they could have the parameters ready by Tuesday January 29, 1990.

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REP. GRINDE asked if the Commissioners Office could get the analysis to Pam Joehler as soon as possible so the subcommittee would have time to look at it before Tuesday. CHAIRMAN PECK asked Mr. Noble to do what they could to get it to Ms. Joehler.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 10:47 a.m.

REPRESENTATIVE RAY PECK, Chair

MELISSA J. BOYLES, Secretary

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REP. RAY PECK, CHAIRMAN			
SEN. GREG JERGESON			
REP. LARRY GRINDE			
SEN. DON BIANCHI			
REP. MIKE KADAS			
SEN. H.W. "SWEDE" HAMMOND			

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VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SYSTEM FUNDING FORMULA SUMMARY WORKSHEET--LFA CL VS. FORMULA OPTIONS

FISCAL 1992	Billings	Butte	Gt. Falls	Helena	Missoula	System
LFA CL	\$1,782,680	\$1,663,302	\$1,998,797	\$2,457,884	\$2,661,682	\$10,564,345
Formula Option 1 Change from LFA CL						\$10,303,089 (\$261,256)
Formula Option 2 Change from LFA CL						\$10,532,570 (\$31,775)
Formula Option 3 Change from LFA CL						
Formula Option 4 Change from LFA CL						
FISCAL 1993						
LFA CL	\$1,780,249	\$1,660,157	\$1,994,525	\$2,453,073	\$2,658,065	\$10,546,069
Formula Option 1 Change from LFA CL						
Formula Option 2 Change from LFA CL	•	• •		· ·		\$10,540,757 (\$5,312)
Formula Option 3 Change from LFA CL						
Formula Option 4 Change from LFA CL						

OPTION #1:Formula with LFA formula factors in "Issue" section of the Budget Analysis adjusted for credit hour student FTE

OPTION #2: Same as #1, but with system average salary equity for faculty.

OPTION #3:Same as #1, but with center-specific salary equity for faculty.

OPTION #4:Same as #1, but with student faculty ratio reduced from 17.96 to 16.25.

This results in increasing budgeted faculty FTE.

FORMULA CALCULATIONS:

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ITEM	BILLINGS	BUTTE	GT FALLS	HELENA	MISSOULA	SYSTEM
NSTRUCTION PROGRAM						
S-FTE	412	379	614	562	604	257
S/F Ratio	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.9
Faculty	22.94	21.10	34.19	31.29	33.63	143.1
lvg Fac Salary	28557	28557	28557	28557	28557	
Avg Fac Benefits	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	
aculty Comp	\$799,219	\$735,114	\$1,191,164	\$1,090,129	\$1,171,654	\$4,987,28
Inst Support Rate	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$19
Inst Supp \$\$	\$81,988	\$75,421	\$122,186	\$111,838	\$120,196	\$511,62
COTAL INST. COST	\$881,207	\$810,535	\$1,313,350	\$1,201,967	\$1,291,850	\$5,498,90
UPPORT PROGRAM						
Support Rate	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,09
support \$\$	\$451,140	\$415,005	\$672,330		\$661,380	\$2,815,24
udit	\$13,496	\$12,785	\$12,785			\$63,92
COTAL SUPPORT COST	\$464,636	\$427,790	\$685,115	\$628,886	\$672,744	\$2,879,17
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apital EQ \$\$	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$420,19
OTAL EQUIPMENT	\$107,110	\$105,262	\$118,422	\$115,510	\$117,862	\$564,16
OTAL FORMULA COSTS	\$1,452,953	\$1,343,587	\$2,116,887	\$1,946,363	\$2,082,456	\$8,942,24
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ITEM	BILLINGS	BUTTE	GT FALLS	HELENA	MISSOULA	SYSTEM
INSTRUCTION PROGRAM						
S-FTE	412	379	614	562	604	2571
S/F Ratio	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96
# Faculty	22.94	21.10	34.19	31.29	33.63	143.15
Avg Fac Salary	29871	29871	29871	29871	29871	
Avg Fac Benefits	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	
Faculty Comp	\$835,994	\$768,939	\$1,245,973	\$1,140,290	\$1,225,565	\$5,216,76
Inst Support Rate	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199
Inst Supp \$\$	\$81,988	\$75,421	\$122,186	\$111,838	\$120,196	\$511,629
TOTAL INST. COST	\$917,982	\$844,360	\$1,368,159	\$1,252,128	\$1,345,761	\$5,728,390
SUPPORT PROGRAM					<u> </u>	
Support Rate	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095
Support \$\$	\$451,140	\$415,005	\$672,330	\$615,390	\$661,380	\$2,815,249
Audit	\$13,496	\$12,785	\$12,785	\$13,496	\$11,364	\$63,926
TOTAL SUPPORT COST	\$464,636	\$427,790	\$685,115	\$628,886	\$672,744	\$2,879,171
EQUIPMENT						
Minor Eq Rate	\$56	\$56	\$56	\$56	\$56	
Minor Eq \$\$	\$23,072	\$21,224	\$34,384	\$31,472	\$33,824	\$143,976
Capital EQ \$\$	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$420,190
TOTAL EQUIPMENT	\$107,110	\$105,262	\$118,422	\$115,510	\$117,862	\$564,166
TOTAL FORMULA COSTS	\$1,489,728	\$1,377,412	\$2,171,696	\$1,996,524	\$2,136,367	\$9,171,72
FY 92 CL PLANT OWM	\$232,021	222119	273449	284710	348544	\$1,360,843
FY 93 CL PLANT OWN	\$232,021	223184	274679	285804		\$1,369,030
TOTAL COSTS FY 92	\$1,721,749	\$1,599,531	\$2,445,145	\$2,281,234	\$2.484.911	\$10,532,570
TOTAL COSTS FY 93	\$1,723,608	\$1,600,596	\$2,446,375	\$2,282,328		\$10,540,75
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INSTRUCTION PROGRAM						
S-FTE	412	379	614	562	604	2571
S/F Ratio	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96	17.96
# Faculty	22.94	21.10	34.19	31.29	33.63	143.15
Avg Fac Salary	28479	31625	26819	32400	30031	•
Avg Fac Benefits	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	
Faculty Comp	\$797,036	\$814,091	\$1,118,669	\$1,236,831	\$1,232,130	\$5,198,757
Inst Support Rate	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199
Inst Supp \$\$	\$81,988	\$75,421	\$122,186	\$111,838	\$120,196	\$511,629
TOTAL INST. COST	\$879,024	\$889,512	\$1,240,855	\$1,348,669	\$1,352,326	\$5,710,386
SUPPORT PROGRAM						
Support Rate	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095
Support \$\$	\$451,140	\$415,005	\$672,330	\$615,390		
Audit	\$13,496	\$12,785	\$12,785	\$13,496		
TOTAL SUPPORT COST	\$464,636	\$427,790	\$685,115	\$628,886	\$672,744	\$2,879,171
EQUIPMENT					AND AND SECURITY	and the second of the second o
Minor Eq Rate	\$56	\$56	\$56	\$56	\$56	The second secon
Minor Eq \$\$	\$23,072	\$21,224	\$34,384	\$31,472	\$33,824	\$143,976
Capital EQ \$\$	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$420,190
TOTAL EQUIPMENT	\$107,110	\$105,262	\$118,422	\$115,510	\$117,862	\$564,166
TOTAL FORMULA COSTS	\$1,450,770	\$1,422,564	\$2,044,392	\$2,093,065	\$2,142,932	\$9,153,723
FY 92 CL PLANT O&M	\$232,021	222119	273449	284710	348544	\$1,360,843
FY 93 CL PLANT O&M	\$233,880	1.40"	274679		351483	
TOTAL COSTS FY 92	\$1,682,791	\$1,644,683	\$2,317,841	\$2,377,775	\$2,491,476	\$10,514,566
TOTAL COSTS FY 93			\$2,319,071		\$2,494,415	

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FORMULA CALCULATIONS:

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FORMULA OPTION 4

ITEM	BILLINGS	BUTTE	GT FALLS	HELENA	MISSOULA	SYSTEM
INSTRUCTION PROGRAM				_ ~ ~	* ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** **	
S-FTE	412	379	614	562	604	2571
S/F Ratio	16.25		16.25			
# Faculty	25.35		37.78			
Avg Fac Salary	28,557		28,557			
Avg Fac Benefits	1.22	•	1.22		•	
Faculty Comp	\$883,182	\$812,458	\$1,316,238	\$1,204,751	\$1,294,986	\$5,511,615
Inst Support Rate	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199	\$199
Inst Supp \$\$	\$81,988	\$75,421	\$122,186	\$111,838	\$120,196	\$511,629
TOTAL INST. COST	\$965,170	\$887,879	\$1,438,424	\$1,316,589	\$1,415,182	\$6,023,244
SUPPORT PROGRAM						
Support Rate	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095	\$1,095
Support \$\$	\$451,140			\$615,390		\$2,815,245
Audit	\$13,496	\$12,785	\$12,785		\$11,364	
and it	\$13,490	\$12,765	\$12,765	313,490	211,204	303,720
TOTAL SUPPORT COST	\$464,636	\$427,790	\$685,115	\$628,886	\$672,744	\$2,879,171
EQUIPMENT						
Minor Eq Rate	\$56	\$56	\$56	\$56	\$56	
Minor Eq \$\$	\$23,072	agent of the second sec				\$143,976
Capital EQ \$\$	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$84,038	\$420,190
TOTAL EQUIPMENT	\$107,110	\$105,262	\$118,422	\$115,510	\$117,862	\$564,166
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TOTAL FORMULA COSTS	\$1,536,916	\$1,420,931	\$2,241,961	\$2,060,985	\$2,205,788	\$9,466,581
FY 92 CL PLANT O&M	\$232,021	222,119	273,449		348,544	\$1,360,843
FY 93 CL PLANT O&M	\$233,880	223,184	274,679	285,804	351,483	\$1,369,030
IOTAL COSTS FY 92	\$1,768,937			\$2,345,695		
FOTAL COSTS FY 93	\$1,770,796	\$1,644,115	\$2,516,640	\$2,346,789	\$2,557,271	\$10,835,611

MONTANA VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SYSTEM COMPARISON OF CONTACT HOUR FTE AND CREDIT HOUR FTE FISCAL YEARS 1986 THROUGH 1990

Contact Hour FTE	-Converted to	162 days	e grand Agendina de la companya de La companya de la co	e design a	, dagi sili ki sajira dasa Tangi Sa ga Ka sara			latio of
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Billings	440	401	358	320	301	-31.6%	426	1.42
Butte	373	357	356	319	252	-32.4%	375	1.49
Gt. Falls	352	375	426	473	453	28.7%	591	1.30
Helena	582	522	519	455	392	-32.6%	518	1.32
Missoula	567	498	478	473	438	-22.8%	525	1.20
	in a second							
Total	2,314	2,153	2,137	2,040	1,836	-20.7%	2,435	1.33

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Credit Hour FTE (using system conversion factor from contact hour to credit hour)

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Billings 584	53	2 475	424	399	-31.7%
Butte 495	47	3 ~ 472	423	334	-32.5%
Gt. Falls 467	49	7 565	627	601	28.7%
Helena 772	69	2 688	603	520	-32.6%
Missoula 752	66	634	627	581	-22.7%
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Total 3,070	2,85	2,834	2,704	2,435	-20.7%

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VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL CENTERS

Table 7 PESC Recommended Funding and Mechanism 1993 Biennium

Program Determination	<u>Formula</u>	Formula Factors		
	INSTRUCTION			
	(Enrollment/student faculty ratio) x	(1,938/13.5)		
Faculty Compensation	Faculty Compensation	x \$34,840		
+	+			
Operating Expenses = Total Instruction	Enrollment x Rate Per Student =	1,938 x \$265		
	Total Instruction			
	SUPPORT			
	Enrollment x	1,938 ×		
	Rate Per Student = Total Support	\$1,457		
	EQUIPMENT			
Minor Equipment	Enrollment	1,938		
+ Capital Equipment =	x Rate Per Student +	x \$75 +		
Total Equipment	Uniform Appropriation Per Center	\$84,038 Per Center		
	Total Equipment			
	PLANT AND MAINTENANCE			
	Individual Center Funded Incrementally			

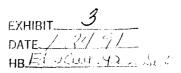
The committee recommends that enrollment be based upon the average of the previous two years' actual enrollment to maintain stability and to conform with the method used to determine enrollment for budgeting purposes at the university units and the community colleges. In the 1993 biennium, enrollment would be based upon actual fiscal 1989 and 1990 enrollments.

Instruction would be based upon a uniform, enrollment-based formula. Average faculty salary, student/faculty

ratios, and operating expenses are based upon prior years' actual experience at all centers, with inflationary adjustments.

Support would be based upon a uniform, enrollment-based formula. The support rate per student is based upon fiscal 1989 actual support expenditures, the estimated value of in-kind services provided by the local school districts now the responsibility of the state, and an inflationary increase.

VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SYSTEM FUNDING FORMULA SUMMARY WORKSHEET--LFA CL VS. FORMULA OPTIONS



FISCAL 1992	Billings	Butte	Gt. Falls	Helena	Missoula	System
LFA CL	\$1,782,680	\$1,663,302	\$1,998,797	\$2,457,884	\$2,661,682	\$10,564,345
Formula Option 1 Change from LFA CL	\$1,684,974 (\$97,706)	\$1,565,706 (\$97,596)	\$2,390,336 \$391,539	\$2,231,073 (\$226,811)		\$10,303,089 (\$261,256)
Formula Option 2 Change from LFA CL	\$1,721,749 (\$60,931)	\$1,599,531 (\$63,771)	\$2,445,145 \$446,348	\$2,281,234 (\$176,650)		\$10,532,570) (\$31,775)
Formula Option 3 Change from LFA CL	\$1,682,791		\$2,317,841 \$319,044	\$2,377,775 (\$80,109)		\$10,514,566) (\$49,779)
Formula Option 4 Change from LFA CL	\$1,768,937	\$1,643,050	\$2,515,410 \$516,613	\$2,345,695 (\$112,189)	\$2,554,332	\$10,827,424
Formula Option 5 Change from LFA CL	\$1,793,626	\$1,727,635 \$64,333	\$2,452,317 \$453,520	\$2,616,920 \$159,036	•	\$11,291,542
Formula Option 6 Change from LFA CL	\$1,793,626		\$2,452,317 \$453,520	\$2,616,920 \$159,036		\$11,291,542
FISCAL 1993						
LFA CL	\$1,780,249	\$1,660,157	\$1,994,525	\$2,453,073	\$2,658,065	\$10,546,069
Formula Option 1 Change from LFA CL				\$2,232,167 (\$220,906)		\$10,311,276) (\$234,793)
Formula Option 2 Change from LFA CL	\$1,723,608 (\$56,641)			\$2,282,328 (\$170,745)		\$10,540,757) (\$5,312)
Formula Option 3 Change from LFA CL	\$1,684,650 (\$95,599)			\$2,378,869 (\$74,204)		\$10,522,753) (\$23,316)
Formula Option 4 Change from LFA CL	\$1,770,796 (\$9,453)			\$2,346,789 (\$106,284)		\$10,835,611) \$289,542
Formula Option 5 Change from LFA CL	\$1,795,485		\$2,453,547 \$459,022	\$2,618,014 \$164,941	• • •	\$11,299,729

OPTION #1:Formula with LFA formula factors in "Issue" section of the Budget Analysis adjusted for credit hour student FTE

OPTION #2:Same as #1, but with system average salary equity for faculty.

OPTION #3:Same as #1, but with center-specific salary equity for faculty.

OPTION #4:Same as #1, but with student faculty ratio reduced from 17.96 to 16.25. This results in increasing budgeted faculty FTE.

OPTION #5: Same as #1, but with actual student faculty ratios (based on LFA CL budgeted FTE faculty and budgeted Student FTE) and center-specific salary equity for faculty.

OPTION #6:Same as #5, but with systemwide student faculty ratio (17.96) in fiscal 93.

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FISCAL 1992	Billings	Butte	Gt. Falls	Helena	Missoula	System
LFA CL	\$1,782,680	\$1,663,302	\$1,998,797	\$2,457,884	\$2,661,682	10,564,345
Formula Option 1 Change from LFA C			\$2,390,336 \$391,539	\$2,231,073 (\$226,811)	\$2,431,000 \$ (\$230,682)	\$10,303,089 (\$261,256)
Formula Option 2 Change from LFA C	\$1,721,749 (\$60,931)	\$1,599,531 (\$63,771)	\$2,445,145 \$446,348		\$2,484,911 \$ (\$176,771)	
Formula Option 3 Change from LFA C	\$1,682,791 (\$99,889)	\$1,644,683 (\$18,619)		\$2,377,775 (\$80,109)	\$2,491,476 \$ (\$170,206)	
Formula Option 4 Change from LFA C	\$1,768,937 L (\$13,743)	\$1,643,050 (\$20,252)	\$2,515,410 \$516,613	\$2,345,695 (\$112,189)	\$2,554,332 \$ (\$107,350)	
Formula Option 5 Change from LFA C	\$1,793,626 \$10,946	\$1,727,635 \$64,333	\$2,452,317 \$453,520	\$2,616,920 \$159,036	\$2,701,044 \$ \$39,362	\$11,291,542 \$727,197
Formula Option 6 Change from LFA C			\$2,452,317 \$453,520	\$2,616,920 \$159,036	\$2,701,044 s \$39,362	\$727,197
Formula Option 7 Change from LFA C	\$1,753,322 L (29,358)	\$1,698,312 35,010	\$2,404,219 405,422		\$2,623,738 \$ (37,944)	
FISCAL 1993						
LFA CL	\$1,780,249	\$1,660,157	\$1,994,525	\$2,453,073	\$2,658,065	10,546,069
Formula Option 1 Change from LFA C	\$1,686,833 L (\$93,416)	\$1,566,771 (\$93,386)	\$2,391,566 \$397,041	\$2,232,167 (\$220,906)	\$2,433,939 \$ (\$224,126)	\$10,311,276 (\$234,793)
Formula Option 2 Change from LFA C	\$1,723,608 L (\$56,641)	\$1,600,596 (\$59,561)	\$2,446,375 \$451,850	\$2,282,328 (\$170,745)	\$2,487,850 S (\$170,215)	
Formula Option 3 Change from LFA C	\$1,684,650 L (\$95,599)	\$1,645,748 (\$14,409)	\$2,319,071 \$324,546	\$2,378,869 (\$74,204)		
Formula Option 4 Change from LFA C	\$1,770,796 L (\$9,453)	\$1,644,115 (\$16,042)	\$2,516,640 \$522,115	\$2,346,789 (\$106,284)		\$10,835,611 \$289,542
Formula Option 5 Change from LFA C	\$1,795,485 L \$15,236	\$1,728,700 \$68,543	\$2,453,547 \$459,022	\$2,618,014 \$164,941	\$2,703,983 \$45,918	
Formula Option 6 Change from LFA C		\$1,645,748 (\$14,409)		\$2,378,869 (\$74,204)	\$2,494,415 (\$163,650)	
Formula Option 7 Change from LFA C					\$2,557,066 (\$100,999)	

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OPTION #6:Same as #5, but with systemwide student faculty ratio (17.96) in fiscal 93.

<code>GPTION</code> #7:Same as #3, but moving student faculty ratio 1/3 distance from actual to system average(17.96) each year.

FORMULA FACTORS:

Capital Equipment (per center)

	Billings	Butte	Gt. Falls	Helena	Missoula	System	
Enrollment*							
FY 89	424	423	627	603	627	2,704	
FY 90	399	334	601	520		2,435	
AVG	412	379	614	562		2,570	
*Credit Hour H						_,	
Student Facult							
FY 88*	17.96	17 96	17 96	17.96	17.96		
92/93 LFA							
DIFF			1.93				
1/3 INCREM							
FY 92			16.67				
FY 93					17.09		
					to credit hours		
							+
Average Facult	y Salary						
FY89 avg salar							
added annually	· •	8					
FY 91	28,557	28,557	28,557	28,557	28,557		
FY 91 avg sala	arv (from CHE)					
w/o equity			23.552	30,954	28,748	27,790	
equity						29,871	
Average Facult	v Benefits						
	-						
. SC study	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	
CHE	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22	Crounded to 2 digit
Instructional	Support Rate	**				\$199	. –
Support Rate ((per S-FTE)**					\$1,095	
Proit Costs /9		2+051					
Audit Costs (9		acesj					
Exec @100%	14,995	14,206	14,206	14,995	12,627		
Exec @90%							
	•	•	•	-			
Minor Equipmen	nt (per S-FTE	\ * *				\$56	
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EXHIBIT 6

GENERAL FUND IMPACT TO LFA CL USING VARIOUS FORMULA AND REVENUE OPTIONS

GENERAL OTHER GENE FUND FUNDS TOTAL F \$7,018,306 \$3,546,039 \$10,564,345 \$6,983, 0ption 1 (261,256) (\$261,256) (\$34,0ption 2 (\$1,775) (\$34,0ption 3 (\$49,779) (\$449,779) (\$34,0ption 4 263,079 \$805,544 (\$805,544) \$60 \$805,	FY 93	OTHER	FUNDS TOTAL	\$3,562,514 \$10,546,069	157,391 \$0	(\$234, 793)	(\$5,312)	(\$23,316)	\$289,542	(805,544) \$0	12,500 \$0	162 2727
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GENERAL FUND \$7,018,306 budget (157,391) Option 1 (261,256) Option 2 (31,775) Option 4 (49,779) erkins 805,544			TOTAL	\$10,564,345	0 \$	(\$261,256)	(\$31,775)	(446,779)	\$263,079	0\$	0\$	C
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pt Formula budget pt Formula Option 1 pt Formula Option 2 pt Formula Option 3 pt Formula Option 4		GENERAL	FUND	\$7,018,306	(157,391)	(261,256)	(31,775)	(49,779)	263,079	805,544	(12,500)	166 330
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NOTE: THE OPTIONS LISTED ABOVE ARE NOT MUTUALLY EXCLUSIVE, AND ARE THEREFORE NON-ADDITIVE.

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