

MINUTES

MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 52nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON FISH & GAME

Call to Order: By **CHAIRMAN JIM ELLIOTT**, on March 15, 1991, at 3:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Jim Elliott, Chairman (D)
Beverly Barnhart (D)
Fred "Fritz" Daily (D)
Roger DeBruycker (R)
Orval Ellison (R)
Gary Forrester (D)
Marian Hanson (R)
Vernon Keller (R)
Bea McCarthy (D)
Bruce Measure (D)
John Phillips (R)
Ted Schye (D)
John Scott (D)
Wilbur Spring (R)
Bill Strizich (D)

Members Excused: John Johnson, Vice-Chairman (D)
Bob Gilbert (R)

Staff Present: Doug Sternberg, Legislative Council
Ginger Puntenney, Committee Secretary

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

HEARING ON SENATE BILL 255

Presentation and Opening Statement by Sponsor:

SEN. ELEANOR VAUGHN, House District 1, Libby, said this bill would require packaged fish bait to be sold in biodegradable containers. People are concerned about litter, especially plastic and styrofoam containers. People need to pack out what they pack in. Amendments to the bill may be needed.

Proponents' Testimony:

Brian McNitt, MEIC, supports this bill.

John Baily said he likes the concept of this bill but it eliminates all fly boxes. Fishing flies are made of animal by-products and are put in plastic boxes that are used for years. He suggested an amendment that "bait" means worms, night crawlers and maggots. This bill would ban salmon eggs because glass is a litter problem. This bill does not define biodegradable. On line 18, it should read "Container means an individual, styrofoam, separate package". The effective date should be changed to October 1, 1992, so industries will have time to find alternative packaging.

Susan Lenard, Montana Audubon Legislative Fund, supports this bill as written. If Sen. Vaughn approves of the amendments, they would consider them.

Opponents' Testimony:

Bertha Raffety opposed the bill. EXHIBIT 1

REP. PHILLIPS said bait companies would like to conform, but at the present time there is nothing on the market that is suitable and biodegradable for the packaging of bait. It will put bait companies out of business.

Darla Oakes opposed the bill. EXHIBIT 2

Pat Roberts, Roberts Wholesale Bait, presented written testimony. EXHIBIT 3

Questions From Committee Members:

REP. MCCARTHY said when kids go fishing, they use plastic bottles for worms. Would these be illegal? SEN. VAUGHN said yes. The intent of this bill is not to run people out of business. There needs to be stronger litter laws. Revisions are needed in the bill. CHAIRMAN ELLIOTT asked if a deposit on styrofoam containers would work. SEN. VAUGHN questioned if people would pack the containers out. REP. DAILY said there are some serious problems with the bill, but it is a good idea. Could the parties involved revise this bill and resubmit it to the committee?

Closing by Sponsor:

SEN. VAUGHN said there are problems with the bill and revisions will be submitted to the committee on Monday, March 18.

HEARING ON SENATE BILL 415

Presentation and Opening Statement by Sponsor:

SEN. ELEANOR VAUGHN, Senate District 1, Libby, said this bill establishes a state parks recreational vehicle fee on all recreational vehicles, campers, motor homes, and travel trailers;

sets the fee; and provides that fee proceeds be earmarked for state parks to provide recreational vehicle services and facilities.

Proponents' Testimony:

Chuck Lindell, Montana Good Sams, supports this bill. It will raise revenue to improve campgrounds.

Susan Lenard, Montana Audubon Legislative Fund, said this bill makes sense.

Stuart Doggett, Montana Innkeepers, Montana RV Association, and State Parks' Committee, supports this bill and are not opposed to recreational vehicle fees.

Opponents' Testimony: none

Questions From Committee Members:

CHAIRMAN ELLIOTT said an amendment is needed that reads, "Taxes collected at the county level are remitted directly to the state treasurer's office". For ease and efficiency in administration, section 1, subsection (2) should be changed to provide that the county treasurer remit collections directly to the state treasurer. Also, there needs to be a coordinating amendment with SB 318. SEN. VAUGHN said she agreed with both amendments. REP. MEASURE said the fee proceeds, as stated in the bill, could only be used at state parks for recreational services and facilities. Does Good Sams support that use? Mr. Lindell said yes. REP. KELLER asked if there was opposition from the state treasurer's offices on their collecting these fees. SEN. VAUGHN said no. The fees would be collected upon licensing of recreational vehicles. REP. KELLER asked if there was any way to assess fees on out-of-state vehicles. SEN. VAUGHN said only local vehicles can be assessed. REP. MCCARTHY said a similar proposal is in the house taxation committee. Should these bills be coordinated? SEN. VAUGHN said she would find out. Fees should not get too high on recreational vehicles. CHAIRMAN ELLIOTT said the bill states that funds may be used only to provide recreational vehicle services and facilities in state parks. He asked Mr. Lindell if Good Sams would have any objections to striking the word "only", so the funds may be used for other services at campgrounds. Mr. Lindell said the organization would not object.

Closing by Sponsor:

SEN. VAUGHN said this is an important bill. She urged passage in order to improve recreational services and facilities.

HEARING ON SENATE BILL 142Presentation and Opening Statement by Sponsor:

SEN. TOM BECK, Senate District 24, Deer Lodge, said this bill would help FWP control the escalating elk population in certain areas of the state. Many ranchers will allow people to hunt on their property if they have a cow elk permit and will only shoot a cow elk. In order to control the elk population, if a person has a cow elk permit, he should shoot the cow elk in the area where the permit was drawn. People shoot bull elk with their cow elk permits. The bill has been amended so it does not deny a person from going to other areas and hunting bull elk. This is a reasonable bill. SEN. BECK requested support of SB 142.

Proponents' Testimony:

Robert VanDerVere supports this bill because many hunters do not use their cow elk permits.

Pat Graham, FWP, supports this bill. EXHIBIT 4

Don Chance, Montana Bowhunters Association, supports this bill and submitted an amendment. EXHIBIT 5

REP. SPRING supports this bill because it would help control the elk population in northern Gallatin County.

Opponents' Testimony:

Bob Bugni, Prickly Pear Sportsmen, said this bill is not necessary because the Fish and Game Commission already has the authority to regulate these permits. EXHIBIT 6

Bill Holdorf opposed the bill.

Tony Schoonen, Anaconda Sportsmen, opposed the bill because it is too restrictive.

Closing by Sponsor:

SEN. BECK explained and voiced his support of the amendments that were requested by FWP. (EXHIBIT 7) The A-7 license is available, but it eliminates any opportunity to hunt bull elk if a person receives a cow elk license. There are 100,000 permits issued and only 23,000 are bull permits. This puts tremendous pressure on the bull elk. He had no objection to the amendment submitted by the Montana Bowhunters Association. He urged concurrence with SB 142.

HEARING ON SENATE BILL 298

Presentation and Opening Statement by Sponsor:

SEN. BILL YELLOWTAIL, House District 50, Wyola, said this bill clarifies the elements necessary to determine residency for purposes of hunting, fishing, and trapping licensing; provides for the documentation of residency; and provides penalties.

Proponents' Testimony:

Bob Lane, FWP, supports this bill. EXHIBIT 8

Bob Winfield, FWP, gave the committee magazine articles on residency. This bill lists the criteria the department uses to determine residency when issuing licenses. The current residency requirements are not specific enough to effectively support criminal prosecutions and are sometimes confusing to sportsmen.

Opponents' Testimony: none

Questions From Committee Members:

REP. MCCARTHY asked when the six month residency requirement starts. Mr. Lane said when a person moves here with the intent to stay. Residency rules need to be clarified. REP. MCCARTHY asked why an enrollee of a job corps camp is permitted to get a fishing license, but not a hunting license. Will they be permitted hunting licenses? Mr. Lane said no. REP. ELLISON asked if any agents have falsely sold licenses. Mr. Winfield said the intent is not to go after an honest licensing agent if someone else is dishonest. REP. FORRESTER asked what proof is needed to obtain a hunting license. Mr. Winfield said a Montana driver's license or I.D. The department also has a standardized form for a person who doesn't have identification. REP. MCCARTHY asked what identification is needed and how an individual proves that he is now a resident. Mr. Winfield said that criteria is listed in the bill.

Closing by Sponsor:

SEN. YELLOWTAIL said the burden is placed on the applicant to furnish proof of residency. This is a good bill and should clarify the enforcement process.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 298

Motion/Vote: REP. DAILY MOVED SB 298 BE CONCURRED IN. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion/Vote: REP. ELLISON MOVED SB 298 BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR. Motion carried unanimously.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 142

Motion: REP. SPRING MOVED SB 142 BE CONCURRED IN.

Motion: REP. ELLISON moved to adopt Amendment No. 1.

Discussion:

Mr. Sternberg explained Amendment No. 1. EXHIBIT 5

REP. DAILY said one group should not be excluded. A person who can't hunt bull or cow elk with a rifle shouldn't be able to hunt bull or cow elk with a bow. REP. MCCARTHY said if a bow hunter doesn't get an elk during bow season, he would have a chance during the regular hunting season. REP. SPRING said there are too many elk and no one should be excluded from hunting them. REP. KELLER asked Mr. Childress (FWP) if bow hunters had special licenses for either sex. Mr. Childress said that during the archery season they can take either sex.

Motion/Vote: REP. DEBRUYCKER made a substitute motion that Amendment No. 1 not be adopted. Motion carried 12 - 4 with Reps. Schye, Measure, Forrester, and Strizich voting no.

Discussion:

Mr. Sternberg explained Amendment No. 2. EXHIBIT 7

Motion/Vote: REP. DEBRUYCKER moved to adopt Amendment No. 2. Motion carried 12 - 4 with Reps. Daily, Schye, Measure, and Forrester voting no.

Motion/Vote: REP. MEASURE MOVED SB 142 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED. Motion carried 9 - 7. EXHIBIT 9

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 415

Motion: REP. MEASURE MOVED SB 415 BE NOT CONCURRED IN.

Discussion:

REP. MEASURE said the bill needs changes so the development of these parks would benefit the people of Montana, not just out-of-state people. It needs to be put in a subcommittee. REP. MCCARTHY said there are problems with the bill, but would like to see it incorporated with SB 318. This bill should be assigned to a subcommittee or referred to the taxation committee. REP. SCHYE said there are numerous bills that request funding for parks. These bills should be coordinated. SB 318 requests an additional 50 cent vehicle registration fee for funding of parks. REP. KELLER said if recreational vehicles owners are willing to pay a fee to fund parks, the legislature should take advantage of it.

REP. MEASURE withdrew his motion.

REP. MEASURE said on page 2, lines 16 and 17, revisions are needed. REP. MCCARTHY suggested the amendment read: "funds may be used to provide needed improved services to state parks". REP. MEASURE said he would agree to "services and facilities". REP. SCHYE said it would keep this bill alive until it could be coordinated with the other bills. He would support the amendment. REP. BARNHART said Good Sams is the only RV organization in attendance supporting the bill. It states in the bill "to seek the advice of and consult with recreational vehicle owners on the most appropriate way to expend the funds to improve recreational vehicle services in state parks". What group would make these funding decisions? She liked the concept but would vote against the bill. REP. DAILY said the bill should be transferred to the taxation committee. REP. MEASURE asked if the bill needs a coordination clause. Mr. Sternberg said he could add the clause.

The committee agreed to send SB 415 to the taxation committee.

EXECUTIVE ACTION ON SENATE BILL 401

Motion: REP. HANSON MOVED SB 401 BE CONCURRED IN.

Motion: REP. DAILY moved to amend SB 401. EXHIBIT 10

Discussion:

Mr. Sternberg explained that the amendments would return the bill to its original form.

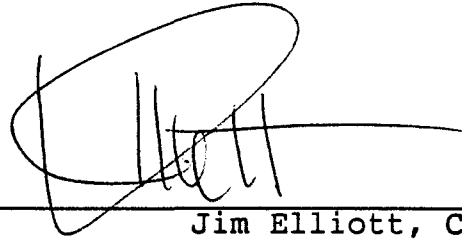
REP. MEASURE said he is opposed to the bill because there are already prosecution laws for malicious mischief. REP. ELLISON said the penalty should be to revoke a person's license. REP. DAILY said if a person is caught vandalizing property, their game should be seized. If a person has entered federal grounds illegally, their game should not be seized. CHAIRMAN ELLIOTT said the issue is not who has knocked down the gate; the issue is that someone is on closed land. They are penalizing a person for being on closed land. Mr. Lane said that is correct. REP. FORRESTER said game can be seized under present law if they have a trespass violation. Mr. Winfield said they can if the game is taken on private land. CHAIRMAN ELLIOTT asked what the penalty is for criminal trespass when hunting big game. Mr. Winfield said \$100.

Motion: Motion to amend SB 401 carried unanimously.

Motion/Vote: REP. MCCARTHY MOVED SB 401 BE CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED. Motion carried 12 - 4 with Reps. Measure, Barnhart, Ellison, and Forrester voting no.

ADJOURNMENT

Adjournment: 5:30 p.m.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jim Elliott", written over a horizontal line.

Jim Elliott, Chair

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ginger Punttenney", written over a horizontal line.

Ginger Punttenney, Secretary

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FISH AND GAME COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL

DATE 3-15-91

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
REP. JOHN JOHNSON, VICE-CHAIRMAN			✓
REP. BEVERLY BARNHART	✓		
REP. FRED "FRITZ" DAILY	✓		
REP. ROGER DEBRUYCKER	✓		
REP. ORVAL ELLISON	✓		
REP. GARY FORRESTER	✓		
REP. BOB GILBERT			✓
REP. MARIAN HANSON	✓		
REP. VERNON KELLER	✓		
REP. BEA MCCARTHY	✓		
REP. BRUCE MEASURE	✓		
REP. JOHN PHILLIPS	✓		
REP. TED SCHYE	✓		
REP. JOHN SCOTT	✓		
REP. WILBUR SPRING	✓		
REP. BILL STRIZICH	✓		
REP. JIM ELLIOTT, CHAIRMAN	✓		

HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

March 16, 1991

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Mr. Speaker: We, the committee on Fish and Game report that Senate Bill 142 (third reading copy -- blue) be concurred in as amended .

Signed: _____
Jim Elliott, Chairman

Carried by: Rep. Keller

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 11.

Following: "VALID;"

Strike: "AND"

Following: "MCA"

Insert: "; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE"

2. Page 2.

Following: line 25

Insert: "NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date. [This act] is effective on passage and approval."

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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

March 16, 1991

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Mr. Speaker: We, the committee on Fish and Game report that Senate Bill 298 (third reading copy -- blue) be concurred in and be placed on consent calendar .

Signed: 
Jim Elliott, Chairman

Carried by: Rep. Elliott

HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

March 16, 1991

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Mr. Speaker: We, the committee on Fish and Game report that Senate Bill 401 (third reading copy -- blue) be concurred in as amended .

Signed: _____
Jim Elliott, Chairman

Carried by: Rep. Larson

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 4.

Strike: "REQUIRING"

Insert: "PROVIDING"

2. Title, line 5.

Strike: "SHALL"

Insert: "MAY"

3. Page 1, line 16.

Strike: "MANDATORY"

EXHIBIT 1
DATE 3-15-91
SB 255

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WITNESS STATEMENT

PLEASE PRINT

NAME Bertha Raffety BILL NO. 255
ADDRESS At. 1 Box 205 DATE 3-15-91
WHOM DO YOU REPRESENT? Raffety's Fish Bait Farm
SUPPORT _____ OPPOSE X AMEND _____

COMMENTS: The reason we oppose this
bill is that it will about shut
our business down, as there
are not biodegradable cartons
available for us to use.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

WITNESS STATEMENT

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NAME DARLA L. DAKES BILL NO. 5B255

ADDRESS Box 755 Three Forks Mt DATE 3-15-91

WHOM DO YOU REPRESENT? Rafferty Fish ⁵⁹⁷⁵² Bait Farm

SUPPORT _____ OPPOSE X AMEND _____

COMMENTS: I Am Apposed to this As we
have no alternatives available to us.
This bill will make my job no longer
available. It would make some products
illegal ~~to~~ and others OK. while they
may be in the same type of containers

SB 255

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Please Read

THIS
EXHIBIT
DATE 3-15-91
SB 255

From: Roberts Wholesale Bait
21 Eaton Ave.
Great Falls, Mont. 59405

3/13/91

Dear State Senators:

Regarding SB 255 Fishing Bait Containers..

The plan to abolish styrofoam and plastic fishing bait containers is definitely out of line with the general thinking in Montana which, we thought, supported small business in the state.

My husband and I operate a small fishing bait business. We sell to sporting goods shops, mini-markets, fishing speciality shops and the like. I do the bookwork and my husband delivers bait on a route through western Montana. We both cup the bait for delivery and make a living. We pay our fair share of taxes and we are self supporting.

There are three bait dealers in Montana, all operated in a similiar manner. We are reminded constantly that we can be proud, because small business is what keeps this state great. Now we find out that the state is targeting our business specifically with SB 255. The containers we use are the exact same ones that pharmacies use to distribute medicine and that many restuarants, cafes and deli's use to distribute food. What kind of hipocritical thinking is this anyway ? that they can use these containers and we can't ?

This is a blatant discrimination against bait dealers, probably the smallest of the small business that Montana is so proud of. We will be out of business inside a month of the time this bill takes effect if passed. We are at a severe disadvantage because we cannot afford to lose our business or hire the lawyers to fight this.

We don't need a state law to prohibit us from using styrofoam and plastic. We need a supplier.. We are as conscious of the environment as the next person and maybe more. Our business depends on it.

Please vote " NO " on SB 255 on Friday March 15th at 3 P.M.

Thank you for supporting this small Montana business.

Sincerely,

Pat Roberts
Roberts Wholesale Bait.
Great Falls, Montana

SB 142
March 15, 1991

Testimony presented by Pat Graham, Dept. of Fish, Wildlife & Parks
to House Fish and Game Committee

This legislation, as amended, provides that a hunter who successfully draws an antlerless elk permit is limited to hunting only antlerless elk in the specified district, but can hunt under the general provisions of an elk license (A-5) in all other hunting districts. We support these amendments.

The department has recently completed its 1991 big game season setting process. During that process we received over 1,000 comments and letters from landowners and sportsmen. A number of those comments are specific to the issue before you today.

Some landowners are experiencing increasing elk numbers which they feel can be handled more effectively by restricting cow hunters to shooting only cows. Likewise, some sportsmen feel that such a restriction would increase their opportunities to shoot a bull if the cow elk hunter could not legally take a bull.

One method to address this is through the existing A-7 cow elk license which eliminates any opportunity to hunt bull elk if you receive this cow elk license. The A-7 license is more restrictive and not acceptable to many Montana elk hunters today. They are unwilling to give up all opportunity to hunt bull elk for the privilege of hunting a cow. The majority of these hunters, however, do agree with the provisions of this bill.

We would also like to offer an amendment addressing the effective date for this legislation. We propose the bill becoming effective upon passage so we can begin to inform hunters. An October 1 effective date would implement this legislation after some permits were already issued for 1991.

We have included some facts concerning our elk permits in the written testimony.

- * About 23,000 elk permits are issued annually, 21,500 are for antlerless elk.
- * These elk permits are very popular. 75% of elk license buyers apply for the permit drawings.
- * 480 A-7 licenses were issued in 1990 in three hunting districts. These licenses are issued with the intent to increase the harvest of cows in specific areas.
- * The Fish, Wildlife & Parks Commission approved issuing A-7 licenses in 9 districts with a tentative quota of 1945 for 1991.

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 142
Third Reading Copy

Requested by Don Chance
For the Committee on F&G

Prepared by Doug Sternberg
March 15, 1991

1. Title, line 8.
Following: "REGULAR"
Insert: "RIFLE"

2. Page 2, line 16.
Following: "REGULAR"
Insert: "rifle"

TESTIMONY OF THE PRICKLY PEAR SPORTSMEN'S ASSOCIATION
REFERENCE SB 142
SPECIAL ELK PERMIT REGULATION

The Prickly Pear Sportsmen's Association is opposed to this bill for a number of reasons:

** This bill is not necessary since the Fish & Game Commission has the authority to regulate and issue elk permit as necessary in the best interest of sportsmen, landowners, and the wildlife including placing restrictions on special elk permit if necessary.

** FWP statistics show that 98 percent of hunters who are issued an antlerless elk permit actually shoot an antlerless elk. Our club doesn't understand why the Legislature would want to restrict all antlerless elk permit holders from the opportunity to harvest a bull elk when they currently harvest only a small number of bull elk??

** Every elk hunting district is unique and FWP takes the individual needs and circumstances of each district into consideration before issuing special elk permits.

** This type of regulation could lead to additional fee hunting for bull elk that would not be in the best interest of resident sportsmen.

** This bill would bypass the broad public input process that the Commission now goes through before adopting final regulations including open houses, formal gatherings, meeting with sportsmen's clubs and other organizations etc... The restrictions proposed under this bill should be considered a significant change from the status and additional public input required.

We would have no problem with this bill if it were amended to read that the Commission be allowed to adopt this type of restriction on special elk permit holders instead of mandating the restriction. This way the Commission could propose tentative regulations and go through the public input process. Then if this type of regulation was favored then the Commission could implement them.

Presented by Bob Bugni
Secretary
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Amendments to Senate Bill No. 142
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For the Committee on F&G

Prepared by Doug Sternberg
March 15, 1991

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2. Page 2.

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effective on passage and approval."

EXHIBIT 8

DATE 3-15-91

SB 298

SB 298
March 15, 1991

Testimony presented by K.L. Cool, Dept. of Fish, Wildlife & Parks
to House Fish and Game Committee

SB 298 consolidates and clarifies the elements necessary to determine legal residency for purposes of obtaining hunting, fishing and trapping licenses. The residency requirements, as presently written, are not specific enough to effectively support criminal prosecutions and, in fact, are sometimes confusing to sportsmen because the requirements are vague. County attorneys prosecuting residency cases and courts have frequently found the current residency statutes unworkable. Some county attorneys have told us they will no longer prosecute residency cases until Montana has a workable law. This bill will not change who qualifies as a resident, but will make specific and clarify the standards for determining residency.

Simply stated, the current statute defines a resident as a person who has moved to Montana and intends to make his or her home here. The only specific requirement is that a person must be a resident 6 months prior to being eligible to purchase a resident hunting, fishing or trapping license. With this vague and general definition, it is understandable that county attorneys have difficulty prosecuting an individual who owns property and lives part of the year in Montana, but earns his living and pays state income taxes in another state.

SB 298 defines a resident by requiring that he or she meet listed criteria. These are criteria that a bona fide resident will meet, such as registering vehicles, paying Montana state income taxes, registering to vote, and not using resident hunting or fishing privileges in another state. The 6-months residency wait is, of course, retained. The primary and most workable requirement proposed is, that to qualify as a Montana resident, a person must file Montana state income tax returns when required as a resident.

The other changes proposed in the bill:

1. Clarify military service for purposes of providing resident privileges by adding the word "regular" to differentiate full-time military personnel from National Guard or reserve members who come to Montana for short training exercises.
2. Provide that license applicants must provide documentation or proof of residency.
3. Provide that it is a misdemeanor to purposely or knowingly assist an unqualified person to purchase a resident license or to sell a license to a person who fails to produce the required identification.

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SB 298

4. Add a penalty section for a person unlawfully obtaining a resident license which provides a minimum fine of twice the value of the license that was fraudulently obtained.

Our department believes that this bill will greatly improve the ability of our officers, license agents and county attorneys to clarify the requirements for resident privileges and fairly enforce the laws that provide these privileges to Montana residents.

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DATE 3-15-91
SB 145

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FISH AND GAME COMMITTEE

ROLL CALL VOTE

DATE 3-15-91 BILL NO. SB 142 NUMBER _____MOTION: Be Concurred in as Amended

NAME	AYE	NO
REP. JOHN JOHNSON, VICE-CHAIRMAN		✓
REP. BEVERLY BARNHART		✓
REP. FRED "FRITZ" DAILY		✓
REP. ROGER DEBRUYCKER	✓	
REP. ORVAL ELLISON	✓	
REP. GARY FORRESTER		✓
REP. BOB GILBERT		
REP. MARIAN HANSON	✓	
REP. VERNON KELLER	✓	
REP. BEA MCCARTHY		✓
REP. BRUCE MEASURE	✓	
REP. JOHN PHILLIPS	✓	
REP. TED SCHYE	✓	
REP. JOHN SCOTT		✓
REP. WILBUR SPRING	✓	
REP. BILL STRIZICH	✓	
REP. JIM ELLIOTT, CHAIRMAN		✓
TOTAL	9	7

Amendments to Senate Bill No. 401
Third Reading Copy

For the Committee on F&G

Prepared by Doug Sternberg
March 15, 1991

EXHIBIT 10

DATE 3-15-91

SB 401

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Strike: "REQUIRING"
Insert: "PROVIDING"

2. Title, line 5.
Strike: "SHALL"
Insert: "MAY"

3. Page 1, line 16.
Strike: "MANDATORY"

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
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Fish and Game

COMMITTEE

BILL NO. SB 255

DATE 3/15

SPONSOR(S) Vaughn

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NAME AND ADDRESS	REPRESENTING	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
Donal Debus 703 755 Three Forks, Mt. 59752	Rafferty's Fish Bait Farm		X
Bertie Rafferty Three Forks Mt. 18x205	" " " "		X
Brian McNitt	MEIC	X	
Stan Bradshaw	MT. T.U.	X with amendments	
Susan Leonard	MT Audubon	X	
Senator Vaughn			
John Bailey	SECF	X with amendments	
Richard C. Miles	self	X with amendments	

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Fish and Game COMMITTEE BILL NO. SB415
 DATE 3-15 SPONSOR(S) Vaughn
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NAME AND ADDRESS	REPRESENTING	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
E. P. Lindell ^{Box 56 C.F. Chancy, MT 59634}	MONTANA GOOD SAMs	X	
Susan Lenard	MT Audubon	X	
Senator Vaughn			
Stuart Dwyer	MT Landkeepers MT RV Association	X	

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Fish and Game COMMITTEE BILL NO. SB 142
DATE 3/15 SPONSOR(S) Beck

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NAME AND ADDRESS	REPRESENTING	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
Don CHANCE	MT. BOW HUNTERS ASSN	✓	
Bill Holdorf	SKYLINE SPORTSMEN		✓
Pat Graham	DFWP	✓	
Jim Gosink	SPORTSMAN	✓	
Robt Van Der Veen	Self	✓	
Tony Schoonen	Anzcondz Sportsmen		✓
BOB BUGNI	PRICKLY PEAR SPORTSMAN		✓

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Fish and Game COMMITTEE BILL NO. SB 198
DATE 3-15 SPONSOR(S) Yellowtail

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