

1 *House* BILL NO. *622*  
 2 INTRODUCED BY *Richard J. Moore, Governor, Steve Stoltz, Palmer*

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 4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FROM THE  
 5 GENERAL FUND ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE DEPARTMENT  
 6 OF NATURAL RESOURCES FOR A STUDY OF THE NORTHERN PORTION OF  
 7 FLATHEAD LAKE AND THE UPPER PORTION OF THE FLATHEAD RIVER  
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 14 northern portion of the Flathead Lake and the upper portion  
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 16 June 30, 1977.

17 Section 2. The department of natural resources and  
 18 conservation, in conjunction with the department of fish and  
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 20 expertise, shall prepare the study for presentation to the  
 21 Forty-Fifth legislature. The study shall:

22 (1) Compile and analyze all previous biophysical data  
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 24 portion of Flathead Lake and the upper portion of the  
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INTRODUCED BILL

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SECOND READING

MISSING

HOUSE BILL NO. 622

INTRODUCED BY KIMBLE, JAMES MOORE, HALVORSON, FINLEY,  
SLOAN, STOLTZ, PALMER

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April 3, 1975

SENATE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 622

That House Bill No. 622, third reading, be amended as follows:

1. Amend title, line 6.  
Following: "FUND"  
Strike: "ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS"  
Insert: "forty-seven thousand, five hundred dollars"
2. Amend page 1, section 1, lines 12 and 13.  
Following: "appropriated"  
Strike: "one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000)"  
Insert: "forty-seven thousand, five hundred dollars (\$47,500)"
3. Amend page 2, section 1, line 14.  
Following: line 14  
Insert: "Section 3. A reversion shall be made to the general fund in the amount of any federal funds received to carry out the purpose of this act."

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