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*Senate* BILL NO. *211*  
*Catron* *B. Baylock* *Nealy* *Thomson*  
*From* LYNCH *Gov* *Monty*

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 44-223, R.C.M. 1947, TO PROVIDE THAT UNION AGREEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY CITY GOVERNING BODIES APPLY TO LIBRARY BOARDS OF TRUSTEES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

Section 1. Section 44-223, R.C.M. 1947, is amended to read as follows:

"44-223. Board of trustees--chief librarian-- personnel--compensation. The board of trustees of each library shall appoint and set the compensation of the chief librarian who shall serve as the secretary of the board and shall serve at the pleasure of the board. With the recommendation of the chief librarian the board shall employ and discharge such other persons as may be necessary in the administration of the affairs of the library, fix and pay their salaries and compensation and prescribe their duties except where such authority may be modified or controlled by valid union agreements and operative grievance procedures entered into by the governing body of the city."

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