

Senate BILL NO. 304

INTRODUCED BY Nealy Melness

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING FIRE EXTINGUISHER REQUIREMENTS; AMENDING SECTION 69-1807, R.C.M. 1947."

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

Section 1. Section 69-1807, R.C.M. 1947, is amended to read as follows:

"69-1807. Fire extinguisher requirements. All buildings--within--the--scope-of-this-act-shall-keep-on-each floor-one-or-more-fire-extinguishers-of-a--capacity--of--not less--than--two--and--a--half--(2-1/2)--gallons-in-good-working order;--provided,--that-in-lieu--of--said--fire--extinguishers such-buildings-may-be-equipped-on-each-floor-with-a-hose-one and--one-half--inches--(1-1/2)--in-diameter-in-good-condition with-nozzle-attached-connected-to--standpipe--with--suitable water--supply.--Such--hose--shall-be-of-sufficient-length-to reach-all-parts-of-the-floor-on-which-it-is-situated.

. Provided,--further,--that--no fire extinguisher or extinguishers containing shall contain any of the following liquids: Carbon tetrachloride (CCl₄); Chlorobromomethane (CH₂BrCl); Azeotropic chloromethane (CM-7); Bromochlorodifluoromethane-(CBrClF₂); Dibromodifluoromethane

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on Public Health, Welfare
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