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

Section 1. Article II+ section 14, of the Montana constitution is amended to read as follows:

"Section 14. Adult rights. A person 18 19 years of age or older is an adult for all purposes se except that any person 18 years of age, who is otherwise qualified as provided by law. may vote."

Section 2. Article II, section 15, of the Montana constitution is amended to read as follows:

"Section 15. Rights of persons not adults. The rights of persons under 18 19 years of age shall include, but not be limited to, all the fundamental rights of this Article unless specifically precluded by laws which enhance the protection of such persons."

24 Section 3. Effective date. If approved by the electorate, this amendment shall be effective January 1,

INTRODUCED BILL

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THIRD READING

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