

# CHAPTER NO. 223

HOUSE BILL NO. 328

INTRODUCED BY ELLERD, THIESSEN

BY REQUEST OF THE LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COMMITTEE

## IN THE HOUSE

January 23, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education and Cultural Resources.
February 19, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
February 20, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
February 21, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.
February 22, 1979	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

## IN THE SENATE

February 22, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education.
March 6, 1979	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 8, 1979	Second reading, concurred in.
March 10, 1979	Third reading, concurred in.

## IN THE HOUSE

March 12, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurred in. Sent to enrolling.
	Reported correctly enrolled.

5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE  
6 CHARGING OF TUITION TO RESIDENT AND NONRESIDENT STUDENTS AT  
7 POSTSECONDARY VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL CENTERS BY THE BOARD OF  
8 PUBLIC EDUCATION; AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF PUBLIC EDUCATION  
9 TO PRESCRIBE USES OF AUTHORIZED TUITION; AND AMENDING  
10 SECTION 20-7-332, MCA."

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