

HOUSE BILL 379

IN THE HOUSE

January 24, 1979

Introduced and referred to
Committee on State Administration.

February 9, 1979

Committee recommend bill, do
not pass.

February 12, 1979

Report Adopted.

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 379
2 INTRODUCED BY Metcalf Log Indri Magons
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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE
5 LEGISLATURE FROM THE BID REQUIREMENT FOR GOODS AND SERVICES
6 DURING LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS; AMENDING SECTION 18-4-101,
7 MCA."

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

10 Section 1. Section 18-4-101, MCA, is amended to read:

11 "18-4-101. General procurement duties of department of
12 administration. (1) The department shall make or supervise
13 the making of all purchases of goods and services for the
14 legislature, the supreme court, and each state agency,
15 institution, and official.

16 (2) Unless otherwise provided by law, the legislature,
17 the supreme court, or any state agency, institution, or
18 official may not purchase goods or services unless the
19 purchase is supervised by the department, except that
20 immediately prior to and during a legislative session, the
21 legislature may purchase goods or services not exceeding
22 \$2,000 for any single purchase without supervision of the
23 department.

24 (3) All purchases by the department shall be based on
25 competitive bids."

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