

CHAPTER NO. 584.

HOUSE BILL NO. 457

INTRODUCED BY HARPER, GERKE, DONALDSON, MEYER

IN THE HOUSE

January 29, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Taxation.
February 9, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted.
	On motion, taken from printing and referred to Committee on Taxation.
February 14, 1979	Intent statement attached.
	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
February 16, 1979	Printed and placed on members' desks.
February 17, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
February 19, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.
	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

IN THE SENATE

February 20, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Taxation.
March 8, 1979	Committee recommend bill be concurred in as amended. Report adopted.
March 10, 1979	Second reading, concurred in.
March 13, 1979	Third reading, concurred in as amended.

IN THE HOUSE

March 14, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurred in as amended.
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March 16, 1979	Second reading, amendments adopted.
March 17, 1979	Third reading, amendments adopted. Sent to enrolling.
March 22, 1979	Correctly enrolled.
	Signed by President.
	Signed by Speaker.
March 23, 1979	Delivered to Governor.
March 28, 1979	Returned from Governor with recommended amendments.
March 30, 1979	On motion, Governor's amendments placed on second reading for the 75th Legislative Day.
April 2, 1979	Second reading, amendments adopted.
April 3, 1979	Third reading, amendments adopted. Transmitted to second house.

IN THE SENATE

April 4, 1979	Governor's recommendation for amendments submitted to the Senate.
April 5, 1979	Committee of the Whole recommend Senate adopt Governor's amendments.
April 6, 1979	On third reading, Governor's amendments adopted. Transmitted to House.

IN THE HOUSE

April 7, 1979	Returned from second house. Sent to enrolling.
	Reported correctly enrolled.

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2 INTRODUCED BY Hager, Gaskin, Dowdell, et al.
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STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 184-79

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received January 30, 1979, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for House Bill 457 pursuant to Chapter 53, Laws of Montana, 1965 - Thirty-Ninth Legislative Assembly. Background information used in developing this Fiscal Note is available from the Office of Budget and Program Planning, to members of the Legislature upon request.

DESCRIPTION

This proposed bill requires the Department of Revenue to include in its report of property tax data for the state a breakdown of such data by county and city.

ASSUMPTIONS

The Biennial Report of the Department has always given a county by county analysis of the tax base. Therefore, the costs incurred are connected with the addition of city data.

1. In counties where all records are computerized, new programs will have to be written in order to compile the information in the form needed.
2. In counties where no records are computerized, the compilation will represent an added task the cost of which can be absorbed.
3. In counties which are partially computerized, additional computerization will be required in order to provide the compilation required.
4. No change in Report format, except adding the data from 120 + cities and towns, will be attempted. It is estimated that adding sixty pages to the Report will increase the cost of printing by \$5,000.

The cost of 1) through 3) is estimated to be \$80,000 each fiscal year statewide.

FISCAL IMPACTExpenditures

	<u>FY 80</u>	<u>FY 81</u>	
Additional Personal Services & Operating Expense (statewide)			
Estimated Increase	\$80,000	\$80,000	
Additional Printing Costs (FY81)			
Estimated Increase	..	5,000	
Total Expenditure	<u>\$80,000</u>	<u>\$85,000</u>	

The additional cost must be funded from the State General Fund.

EFFECT ON LOCAL GOVERNMENTS

None

LONG-RANGE EFFECTS

After the system for compiling the data is finally developed and implemented the costs associated with the task will be minimal.

Richard L. Drury for
BUDGET DIRECTOR
Office of Budget and Program Planning
Date: 3/2/79

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Final Printing
Gov. amendments - Dated 3/28/99 enclosed

March 8, 1979

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT
(Taxation)

That House Bill No. 457 be amended as follows:

1. Title, line 6.

Following: "COUNTY"

Insert: ","

2. Title, line 7.

Following: line 6

Strike: "AND"

Following: "CITY"

Insert: ", AND SCHOOL DISTRICT"

3. Page 1, line 15.

Following: "counties,"

Strike: "and"

Following: "cities"

Insert: ", and school districts"

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
March 30, 1979

PROPOSED GOVERNOR'S AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 457

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Following: "COUNTY"

Strike: ", "

Insert: "AND"

2. Title, line 7.

Following: "CITY"

Strike: ", AND SCHOOL DISTRICT"

3. Page 1, lines 16 and 17.

Following: "counties"

Strike: ", "

Insert: "and"

Following: "cities"

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