# HOUSE BILL 530

## IN THE HOUSE

February 2, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
February 7, 1979	Committee recommend bill, do not pass.
February 8, 1979	Report adopted.

46th Legislature LC 1616/01

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT GRANTING THE STATE

IMMUNITY FROM SUIT FOR INJURY TO PERSONS OR PROPERTY ARISING

FROM STATE-OWNED WATER PROJECTS."

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

Section 1. Immunity in case of water projects. The state or any political subdivision thereof is immune from suit for injury to persons or property for damages arising from the operation. maintenance, repair, or failure of a state-owned water project, as defined in 85-1-102.

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### STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 226-79

### FISCAL NOTE

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n compliance with a written request received February 5 , 19 79 , there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note	
House Bill 530 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 of Proposed Legislation:

House Bill 530 is an act granting the State immunity from suit for injury to persons or property arising from state-owned water projects.

#### Assumptions:

No dollar estimates have been presented. It is impossible to calculate the potential damages for liability that may arise.

BUDGET DIRECTOR

Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: 4/7/79