

CHAPTER NO. 324.

HOUSE BILL NO. 780

INTRODUCED BY BRAND, McBRIDE, OBERG, SOUTH, HAFFERMAN, COONEY,  
STAIGMILLER, KEYSER, STEPHENS, YARDLEY, RYAN, MEHRENS, ROTH,  
B. BROWN, STIMATZ, BARDANOUVE, HARRINGTON, MAGONE, GALT,  
KANDUCH, HAZELBAKER, PALMER, SHELDEN, JERGSON, GERKE,  
S. BROWN, H. ROBBINS, E. SMITH, STORY, MANNING,  
R. SMITH, HEALY, ELLERD

IN THE HOUSE

February 13, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Highways and Transportation.
February 20, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
February 21, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
February 22, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.  Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

IN THE SENATE

February 23, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Highways and Transportation.
March 9, 1979	Committee recommend bill be concurrent in. Report adopted.
March 12, 1979	Second reading, concurred in.
March 15, 1979	Third reading, concurred in.

IN THE HOUSE

March 16, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurrent in. Sent to enrolling.  Reported correctly enrolled.
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 3 *Harquess, Stephens, Stoddler, Peterson*  
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 5 DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS TO ADMINISTER RAIL PLANNING  
 6 ACTIVITIES; AMENDING SECTION 60-2-201, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN  
 7 EFFECTIVE DATE." *J. Brown, Roth, Jergensen, Hill, H. Roll, Ryan, C. Smith*  
 8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA: *Stacy, Murray, R. Lamb, Healy, Allen*

*Conroy*  
*Magone*  
*Kendrick*  
*Sheldor*  
*Teke*

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*St. Germain, Stephens, Bradley, Michener*

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