SENATE BILL NO. 237

INTRODUCED BY VAN VALKENBURG

IN THE SENATE

| January 24, 1979 | Introduced and referred to Committee on Highways and Transportation. |
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| January 25, 1979 | Fiscal note requested. |
| January 26, 1979 | Rereferred to Committee on Local Government. |
| January 31, 1979 | Fiscal note returned. |
| February 1, 1979 | Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted. |
| February 3, 1979 | Printed and placed on members' desks. |
| February 5, 1979 | Second reading, do pass. |
| February 6, 1979 | Considered correctly engrossed. |
| February 7, 1979 | Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house. |
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| February 8, 1979 | Introduced and referred to Committee on Local Government. |
| March 2, 1979 | Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted. |
| March 3, 1979 | Second reading, concurred in. |
| March 6, 1979 | Third reading, concurred in. |

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March 7, 1979

Returned from second house. Concurred in. Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AMENDING SECTION 00-2-210, MCA, TO DELETE THE REQUIREMENT THAT A MUNICIPALITY MUST PAY ONE-HALF OF THE STATE'S SHARE OF THE COST OF CURBS AND GUTTERS; AND TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF "STREET"."

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

Section 1. Section 60-2-210, MCA, is amended to read:

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- (a) are state highway routes; and
- 17 (b) are within municipalities incorporated prior to 18 January 1, 1965.
 - (2) An-incorporated-municipality-shall-pay-one-half-of
 the-state's-share-of-the-cost-of-curbs--and--gutters--along
 those--streets--and--highways- For the purposes of this
 section- "street" is defined in 61-1-203 and includes curbsgutters- and sidewalks immediately adjacent to the streets-

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STATE OF MONTANA

Request No. <u>112-79</u>

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received <u>January 21, 1979</u>, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for <u>Senate Bill 237</u> 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:

A proposal to delete the requirement that a municipality must pay one-half of the State's share of the cost of curbs and gutters.

ASSUMPTIONS:

- 1. The Department will place 60,000 linial feet of curbs and gutters each year.
- 2. The proposed legislation requires the Department of Highways to maintain sidewalks in the incorporated limits.

FISCAL IMPACT:

| | FY 80 | FY 81 |
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| Additional cost to state of construction | \$ 46,332 | \$ 46,332 |
| Additional maintenance cost: Personal services | 330,000 | 350,000 |
| Operations Capital | 2,338,034 100,000 | 2,353,668 100,000 |
| Total additional expenditures | 2,768,034 | 2,803,668 |
| due to proposed legislation | \$2,814,366 | \$2,850,000 |

The additional cost must be funded from the Highways Earmarked Revenue Account.

LOCAL IMPACT:

Incorporated cities and towns would not incur any cost to construct and maintain curbs, gutters, and sidewalks. The cost savings is estimated to be \$46,000 per year in total.

BUDGET DIRECTOR

Office of Budget, and Program Planning

Date: <u>//3//79</u>

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Approved by Comm. on Local Government

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