## SENATE BILL NO. 341

# INTRODUCED BY TURNAGE, S. BROWN

# IN THE SENATE

February 2, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
February 5, 1979	Fiscal note requested.
February 6, 1979	Fiscal note returned.
February 10, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
February 12, 1979	Printed and placed on members' desks.
February 13, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
February 14, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.
February 15, 1979	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

## IN THE HOUSE

February 16, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Judiciary.
March 6, 1979	Committee recommend bill be concurred in as amended. Report adopted.
March 7, 1979	Second reading, concurred in.
March 9, 1979	Third reading, concurred in as amended.

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March 10, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurred in as amended.
March 12, 1979	Second reading, pass consideration.
March 13, 1979	Second reading, amendments adopted.
March 14, 1979	Third reading, amendments adopted. Sent to enrolling.
	Reported correctly enrolled.

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1 (2) Such retired judge or justice, when called to
2 service as herein provided, shall be reimbursed for his
3 actual expenses, if any, in responding to such call. In
4 addition, for each day of temporary service a retired
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#### STATE OF MONTANA

FISCAL NOTE

Request No. 212-79

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received February 5, 1979, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for Senate Bill 341 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:

Senate Bill 341 is an act to compensate retired judges and justices for temporary service. In addition to the actual expenses reimbursed to retired judges currently, they will receive an amount equal to one-twentieth of the monthly salary then currently applicable to the judicial position they fill, minus an amount equal to one-twentieth of the retirement allowance the retired judge or justice is receiving for each day of service rendered.

#### FISCAL IMPACT:

A fiscal impact cannot be determined since there is no way of knowing how many times a retired judge would be called, how long the person would be filling a position, or what position the person would be working in.

BUDGET DIRECTOR

Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: 2/6/79

Approved by Committee on Judiciary

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