

CHAPTER NO. 624.

SENATE BILL NO. 401

INTRODUCED BY TOWE, DOVER

IN THE SENATE

February 7, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Taxation.
February 8, 1979	Fiscal note requested.
February 14, 1979	Fiscal note returned.
March 8, 1979	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
March 9, 1979	Printed and placed on members' desks.
March 10, 1979	Second reading, do pass.
March 12, 1979	Considered correctly engrossed.
March 13, 1979	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to second house.

IN THE HOUSE

March 14, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Rules.
March 20, 1979	Rereferred to Committee on Taxation.
April 16, 1979	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
April 18, 1979	Second reading, concurred in. Third reading, concurred in.

IN THE SENATE

April 19, 1979	Returned from second house. Concurred in. Sent to enrolling. Reported correctly enrolled.
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1 *Sen. Dore* BILL NO. *401*
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 6 DEVELOPMENT GRANTS FOR COMMERCIAL PROJECTS; AMENDING SECTION
 7 90-4-101, MCA."

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 15 on nonrenewable energy sources which conflicts with the goal
 16 of long-range ecological stability and to provide for the
 17 funding and administration of such research; ~~provided that~~
 18 ~~demonstration or development projects funded under this part~~
 19 ~~may not be used to commercially market electricity, heat~~
 20 ~~energy, or energy byproducts."~~

-End-

SB 401
 INTRODUCED BILL

STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 291-79

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received February 8, 19 79, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for Senate Bill 401 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:

The proposed legislation allows the issuing of alternative renewable energy sources research, development and demonstration grants for projects which result in the commercial marketing of electrical or heat energy, and energy by-products.

Assumptions:

No dollar estimates have been presented. The proposed legislation removes restrictions on grant recipients. Grants are limited to the revenue received from the coal severance tax distribution.


BUDGET DIRECTOR

Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: 2/14/79

Approved by Committee
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