

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 16

IN THE SENATE

February 6, 1979	Introduced and referred to Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Safety.
March 22, 1979	Fiscal note requested.
March 23, 1979	Fiscal note returned.
April 20, 1979	Died in Committee.

1 *Amended* JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16
 2 INTRODUCED BY *Palmer McBride*
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4 A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF
 5 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA TO REQUEST THAT THE
 6 DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND REHABILITATION SERVICES FUND
 7 DAY-CARE SERVICES THROUGH TITLE XX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY
 8 ACT.

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 10 WHEREAS, the Department of Social and Rehabilitation
 11 Services of Montana has funded day-care services in the
 12 state in the past by means of funds obtained under Title XX
 13 of the Social Security Act; and

14 WHEREAS, the Department of Social and Rehabilitation
 15 Services has proposed funding day-care services in the
 16 future by removing day care from funding under Title XX of
 17 the Social Security Act and providing such funding under
 18 Title IV of the Social Security Act; and

19 WHEREAS, such a policy would increase the financial
 20 burden to Montana counties; and

21 WHEREAS, such a policy would cause adverse effects to
 22 the people of the state of Montana.

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 24 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE
 25 OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

1 That day-care services provided through the Department
 2 of Social and Rehabilitation Services should be funded
 3 through Title XX of the Social Security Act.

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-2- INTRODUCED BILL
 SJR 16

STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 495-79

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received MARCH 20, 19 79, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for Senate Joint Resolution 16 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:

Senate Joint Resolution 16 would require the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services (SRS) to fund day care through Title XX of the Social Security Act.

ASSUMPTIONS:

1. The per diem rate paid for day care is the same for Title XX and Title IV-A (AFDC).
2. The Title IV-A day care costs are those proposed by the Human Services Subcommittee.
3. No federal funds are available to match additional day care expenditures in Title XX.

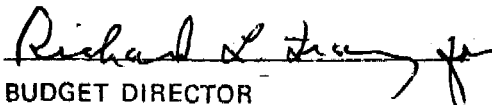
FISCAL IMPACT:

There would be no change in expenditures under SJR 16, but the source of funds would change as follows:

	FY 80	FY 81	Total
General Fund	\$167,924	\$180,295	\$348,219
County Funds	(16,310)	(16,465)	(32,775)
Federal Title IV-A	(151,614)	(163,830)	(315,444)
	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>	<u>-0-</u>

TECHNICAL NOTE:

The SRS Assistance Payments program currently allows for day care payments to be included in the AFDC grant if the recipient works a night shift or for some other reason cannot place his/her child(ren) in a licensed day care center. Continuation of this policy would be prohibited by SJR 16.


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 Office of Budget and Program Planning
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