House Bill 134

In The House

January 9, 1981

Introduced and referred to Committee on State

Administration.

On motion by Chief Sponsor Representative Roush was added as an author to the

pre-filed bill.

January 29, 1981

Committee recommend bill

do not pass.

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1 HOUSE BILL NO. 134
2 INTRODUCED BY

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO MAKE BINGO PRIZE AND CARD PRICE RESTRICTIONS NONAPPLICABLE TO NONPROFIT CORPORATIONS, RELIGIOUS CORPORATIONS SOLE, AND OTHER NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS WHEN THE PROCEEDS OF THE BINGO GAMES ARE USED FOR CHARITABLE PURPOSES."

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

Section 1. Exemption from restrictions -- bingo. (1)

The restrictions of 23-5-412 do not apply to bingo games conducted by nonprofit corporations, religious corporations sole, or other nonprofit organizations if the proceeds are used only for charitable purposes or to pay for prizes.

(2) The charitable purpose for which the bingo is being conducted must be posted in a conspicuous place in the area where and at all times when the game is in progress, in

19 letters readable from 10 feet away.

Section 2. Codification instruction. Section 1 is intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 23, chapter 5, part 4, and the provisions of Title 15, chapter 5, part 4, apply to section 1.

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