

House Bill 137

In THE House

January 9, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education.
January 20, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended.
January 21, 1981	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
January 22, 1981	Motion pass consideration. Rereferred to Committee.
February 12, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended.
February 13, 1981	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February 14, 1981	Second reading do not pass. Second reading segregated.
February 16, 1981	Second reading pass consideration until 47th Legislative Day.

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 137

2 INTRODUCED BY

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE USE OF
5 PUPIL-INSTRUCTION-RELATED DAYS FOR ATTENDANCE AT STATE
6 MEETINGS OF TEACHER ORGANIZATIONS; AMENDING SECTION
7 20-1-304, MCA; AND REPEALING SECTION 20-4-304, MCA."

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

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11 "20-1-304. Pupil-instruction-related day. A
12 pupil-instruction-related day shall be a day of teacher
13 activities devoted to improving the quality of instruction.
14 Such activities may include ~~but are not limited to~~
15 ~~in-service training, attending state meetings of teacher~~
16 ~~organizations~~ and conducting parent conferences. A maximum
17 of 7 pupil-instruction-related days may be conducted during
18 a school year, provided that such days are approved by the
19 superintendent of public instruction in accordance with the
20 policy adopted by the board of public education. Such days
21 shall not be included as a part of the required minimum of
22 180 days of pupil instruction."

23 Section 2. Repealer. Section 20-4-304, MCA, is
24 repealed.

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SECOND READING

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO ~~ELIMINATE~~ CLARIFY
5 THE USE OF PUPIL-INSTRUCTION-RELATED DAYS FOR ATTENDANCE AT
6 STATE MEETINGS OF TEACHER ORGANIZATIONS; AMENDING SECTION
7 SECTIONS 20-1-304 AND 20-4-304, MCA ~~AND REPEALING SECTION~~
8 ~~20-4-304, MCA.~~"
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20 during a school year, provided that such days are approved
21 by the superintendent of public instruction in accordance
22 with the policy adopted by the board of public education.
23 Such days shall not be included as a part of the required
24 minimum of 180 days of pupil instruction."
25 Section 2. ~~Repeater~~ Section 20-4-304, MCA, is

1 ~~repeated.~~ AMENDED TO READ:
2 "20-4-304. Attendance at state ~~teachers'--association~~
3 teachers' organizations annual session meeting. When the
4 trustees of a school district close the schools of the
5 district for the annual session of the state teachers'
6 ~~association organizations,~~ a teacher may attend the annual
7 session without loss of salary or ~~work-at-his-school-and~~
8 ~~perform-duties-related-to-his-position-of-employment,~~ attend
9 an approved in-service training program as may be prescribed
10 by the trustees, without loss of salary. If a teacher does
11 neither, he shall not be paid. The trustees shall require
12 evidence of attendance at either the annual teachers'
13 organizations meeting or district in-service training
14 program before paying the teachers' salary for those days."

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