

HOUSE BILL NO. 247

INTRODUCED BY SIVERTSEN

BY REQUEST OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK

IN THE HOUSE

January 15, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Agriculture.
January 20, 1981	Fiscal note requested.
January 21, 1981	Fiscal note returned.
January 31, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted.
February 2, 1981	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February 3, 1981	Second reading, do pass.
February 4, 1981	Correctly engrossed.
February 6, 1981	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to Senate.

IN THE SENATE

February 7, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Agriculture, Livestock, and Irrigation.
March 10, 1981	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 11, 1981	Second reading, concurred in.
March 13, 1981	Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 48; Nays, 0.

IN THE HOUSE

March 14, 1981	Returned from Senate. Concurred in. Sent to enrolling. Reported correctly enrolled.
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7 THE AGE OF 12 MONTHS BEFORE THEY MAY BE IMPORTED INTO THE
8 STATE OF MONTANA; AND PROVIDING FOR AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE
9 DATE."

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

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13 female cattle over the age of 12 months may be imported into
14 the state of Montana for any purpose other than immediate
15 slaughter unless they have been officially vaccinated, by a
16 licensed veterinarian approved in his state to administer
17 the vaccination, with a Brucella abortus vaccine approved by
18 the veterinary biologics division, U.S. department of
19 agriculture.

20 (2) Cattle being transported or moved through Montana
21 with no intent to unload in the state are exempt from [this
22 act]. In an emergency situation they may be unloaded in
23 compliance with quarantine rules promulgated by the
24 department of livestock pursuant to 31-2-102.

25 Section 2. Codification instruction. Section 1 is

1 intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 31,
2 chapter 2, and the provisions of Title 81, chapter 2, apply
3 to section 1.

4 Section 3. Effective date. This act is effective on
5 passage and approval.

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STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 135-81

FISCAL NOTE

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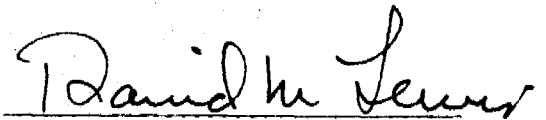
In compliance with a written request received January 19, 19 81, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for House Bill 247 pursuant to Title 5, Chapter 4, Part 2 of the Montana Code Annotated (MCA). Background information used in developing this Fiscal Note is available from the Office of Budget and Program Planning, to members of the Legislature upon request.

Description of Proposed Legislation

House Bill 247 requires all cattle over 12 months old that are imported into Montana to be vaccinated for brucellosis.

Fiscal Impact

House Bill 247 will have no fiscal impact on the Department of Livestock. The vaccination history of the cattle can be included on the official health certificate.



BUDGET DIRECTOR

Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: 1-21-81

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on Agriculture Livestock
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