

House Bill 721

In The House

February 11, 1981	· Introduced and referred to Committee on Education.
February 13, 1981	Fiscal note requested.
February 17, 1981	Fiscal note returned.
February 20, 1981	Committee recommend bill do not pass.

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 721
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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO EXEMPT SCHOOL
 5 BUILDINGS COSTING \$100,000 OR LESS FROM DEPARTMENT OF
 6 ADMINISTRATION PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS REVIEW AND APPROVAL
 7 REQUIREMENTS; AMENDING SECTION 20-6-622, MCA."
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9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

10 Section 1. Section 20-6-622, MCA, is amended to read:

11 "20-6-622. Review and approval of school building
 12 plans and specifications. (1) No school building in the
 13 state ~~costing over \$100,000~~, either publicly or privately
 14 owned or operated, shall be built, enlarged, remodeled, or
 15 repaired until the plans and specifications for such
 16 construction have been submitted to and approved by the
 17 department of administration.

18 (2) The plans and specifications shall show in detail
 19 the proposed construction of the building and shall
 20 illustrate and indicate conformity with the rules
 21 promulgated by the department.

22 (3) As a service to districts, the superintendent of
 23 public instruction may review the plans and specifications
 24 submitted to the department of administration to assist the
 25 districts in designing facilities for optimum utilization."

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INTRODUCED BILL
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STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 378-81

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received February 13, 19 81, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for House Bill 721 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

The bill exempts school buildings costing \$100,000 or less from the Department of Administration's review and approval of plans and specifications.

Assumptions

1. Assume that any remodel project costing \$100,000 or less, is exempted regardless of the cost of the existing structure.
2. The total income from schools was \$25,907 in FY 1979 and \$15,528 in FY 1980. In FY 1979, \$5,396 of the income was from projects \$100,000 and less or 21% of the total income and in FY 1980, \$2,669 of the income was from projects \$100,000 and less, or 17% of the total income. Therefore, assume 19% of the income from schools is for projects costing \$100,000 or less.
4. Assume with an improving economy, school construction will increase 20% per year.

<u>Fiscal Impact</u>	<u>FY 1982</u>			<u>FY 1983</u>		
	<u>Amount Under Existing Law</u>	<u>Amount Under Proposed Law</u>	<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>	<u>Amount Under Existing Law</u>	<u>Amount Under Proposed Law</u>	<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>
State Impact:						
Revenue:						
Earmarked Rev. (Permit Fees)	\$1,171,661	\$1,166,821	\$ (4,840)	\$1,221,855	\$1,216,047	\$ (5,808)
Expenditures:						
Personal Ser.	\$ 815,890	\$ 815,844		\$ 816,080	\$ 816,080	
Operating Exp.	352,347	347,507	\$ (4,840)	402,351	396,543	\$ (5,808)
Capital Outlay	3,424	3,424		3,424	3,424	
Net Effect (Rev. Less Costs)	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0

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