

Senate Joint Resolution 7

In The Senate

January 27, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on State Administration.
February 4, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass.
February 5, 1981	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February 6, 1981	Second reading indefinitely postponed.

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Seneca JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7
INTRODUCED BY *Lee Tolsted J. Otter Johnson*
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A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA URGING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT THE "LIBERTY AMENDMENT".

WHEREAS, the Montana Legislature has become increasingly aware of the need to declare its support of the original intent and role of the federal government as formulated by the framers of the constitution; and

WHEREAS, it is increasingly apparent that over the past 20 years the federal government has manifested its inability to control or resolve the economic fluctuations in our marketplace; and

WHEREAS, the State of Montana desires to take its place as a sovereign entity as established in the constitution and fulfill its stewardship by taking charge of its future in the responsible manner of which it is capable, thereby relieving some of the unnecessary strain on the federal government.

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"Section 3. The activities of the United States Government which violate the intent and purpose of this amendment shall, within a period of three years from the date of the ratification of this amendment, be liquidated and the properties and facilities affected shall be sold.

"Section 4. Three years after the ratification of this amendment the sixteenth article of amendments to the Constitution of the United States shall stand repealed and thereafter Congress shall not levy taxes on personal incomes, estates, and/or gifts."

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this body supports the "Liberty Amendment" in intent and script.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this body requests that the Montana Congressional Delegation support the "Liberty Amendment" as a tool to bring new life to our marketplace

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Approved by Committee
on State Administration

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