HOUSE BILL NO. 182

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INTRODUCED BY WINSLOW, BENGTSON

BY REQUEST OF THE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS

IN THE HOUSE

January 12, 1983	Introduced and referred to Committee on Human Services.
February 5, 1983	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted.
	Statement of Intent attached.
February 7, 1983	Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
February 8, 1983	Second reading, do pass.
February 9, 1983	Considered correctly engrossed.
February 11, 1983	Third reading, passed. Transmitted to Senate.
IN THE SI	SNATE
February 12, 1983	Introduced and referred to Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Safety.
March 18, 1983	Statement of Intent rejected.
March 19, 1983	Committee recommend bill be concurred in as amended. Report adopted.
March 22, 1983	Second reading, concurred in.
March 24, 1983	Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 48; Noes, 1.

IN THE HOUSE

March 24, 1983

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March 30, 1983

March 31, 1983

Returned to House with amendments.

Second reading, amendments concurred in.

Third reading, amendments concurred in.

Sent to enrolling.

Reported correctly enrolled.

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1NEW SECTION: Section 7. CodificationInstruction.2Section 6 is intended to be codified as an integral part of3Title 37, chapter 11, part 3, and the provisions of Title437, chapter 11, apply to section 6.

5 NEW_SECTION. Section 8. Effective date. This act is

6 effective July 1, 1983.

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STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. 094-83

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In comp	liance with a writte	n request received	January 13,	_ , 19 <u></u>	, there is hereby	submitted a Fiscal Note	:
for	House Bill 182	pursuant	to Title 5, Chapter 4,	Part 2 of the	Montana Code A	Annotated (MCA).	
Background information used in developing this Fiscal Note is available from the Office of Budget and Program Planning, to members							
of the L	egislature upon reque	st.					

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

House Bill 182 generally revises and clarifies the licensing law for physical therapists; allows the board to adopt continuing education requirements; amends Sections 37-11-203, 37-11-301, 37-11-304; 37-11-307, and 37-11-310, MCA; and provides an effective date.

ASSUMPTIONS:

1) Due to savings by going on an automated licensing system, no additional costs are realized for administering the continuing education requirement.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None.

FISCAL NOTE3:FF/1

BUDGET DIRECTOR Office of Budget and Program Planning Date: 1-1-7-8-3

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1	STATEMENT OF INTENT
2	HOUSE BILL 182
3	House Human Services Committee
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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT (Public Health, Welfare & Safety)

That House Bill No. 182 be amended as follows: 1. Strike: statement of intent in its entirety. 2. Title, Line 6. Following: "THERAPISTS;" Strike: remainder of line 6 through "REQUIREMENTS;" on line 7. 3. Title, line 8. Strike: "37-11-203, 37-11-301, 37-11-304," 4. Title, line 9. Following: "37-11-307" Strike: "," Page 1, line 13. 5. Strike: Sections 1 through 3 in their entirety Renumber: subsequent sections 6. Page 3, line 24. Following: "chapter." Insert: "Those applicants who have been licensed in another state or territory by examination other than the examination recognized under this chapter may be considered for licensure by the board if the requirements for physical therapy license in the state or territory in which the applicant was tested were at least equal to those requirements in force in this state at that time." 7. Page 3, line 25. Strike: "AND, AFTER JUNE 30, 1985," 8. Page 4, line 20. Strike: Section 6 in its entirety Renumber: subsequent sections 9. Page 5, line 2. Strike: Section 7 in its entirety Renumber: subsequent section

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5	filinghis-application-a-fee-as-established-by-the-board-by	5	REQUIREMENTS_IN_EORCE_IN_THIS_STATE_AT_IMAL_IIME. However.
6	rules-Soid-fee-shall-be-commensurges-with-thecostofthe	6	the board may require a written, oral, or practical
7	exemination-end-its-edministration-end-shall-be-deposited-in	7	examination or ANDAFEB
8	the-cormarked-revenue-fund-for-the-u se-of-the-board ,-subj ect	8	continued_study_or_refresher_courses+"
9	to-37-1-101(6)+	9	Section 2. Section 37~11-310, MCA, is amended to read:
10	t3}Anyone-fatting-to-poss-the-required-exemination-is	10	#37-11-310. Foreign-trained applicants. The
11	entitied-to-s-second-exemination-within-6-monthsuff	11	foreign-trained physical therapist applicant's transcripts
12	Section 1. Section 37-11-307, MCA, is amended to read:	12	will be evaluated by <u>an A_BOARD_APPROVED agency.which</u>
13	#37+11-307. Applicants licensed in other states. The	13	<u>reviews_credentials</u> approved_by the-board. The-boardwill
14	board may, in its discretion, authorize the department to	14	comparetheapplicant*s-transcript-to-the-standords-set-by
15	license as a physical therapist, without examination, on the	15	the-American-physical-therapy-association+ Uponreceipt_of
16	payment of the required fee as established by the board, an	16	this_evaluation_the_board_shall_determine_whether_the_number
17	applicant for license who is a physical therapist licensed	17	ofacademiccreditsawardedmeets_equivalent_educational
18	under the laws of another state or territory if the	18	standerds for a physical therapist baccelearente degree OR
19	applicant_bas_met_the_same requirements forolicensefor	19	CERILEICATE established by the-school AN AMERICAN PHYSICAL
20	physicaltherapistsin-the-state-or-territory-in-which-the	20	INERAPIST_ASSOCIATION_ACCREDITED_SCHOOL of_physicaltherapy
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22	substantiallyequaltotherequirements-in-forca-in-this	22	professional education credit hours are approved by the
23	state as applicants licensed by examination under this	23	board and-the-school-the-applicant-attended-was-approved-by
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25	STATE OR TERRITORY BY EXAMINATION OTHER THAN THE EXAMINATION	25	applicantettended, the applicant is eligible for a
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L temporary license prior to examination.* 2 NEW-SEETIBMy Section-6--Continuing---adacations The 3 AFEFA-_JUNE-30x-1985x-IHE board-way-adopt-rules-establishing 4 requirements-for-continuing-educations-if-the--board--adapts 5 such~~rulesy-~the--board-shall-develop-standardsy-methods-of 6 documentationy-and-procedures-for-requiring-each-licensee-to demonstrate----compliance----with----continuing----education 7 8 requirements-before-his-license-may-be-renewadw 9 NEW-SEETION. Section-Tw--Codification-----instructions 10 Section-6-is-intended-to-be-codified-as-an-integral-part--of 11 Fitle--37y--chapter--liv-part-3y-and-the-provisions-of-Fitle 12 37y-chapter-11y-apply-to-section-6+ 13 NEW_SECTION. Section 3. Effective date. This act is 14 effective July 1, 1983.

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