

HOUSE BILL NO. 430

INTRODUCED BY BRADLEY, NORMAN, CHRISTIAENS,
HARPER, MAZUREK, J. BROWN, LORY, WINSLOW,
GRADY, HAYNE, PETERSON, MILES, HAGER

IN THE HOUSE

January 23, 1985	Introduced and referred to Committee on Appropriations.
March 29, 1985	Committee recommend bill do pass as amended. Report adopted. Bill printed and placed on members' desks.
April 1, 1985	Second reading, do pass. Third reading, passed. Transmitted to Senate.

IN THE SENATE

April 3, 1985	Introduced and referred to Committee on Taxation.
April 4, 1985	Fiscal Note requested.
April 8, 1985	Fiscal Note returned.
April 17, 1985	Committee recommend bill be concurrent in as amended. Report adopted.
April 18, 1985	Motion pass consideration.
April 19, 1985	Second reading, concurred in as amended. Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 43; Noes, 6. Returned to House with amendments.

IN THE HOUSE

April 19, 1985	Received from Senate.
April 20, 1985	Second reading, amendments not concurred in. On motion, Free Conference Committee requested and appointed.
April 24, 1985	Free Conference Committee reported. On motion, rules suspended and bill placed on second reading this day. Second reading, Free Conference Committee report adopted.
April 25, 1985	Third reading, Free Conference Committee report adopted. Free Conference Committee report adopted by Senate. Sent to enrolling. Reported correctly enrolled.

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 3 Hayes Maguire J. Brown Lynda Bradley Hayes
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INTRODUCED BILL
 HB 430

STATE OF MONTANA

REQUEST NO. FNN 529-85

FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received April 4, 19 85, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for Amended H.B. 430 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 430 is an act to establish a voluntary statewide genetics program and to fund the program by a charge on health insurers of 50 cents for each Montana resident insured.

ASSUMPTIONS:

- (1) The actual number of people with health insurance in Montana is unknown.
- (2) The estimated number of Montana residents with health insurance coverage subject to the .50 cent tax in HB 430 is 510,954. This figure assumes only one coverage per person. People may have health insurance coverage under more than one policy and the .50 cent tax would apply to each policy. Based on this methodology the revenue estimated may be understated.
- (3) The estimated number of people in Montana with health insurance does not include people covered by self-insurance programs of cities and counties.
- (4) Assume no additional expenditures to the State Auditor's office.

FISCAL IMPACT:

	FY 86		FY 87	
	Current Law	Proposed Law	Current Law	Proposed Law
Collections from 50¢ annual charge	\$ -0-	\$ 255,477	\$ -0-	\$ 255,477
Expenditures	\$ -0-	\$ 260,000	\$ -0-	\$ 260,000
Net Impact on General Fund	\$ -0-	\$ (4,523)	\$ -0-	\$ (4,523)

NOTE: The Department of Administration would have to contribute \$12,500 per year for state workers and dependents. Spending authority would be required from the Group Insurance Account.

David L Hunter

BUDGET DIRECTOR
Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: April 8, 1985
HR 430

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE
ON APPROPRIATIONS

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SENATE

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

APRIL 17

19 85

MR. PRESIDENT

TAXATION

We, your committee on

HOUSE BILL

No. 430

having had under consideration

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ESTABLISHES VOLUNTARY STATEWIDE GENETICS PROGRAM

~~TAXATION~~ HOUSE BILL

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Respectfully report as follows: That

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be amended as follows:

- 1. Title, line 9.
Following: "INSURED"
Insert: ", WITH A TERMINATION DATE FOR SUCH FUNDING SOURCE"
- 2. Page 3.
Following: line 10
Insert: "Section 6. Termination of funding source. The provisions of section 2 pertaining to the source of funding for the act terminate on June 30, 1987."

AND AS AMENDED

BE CONCURRED IN

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XXXXXXXXXX

Senator Tom Towe

Chairman.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AMENDMENT

SENATE

APR 19, 85

DATE

2:00

TIME

MR. CHAIRMAN: I MOVE TO AMEND HOUSE BILL No. 430

third reading copy (blue) as follows: "
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Page 2, lines 11 and 12.

Following: "CORPORATION"

Strike: "AND THE STATE GROUP HEALTH SELF-INSURANCE PLAN,
UNDER TITLE 2, CHAPTER 18, PART 8,"

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ADOPT
REJECT

McCallum
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14 FOR THE ACT TERMINATE ON JUNE 30, 1987.

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CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT

Report No.1.....

April 24 1985

MR. SPEAKER

FREE

We, your _____ Conference Committee on

HOUSE BILL NO. 430, reference copy - salmon

met and considered _____

HOUSE BILL NO. 430 in its entirety

We recommend as follows:

1. Title, line 8.

Strike: "50"

Insert: "45"

2. Page 2, line 13.

Following: "~~PART-87~~"

Insert: "and the state group health self-insurance plan, under Title 2, chapter 18, part 8,"

3. Page 2, line 14.

Strike: "50"

Insert: "45"

And that this Conference Committee report be adopted.

FOR THE SENATE

Pinsoeneault

Pinsoeneault, Chairman

Mazurek

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