

HOUSE BILL NO. 943

3/23 Introduced
3/23 Referred to Appropriations
3/23 Fiscal Note Requested
3/28 Hearing
3/29 Fiscal Note Requested
4/01 Committee Report-Bill Pass As Amended
4/01 2nd Reading Pass As Amended
4/01 3rd Reading Pass

Transmitted to Senate

4/03 Referred to Taxation
4/12 Hearing
4/17 Committee Report-Bill Concurred
4/20 2nd Reading Not Concurred
As Amended, Be Not Concurred In
4/20 Bill Killed

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 943
 2 INTRODUCED BY *[Signature]*
 3 BY REQUEST OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

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 5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FEE FOR
 6 ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF A TEACHER OR SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE;
 7 AMENDING SECTION 20-4-109, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE
 8 DATE."

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

11 Section 1. Section 20-4-109, MCA, is amended to read:
 12 "20-4-109. Fees for teacher and specialist
 13 certificates. Each person applying for the issuance or
 14 renewal of a teacher or specialist certificate shall pay a
 15 fee of \$2 §5 for each school fiscal year that the
 16 certificate will be valid. In addition to this fee, each
 17 person who has never held any class of Montana teacher or
 18 specialist certificate or for whom an emergency
 19 authorization of employment has never been issued shall pay
 20 a filing fee of \$2. Such fees shall be paid to the
 21 superintendent of public instruction, who shall deposit the
 22 fees with the state treasurer to the credit of the general
 23 fund."

24 NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date. This act is
 25 effective July 1, 1985.

-End-



INTRODUCED BILL
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STATE OF MONTANA
FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST NO. 521-85

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received March 3, 19 85, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for H.B. 943 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 943 is an act to increase the fee for issuance or renewal of a teacher or specialist certificate from the current \$2 to \$5 for each school fiscal year that the certificate will be valid and a \$2 filing fee for issuance of initial certificates.

ASSUMPTIONS:

1. The number of certificates that will be issued this fiscal year will be 1,400 class 1, 2, 3, 4, 6; 1,500 class 5, and 3,170 renewals.
2. The volume of certificates issued each year will remain constant for the next few years after which a gradual increase will begin.
3. Certificates are issued for a period of 5 years.

FISCAL IMPACT:

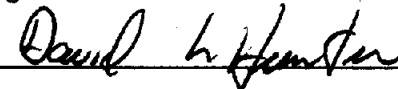
Expenditures:

	<u>FY 1986</u>	<u>FY 1987</u>	<u>Total Biennium</u>
Present Law - Benefits & Claims	\$54,700	\$54,700	\$109,400
Proposed Law - Benefits & Claims	<u>54,700</u>	<u>54,700</u>	<u>109,400</u>
Change	\$ -0-	-0-	\$ -0-

Revenues:

	<u>FY 1986</u>	<u>FY 1987</u>	<u>Total Biennium</u>
Present Law - General Fund	\$ 54,700	\$ 54,700	\$109,400
Proposed Law - General Fund	<u>136,750</u>	<u>136,750</u>	<u>273,500</u>
Change	\$ 82,050	\$ 82,050	\$164,100

The proposed increase in fees will add approximately \$82,050 per year to the general fund over the next biennium.



BUDGET DIRECTOR
Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: March 29, 1985

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AFFECT ON COUNTY OR OTHER LOCAL REVENUE OR EXPENDITURES:

N/A

LONG-RANGE EFFECTS OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

1. As the certified teacher force begins to grow, so will revenue.

TECHNICAL OR MECHANICAL DEFECTS OR CONFLICTS WITH EXISTING LEGISLATION:

N/A

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