

SENATE BILL NO. 176

1/21 Introduced
1/22 Referred to State Administration
1/23 Fiscal Note Requested
1/29 Fiscal Note Received
2/05 Hearing
2/11 Committee Report-Bill Do Pass
2/13 2nd Reading Pass
2/15 3rd Reading Pass

Transmitted to House

2/27 Referred to State Administration
3/14 Hearing
3/14 Adverse Committee Report
3/15 On Motion From Adverse Committee
Report Referred to 2nd Reading
3/25 2nd Reading Not Concurred
3/25 Bill Killed

1 *Senate* BILL NO. 176 *Frank*
 2 INTRODUCED BY *Sammons, Hammond, Goodover*
 3 *ARLESTAD, Smith*
 4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT ESTABLISHING ONE LEGAL *E. Smith*
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INTRODUCED BILL
 SB 176

STATE OF MONTANA
FISCAL NOTE

REQUEST NO. FNN196-85

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request received January 24 19 85, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for S.B. 176 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:

This bill establishes one legal holiday on the third Monday in February to observe the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington.

ASSUMPTIONS:

1. The savings generated would be attributable to those employees who are required to work at overtime rates on legal holidays.

FISCAL IMPACT:

	<u>FISCAL 1986</u>	<u>FISCAL 1987</u>	<u>BIENNIUM IMPACT</u>
Savings:			
General Fund	(\$26,903)	(\$26,853)	(\$53,756)
State Special Revenue	(\$10,204)	(\$10,204)	(\$20,408)
Federal Funds	(\$ 659)	(\$ 659)	(\$ 1,318)
Proprietary Funds	(\$ 558)	(\$ 962)	(\$ 1,520)
Net Impact	(\$38,324)	(\$38,678)	(\$77,002)

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BUDGET DIRECTOR
Office of Budget and Program Planning

Date: JAN 29, 1985

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LOCAL IMPACT:

Personal Services costs for local governments would be reduced for those employees previously paid time and a half for working on a holiday. The amount of local savings can not be determined at this time.

TECHNICAL NOTE:

1. This legislation would not supercede existing collective bargaining agreements.
2. The savings shown above may not be realized due to existing collective bargaining agreements, because holidays are specified in these agreements and the state would have to negotiate to reduce the number of holidays. A concession on other matters may be required to successfully negotiate this reduction.

APPROVED BY COMMITTEE
ON STATE ADMINISTRATION

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 3 *AKLESTAD, Fernald, Harding, Treit, Goodlove*
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