HOUSE BILL NO. 223

INTRODUCED BY BARDANOUVE

BY REQUEST OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS

IN THE HOUSE

JANUARY 15, 1987	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES & AGING.
JANUARY 27, 1987	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.
JANUARY 28, 1987	PRINTING REPORT.
JANUARY 29, 1987	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
JANUARY 30, 1987	ENGROSSING REPORT.
	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 97; NOES, 1.
	TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.
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FEBRUARY 2, 1987	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY.
MARCH 4, 1987	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
MARCH 7, 1987	SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.
MARCH 10, 1987	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 49; NOES, 0.
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- (h) Any inmate confined pursuant to the terms of this compact shall have any and all rights to participate in and derive any benefits or incur or be relieved of any obligations or have such obligations modified or his status

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(i) The parent, guardian, trustee, or other person or persons entitled under the laws of the sending state to act for, advise, or otherwise function with respect to any inmate shall not be deprived of or restricted in his exercise of any power in respect of any inmate confined pursuant to the terms of this compact.

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(a) Any decision of the sending state in respect of any matter over which it retains jurisdiction pursuant to this compact shall be conclusive upon and not reviewable within the receiving state, but if at the time the sending state seeks to remove an inmate from an institution in the receiving state there is pending against the inmate within such state any criminal charge or if the inmate is formally accused of having committed within such state a criminal offense, the inmate shall not be returned without the consent of the receiving state until discharged from prosecution or other form of proceeding, imprisonment or detention for such offense. The duly accredited officers of the sending state shall be permitted to transport inmates pursuant to this compact through any and all states party to

this compact without interference.

(b) An inmate who escapes from an institution in which he is confined pursuant to this compact shall be deemed a fugitive from the sending state and from the state in which the institution is situated. In the case of an escape to a jurisdiction other than the sending or receiving state, the responsibility for institution of extradition or rendition proceedings shall be that of the sending state, but nothing contained herein shall be construed to prevent or affect the activities of officers and agencies of any jurisdiction directed toward the apprehension and return of an escapee.

Article VI. Federal Aid

Any state party to this compact may accept federal aid for use in connection with any institution or program, the use of which is or may be affected by this compact or any contract pursuant hereto and any inmate in a receiving state pursuant to this compact may participate in any such federally aided program or activity for which the sending and receiving states have made contractual provision, provided that if such program or activity is not part of the customary correctional regimen, the express consent of the appropriate official of the sending state shall be required therefor.

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24 25 Article VIII. Withdrawal and Termination

This compact shall continue in force and remain binding upon a party state until it shall have enacted a statute repealing the same and providing for the sending of formal written notice of withdrawal from the compact to the appropriate officials of all other party states. An actual withdrawal shall not take effect until one year after the notices provided in said statute have been sent. Such withdrawal shall not relieve the withdrawing state from its obligations assumed hereunder prior to the effective date of withdrawal. Before the effective date of withdrawal, a withdrawing state shall remove to its territory, at its own expense, such inmates as it may have confined pursuant to the provisions of this compact.

Article IX. Other Arrangements Unaffected

Nothing contained in this compact shall be construed to abrogate or impair any agreement or other arrangement which a party state may have with a nonparty state for the confinement, rehabilitation or treatment of inmates nor to repeal any other laws of a party state authorizing the

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making of cooperative institutional arrangements.

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The provisions of this compact shall be liberally construed and shall be severable. If any phrase, clause, sentence or provision of this compact is declared to be contrary to the constitution of any participating state or of the United States or the applicability thereof to any 7 government, agency, person or circumstance is held invalid, the validity of the remainder of this compact and the applicability thereof to any government, agency, person or circumstance shall not be affected thereby. If this compact shall be held contrary to the constitution of any state participating therein, the compact shall remain in full force and effect as to the remaining states and in full force and effect as to the state affected as to all severable matters.

Section 2. Effectuation of purposes of compact. The courts; -departments; -agencies; -and-officers--of--this--state and---its--subdivisions DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS shall enforce this compact and shall do all things appropriate to the effectuation of its purposes and intent which may be within their--respective--jurisdictions ITS JURISDICTION, including but not limited to the making and submission of such reports as are required by the compact.

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8	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:
9	Section 1. Compact adopted text. The Interstate
10	Corrections Compact is entered into by this state with any
11	and all other states legally joining therein in the form
12	substantially as follows:
13	INTERSTATE CORRECTIONS COMPACT
14	Article I. Purpose and Policy
15	The party states, desiring by common action to fully
16	utilize and improve their institutional facilities and
17	provide adequate programs for the confinement, treatment and
18	rehabilitation of various types of offenders, declare that
19	it is the policy of each of the party states to provide such
20	facilities and programs on a basis of cooperation with one
21	another, thereby serving the best interests of such
22	offenders and of society and effecting economies in capital

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1	confinement, treatment and rehabilitation of offenders	with
2	the most economical use of human and material resources.	

- 3 Article II. Definitions
- As used in this compact, unless the context requires otherwise:
- 6 (a) "State" means a state of the United States; the
 7 United States of America; a territory or possession of the
 8 United States; the District of Columbia; the Commonwealth of
 9 Puerto Rico.
- 10 (b) "Sending state" means a state party to this
 11 compact in which conviction or court commitment was had.
- 12 (c) "Receiving state" means a state party to this
 13 compact to which an inmate is sent for confinement other
 14 than a state in which conviction or court commitment was
 15 had.
- 16 (d) "Inmate" means a male or female offender who is 17 committed under sentence to or confined in a penal or 18 correctional institution.
- 19 (e) "Institution" means any penal or correctional 20 facility, including but not limited to a facility for the 21 mentally ill or mentally defective, in which inmates may 22 lawfully be confined.
- 23 Article III. Contracts
- (a) Each party state may make one or more contractswith any one or more of the other party states for the

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- 2. Payments to be made to the receiving state by the sending state for inmate maintenance, extraordinary medical and dental expenses, and any participation in or receipt by inmates of rehabilitative or correctional services, facilities, programs or treatment not reasonably included as part of normal maintenance.
 - 3. Participation in programs of inmate employment, if any; the disposition or crediting of any payments received by inmates on account thereof; and the crediting of proceeds from or disposal of any products resulting therefrom.
- Delivery and retaking of inmates.
- 5. Such other matters as may be necessary and appropriate to fix the obligations, responsibilities and rights of the sending and receiving states.
 - (b) The terms and provisions of this compact shall be a part of any contract entered into by the authority of or pursuant thereto, and nothing in any such contract shall be inconsistent therewith.
- 23 Article IV. Procedures and Rights
- 24 (a) Whenever the duly constituted authorities in a 25 state party to this compact, and which has entered into a

- contract pursuant to Article III, shall decide that
 confinement in, or transfer of an inmate to, an institution
 within the territory of another party state is necessary or
 desirable in order to provide adequate quarters and care or
 an appropriate program of rehabilitation or treatment, said
 officials may direct that the confinement be within an
 institution within the territory of said other party state,
 the receiving state to act in that regard solely as agent
 for the sending state.
 - (b) The appropriate officials of any state party to this compact shall have access, at all reasonable times, to any institution in which it has a contractual right to confine inmates for the purpose of inspecting the facilities thereof and visiting such of its inmates as may be confined in the institution.
 - (c) Inmates confined in an institution pursuant to the terms of this compact shall at all times be subject to the jurisdiction of the sending state and may at any time be removed therefrom for transfer to a prison or other institution within the sending state. For transfer to another institution in which the sending state may have a contractual or other right to confine inmates, for release on probation or parole, for discharge, or for any other purpose permitted by the laws of the sending state; provided that the sending state shall continue to be obligated to

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- (d) Each receiving state shall provide regular reports to each sending state on the inmates of that sending state in institutions pursuant to this compact including a conduct record of each inmate and certify said record to the official designated by the sending state, in order that each inmate may have official review of his or her record in determining and altering the disposition of said inmate in accordance with the law which may obtain in the sending state and in order that the same may be a source of information for the sending state.
- (e) All inmates who may be confined in an institution pursuant to the provisions of this compact shall be treated in a reasonable and humane manner and shall be treated equally with such similar inmates of the receiving state as may be confined in the same institution. The fact of confinement in a receiving state shall not deprive any inmate so confined of any legal rights which said inmate would have had if confined in an appropriate institution of the sending state.
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