

HB 293 INTRODUCED BY DEVLIN  
SHEEP TRANSPORTATION PERMIT

1/19 INTRODUCED

1/19 REFERRED TO AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK &  
IRRIGATION

FAILED TO MEET TRANSMITTAL DEADLINE

1 House BILL NO. 293  
2 INTRODUCED BY Neuhoff

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE  
5 DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK TO ADOPT RULES TO IMPOSE A PERMIT  
6 SYSTEM FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF SHEEP; PROVIDING A PENALTY;  
7 AND REPEALING SECTIONS 81-5-201 THROUGH 81-5-204, MCA."

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

10 Section 1. Permit system for transportation of sheep  
11 -- penalty. (1) The department shall adopt rules imposing a  
12 permit system for the transportation of sheep within or out  
13 of the state if it finds that a permit system is necessary  
14 to prevent theft of sheep. The rules must establish fees  
15 commensurate with the department's cost of operating the  
16 permit system.

17 (2) A person who purposely or knowingly transports  
18 sheep in violation of rules adopted under subsection (1) is  
19 guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine not  
20 exceeding \$1,000 or imprisonment in the county jail for a  
21 term not exceeding 6 months, or both.

22 Section 2. Repealer. Sections 81-5-201 through  
23 81-5-204, MCA, are repealed.

24 Section 3. Codification instruction. Section 1 is  
25 intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 81,

1 chapter 5, part 1, and the provisions of Title 81 apply to  
2 section 1.

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