

HOUSE BILL NO. 818

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BY REQUEST OF THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS
COMMITTEE

IN THE HOUSE

FEBRUARY 18, 1987 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.

FEBRUARY 20, 1987 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL
DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.

FEBRUARY 21, 1987 PRINTING REPORT.

FEBRUARY 23, 1987 SECOND READING, DO PASS.

FEBRUARY 24, 1987 ENGROSSING REPORT.

THIRD READING, PASSED.
AYES, 97; NOES, 2.

TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.

IN THE SENATE

MARCH 2, 1987 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE
ON EDUCATION & CULTURAL RESOURCES.

MARCH 23, 1987 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE
CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.

MARCH 27, 1987 SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.

MARCH 30, 1987 THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN.
AYES, 50; NOES, 0.

RETURNED TO HOUSE.

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MARCH 31, 1987 RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

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

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 19 documents applicable to the administration of the office,
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 22 at the expiration of his term;

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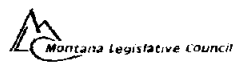
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 16 the provisions of subsection (5), cause the printing of a
 17 cumulative supplement to the most recent volume of school
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8 Montana; and

9 (11) faithfully work in all practical and possible ways
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11 NEW SECTION. Section 2. Effective date. This act is
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