# SB 65 INTRODUCED BY NORMAN NO WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS TO A PERSON INCARCERATED FOR A FELONY

- 1/07 INTRODUCED
- 1/07 REFERRED TO LABOR & EMPLOYMENT RELATIONS
- 1/08 FISCAL NOTE REQUESTED
- 1/12 FISCAL NOTE RECEIVED DIED IN COMMITTEE

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

INCARCERATED IN A CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION FOR A FELONY."

9 Section 1. Prohibiting benefits to person
10 incarcerated for felony. A claimant is not entitled to and
11 may not receive any disability compensation benefits while
12 he is incarcerated in a correctional institution for a
13 felony.

Section 2. Extension of authority. Any existing
authority of the division of workers' compensation to make
rules on the subject of the provisions of this act is
extended to the provisions of this act.

18 Section 3. Codification instruction. Section 1 is 19 intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 39, 20 chapter 71, part 7, and the provisions of Title 39, chapter 21 71, part 7, apply to section 1.

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INTRODUCED BILL

## STATE OF MONTANA - FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In compliance with a written request, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for SB065, as introduced.

### DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

An act prohibiting payment of Workers' Compensation Disability Benefits to a person incarcerated in a correctional institution for a felony.

## **ASSUMPTIONS:**

- 1. There were three or four cases over the last several years in which the State Fund paid compensation benefits to incarcerated claimants.
- 2. There will be no increased costs.

#### FISCAL IMPACT:

Expenditures:

There will be savings to the Workers' Compensation Trust Fund. The amount is impossible to estimate.

#### Revenues:

N/A

EFFECT ON COUNTY OR OTHER LOCAL REVENUE OR EXPENDITURES:

N/A

LONG-RANGE EFFECTS OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

N/A

TECHNICAL OR MECHANICAL DEFECTS IN PROPOSED LEGISLATION OR CONFLICTS WITH EXISTING LEGISLATION:

N/A

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Fiscal Note for SB065, as introduced.

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