SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8

INTRODUCED BY KEATING, BARDANOUVE

IN THE SENATE

- JANUARY 26, 1987 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & SAFETY.
- FEBRUARY 16, 1987 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS AS AMENDED. REPORT ADOPTED.
- FEBRUARY 17, 1987 PRINTING REPORT.
- FEBRUARY 18, 1987 SECOND READING, DO PASS.
- FEBRUARY 19, 1987 ENGROSSING REPORT.
- FEBRUARY 20, 1987 THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 49; NOES, 0.

TRANSMITTED TO HOUSE.

- IN THE HOUSE
- FEBRUARY 23, 1987 INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES & AGING.
- APRIL 9, 1987 COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
- APRIL 15, 1987 SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN AS AMENDED.
- APRIL 16, 1987 THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 83; NOES, 7.

RETURNED TO SENATE WITH AMENDMENTS.

IN THE SENATE

APRIL 20, 1987 RECEIVED FROM HOUSE.

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SECOND READING, AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN.

APRIL 21, 1987

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THIRD READING, AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

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INTRODUCED BY Kentering Bourowe 1 2 3

4 A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF 5 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MONTANA ENDORSING THE 6 RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE DEVELOPMENTAL PLANNING TASK FORCE 7 RELATING TO PROVISION OF SERVICES TO PERSONS WITH 8 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.

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WHEREAS, the Developmental Planning Task Force was 10 appointed by the Developmental Disabilities Planning and 11 Advisory Council and jointly funded by the Council, the 12 Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, the 13 Department of Institutions, and the Office of Public 14 Instruction to study and prepare recommendations for meeting 15 16 the needs of Montana's unserved and underserved citizens 17 with developmental disabilities; and

18 WHEREAS, the Task Force solicited advice and testimony19 from consumers, legislators, and professionals; and

WHEREAS, Montana law provides that each person who may be developmentally disabled will be afforded such treatment and habilitation as is suited to his needs and that such treatment and habilitation will be skillfully and humanely administered with full respect for the person's dignity and personal integrity; and



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7 WHEREAS, Montana law assures that due process of law is8 accorded any person with developmental disabilities.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE
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13 concerning the provision of services to Montanans with
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15 (1) that supported work services be developed for16 Montana's citizens with severe disabilities;

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(3) that programs at the Eastmont Human Services
Center be modified to meet the specific needs of Montana's
senior citizens with developmental disabilities;

(4) that programs at the Montana Developmental Center
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developmental disabilities who have severe behavior problems
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as naive offenders (individuals with developmental
 disabilities who come into contact with the criminal justice
 system because they have disobeyed the law);

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8 (6) that the Developmental Disabilities Division of
9 the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services be
10 designated as the lead agency for a federally funded state
11 grant program for handicapped infants and toddlers;

12 (7) that concerned Montanans increase their awareness 13 of problems faced by the naive offender, an individual with 14 developmental disabilities who comes in contact with the 15 criminal justice system because he has disobeyed a law, and 16 the need for policies and procedures to identify and treat 17 those individuals; and

18 (8) that existing services be extended when necessary
19 to meet the needs of all Montana citizens with developmental
20 disabilities.

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APPROVED BY COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & SAFETY

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COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AMENDMENT

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4-13-87 DATE 17:30 TIME

MR. CHAIRMAN: I MOVE TO AMEND _____ SJR 8

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Color) as follows:

PASSED

1) Page 3, line 7.
Following: "treatment"
Insert: ", by the board of visitors or a similar body appointed
for the purpose,"

2) Page 3, line 17. Following: "individuals;" Strike: "and"

3) Page 3, line 20.
Following: "disabilities"
Insert: "; and

(9) that the highest priority with regard to the provision of programs for the developmentally disabled is to appropriately serve all the developmentally disabled in the state, especially the unserved and underserved citizens."

ADOPT REJECT

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Rep. Marks