# HOUSE BILL NO. 210

# INTRODUCED BY SWYSGOOD, THOFT, CAMPBELL

## IN THE HOUSE

JANUARY 16, 1989	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.
JANUARY 17, 1989	FIRST READING.
FEBRUARY 1, 1989	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL DO PASS. REPORT ADOPTED.
FEBRUARY 2, 1989	PRINTING REPORT.
FEBRUARY 3, 1989	SECOND READING, DO PASS.
FEBRUARY 4, 1989	ENGROSSING REPORT.
FEBRUARY 6, 1989	THIRD READING, PASSED. AYES, 92; NOES, 5.
	TRANSMITTED TO SENATE.
IN	THE SENATE
FEBRUARY 7, 1989	INTRODUCED AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE ADMINISTRATION.
	FIRST READING.
MARCH 7, 1989	COMMITTEE RECOMMEND BILL BE CONCURRED IN. REPORT ADOPTED.
MARCH 8, 1989	SECOND READING, CONCURRED IN.
MARCH 10, 1989	THIRD READING, CONCURRED IN. AYES, 44; NOES, 4.
	RETURNED TO HOUSE.

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MARCH 11, 1989

RECEIVED FROM SENATE.

SENT TO ENROLLING.

REPORTED CORRECTLY ENROLLED.

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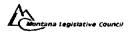
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(4) That part of all gross revenue not used for the payment of prizes, commissions, and operating expenses, together with the interest earned on the gross revenue while the gross revenue is in the enterprise fund, is net revenue and must be paid quarterly from the enterprise fund established by 23-5-1026 to the superintendent of public instruction for distribution as equalization aid to the retirement fund obligations of elementary and high school districts in the manner provided in 20-9-532."

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# STATE OF MONTANA - FISCAL NOTE

Form BD-15

In, compliance with a written request, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for HB210, as introduced.

### DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:

HB210 would provide that interest earned on the gross revenue generated by the Lottery while the gross revenue is in the Lottery enterprise fund is net lottery revenue and must be distributed to the Superintendent of Public Instruction to be used as equalization aid for the teachers' retirement funds.

### **ASSUMPTIONS:**

- 1. Under current law, the interest earnings on the revenues deposited in this fund are general fund revenue.
- 2. The average daily cash balance for FY90 and FY91 will be \$2,775,000.
- 3. The entire cash balance will continue to be invested at a rate equal to the FY88 Short-Term Investment rate of 7.06%, resulting in interest earnings of \$195,915 each fiscal year.
- 4. The proposed law will have no impact on instant ticket sales, which are assumed to continue at \$13,000,000 each year of the 1991 biennium, or on Lottery expenses.

FISCAL IMPACT: Expenditures: Dept. of Commerce Operating Costs	Current Law \$8,528,000	FY90 Proposed Law Difference \$8,528,000 -0-	Current Law \$8,528,000	FY91 Proposed Law Difference \$8,528,000 -0-
Funding: Instant Ticket Sales Interest Earnings Total	\$13,000,000 <u>195,915</u> \$13,195,915	\$13,000,000 -0-	\$13,000,000	\$13,000,000 -0-
Revenue: To General Fund To OPI for Equalization	\$ 195,915 \$ 4,472,000	\$ -0- (\$195,915) \$ 4,667,915 \$195,915	\$ 195,915 \$ 4,472,000	\$ -0- (\$195,915) \$ 4,667,915 \$195,915

## EFFECT ON COUNTY OR OTHER LOCAL REVENUE OR EXPENDITURES:

Lottery net revenues for transfer to the Office of Public Instruction would increase by approximately \$195,915 per year.

RAY SHACKLEFORD, BUDGET DIRECTOR

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OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

CHUCK SWYSGOOD, PRYMARY SPONSOR

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