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TO: Joint Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education Policy and Budget
FROM: Jeremy Gersovitz, Staff Attorney
RE: Overview of Proposed Legislation Related to Montana University System (MUS)
DATE: August 8, 2008

- LC0055 Require development and implementation of programs for installation of energy conservation measures and renewable energy generation infrastructure at vocational/technical schools
- LC0107 Increase MUS employer's contribution to the Optional Retirement Program for university faculty by 1% and increase the state's contribution to the Montana Teacher's Retirement System by approximately 2%
- LC0120 Transfer authority for the issuance of volume cap bonds from the Montana Higher Education Student Assistance Corporation to the Board of Regents
- LC0147 Study the student loan system in Montana
- LC0151 Study the community college district establishment process
- LC0152 Create a Montana Rural Dentist Student Loan Repayment Program and create a dental extender program
- LC0153 Clarify legislative approval, by joint resolution, of the organization of a community college district
- LC0154 Joint resolution approving Bitterroot Valley Community College District
- LC0157 Provide resident higher education benefits for non-resident members of the Montana National Guard

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