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Requested by Representative Carol Juneau

For the House Appropriations Committee

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1. Page E-3, following line 5.

**Insert:** "The office of public instruction shall include as a part of its work plan priorities for the next biennium the development of strategies to prevent dropouts and reduce dropout rates in Montana's public schools and report on these efforts to the education and local government interim committee before September 1, 2006."

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