MONTANA SENATE
2007 LEGISLATURE

ROLL CALL

TAXATION

DATE 4-9-07

NAMES	PRESENT	ABSENT	EXCUSED
SEN. JERRY BLACK (R)	✓		
SEN. JEFF ESSMANN (R)	✓		
SEN. KELLY GEBHARDT(R)	✓		
SEN. KIM GILLAN (D)	✓		
SEN. DAN HARRINGTON (D)	✓		
SEN. CHRISTINE KAUFMANN (D)	✓		
SEN. SAM KITZENBERG (D)			✓
SEN. JIM PETERSON (R)	✓		
SEN. TRUDI SCHMIDT (D)			✓
SEN. ROBERT STORY (R)	✓		
SEN. JIM ELLIOTT (D) CHAIRMAN	✓		
LEE HEIMAN, LSD	✓		
LOIS O'CONNOR, COMMITTEE SECRETARY	✓		

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 337** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in as amended.**

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Kelly Gebhardt

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 7.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "INCOME"

2. Title, line 9.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "INCOME"

3. Title, lines 10 and 11.
Strike: "LIMITING" on line 10 through "FIREFIGHTERS;" on line 11

4. Title, line 12.
Following: line 11
Insert: "AND"
Strike: "AND 39-71-118,"

5. Page 1, line 16.
Following: "Disability"
Insert: "income"
Following: "authorized"
Insert: "-- voted levy -- fund"
Following: "(1)"
Insert: "Disability income insurance, as defined in 33-1-235, purchased for volunteer firefighters must provide that:
(a) payments or benefits are paid only if the firefighter is receiving compensation under workers' compensation for an

Committee Vote:
Yes 9, No 0
Fiscal Note Required __ KF

injury received as a volunteer firefighter; and

(b) the duration of payments or benefits may not exceed the lesser of 1 year or until the workers' compensation treating physician determines that the beneficiary is no longer disabled.

(2)"

Renumber: subsequent subsections

6. Page 1, line 17.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

7. Page 1, line 18.
Following: "disability"
Insert: "income"

8. Page 1, line 21.
Following: "disability"
Insert: "income"
Following: "coverage"
Insert: "meeting the provisions of subsection (1)"

9. Page 1, line 28.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

10. Page 2, line 7.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

11. Page 2, line 8.
Following: "DISTRICT"
Insert: "as provided in [section 1]"

12. Page 2, line 24.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

13. Page 3, line 3.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

14. Page 3, line 4.
Following: "COMPANIES"
Insert: "as provided in [section 1]"

15. Page 3, line 7.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

16. Page 3, line 15.
Following: "disability"
Insert: "income"

17. Page 3, line 16.
Following: "area"
Insert: "as provided in [section 1]"

18. Page 3, line 23.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

19. Page 4, line 8.
Following: "disability"
Insert: "income"
Following: "department"
Insert: "as provided in [section 1]"

20. Page 4, line 13.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

21. Page 4, line 21.
Following: "DISABILITY"
Insert: "income"

22. Page 4, line 22.
Following: "DEPARTMENTS"
Insert: "as provided in [section 1]"

23. Page 4, line 24 through page 9, line 11.
Strike: section 7 in its entirety
Renumber: subsequent sections

- END -

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

April 10, 2007

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 490** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in**.

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Christine Kaufmann

- END -

Committee Vote:
Yes 9, No 0
Fiscal Note Required __ KK

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SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 680** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in**.

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jim Elliott

- END -

Committee Vote:
Yes 9, No 0
Fiscal Note Required _ K1

SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Taxation** recommend that **House Bill 40** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in**.

Signed: _____
Senator Jim Elliott, Chair

To be carried by Senator Kim Gillan

- END -

Committee Vote:
Yes 7, No 4
Fiscal Note Required __KT

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ROLL CALL VOTE

DATE 4-9-07 BILL NO. HB-40 NUMBER 1

MOTION: Reconsider Action on HB-40 Passed 6-5 R.C. Vote

NAME	AYE	NO
SEN. JERRY BLACK (R)		✓
SEN. JEFF ESSMANN (R)		✓
SEN. KELLY GEBHARDT(R)		✓
SEN. KIM GILLAN (D)	✓	
SEN. DAN HARRINGTON (D)	✓	
SEN. CHRISTINE KAUFMANN (D)	✓	
SEN. SAM KITZENBERG (D)	✓	
SEN. JIM PETERSON (R)	✓	
SEN. TRUDI SCHMIDT (D)	✓	P
SEN. ROBERT STORY (R)		✓
SEN. JIM ELLIOTT (D) CHAIRMAN		✓
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ROLL CALL VOTE

DATE 4-9-07 BILL NO. HB-40 NUMBER 2

MOTION: B.C.I. - Be Concurred In

Passed 7-4 Roll Call Vote

NAME	AYE	NO
SEN. JERRY BLACK (R)	✓	
SEN. JEFF ESSMANN (R)		✓
SEN. KELLY GEBHARDT(R)		✓
SEN. KIM GILLAN (D)	✓	
SEN. DAN HARRINGTON (D)	✓	
SEN. CHRISTINE KAUFMANN (D)	✓	
SEN. SAM KITZENBERG (D)	✓	
SEN. JIM PETERSON (R)	✓	
SEN. TRUDI SCHMIDT (D)	✓	P
SEN. ROBERT STORY (R)		✓
SEN. JIM ELLIOTT (D) CHAIRMAN		✓
	7	4

SENATE PROXY FORM

According to Senate Rule 30-70 (13) (f) , a committee member may vote by proxy using a standard form.

PROXY VOTE

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize Senator Gillan

to vote my proxy on any issue before the Senate Taf

_____ Committee

held on 4-9-07, 2007.

Reconsider HB-40-yes
B Concurred I HB-40-yes

Trudi Schmidt
SENATOR
STATE OF MONTANA

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VISITOR REGISTER

TAXATION

DATE April 9, 2007

BILLS BEING HEARD TODAY HB-463; HB-801; HB-822; HB-843

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NAME	PHONE	REPRESENTING	BILL #	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
Dallas Reese	841-2581	DOR - Informational	HB843		
Rick Edwards	490 1499	MEDA	HB 463		
Dale Bickell	531-5350	N/A	HB 822	✓	
Steve Pilcher	439-4178	MT Stockgrowers	HB843	✓	
John Semple	443-7487	MT Grain Growers	HB822		
Frank Cote	3-9078	AHIP	HB801	✓	
Dennis Lopach	439-0211	REC Silicon	HB463	✓	
Brian Olsen	444-2994	DOR - Informational	HB822 HB801		
John Fitzpatrick	449-9818	Northwestern Energy	HB853	Informational	
Matt Elsaesser	431-0815	SAVE Foundation	HB822	✓	
Megan Brower		Montana Farm Bureau	HB822	X	
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RICK MOORE	696-0931	WPRC	HB822	X	
JOE MAZUREK	457-2030	BP	HB822	X	
Sarah Cobler	581-2284	MCV	822	X	
WEBB BROWN	442-2405	MT CHAMBER	HB463	X	
"	"	"	HB801	X	
Don Allen	443-5541	WETA	HB463	X	
Gary Macdonald	653-6247	Roosevelt Co.			X without Amendment
Mike Murphy	235-4550	MWRA	HB843	X	
Gary Amoston	443-2370	Richland Economic Development	HB463	X	X
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Tanya Ask	444-8297	BCB SKT	HB801	X
Harold Blattie	4-4360	MACO	HB463	X
			HB843	X

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TAXATION

DATE_____

BILLS BEING HEARD TODAY_____

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NAME	PHONE	REPRESENTING	BILL #	SUPPORT	OPPOSE
John Youngberg	570-4103	MFBF WIFE	HB843	X	
Don Allen	443-7531	NAIFA-M	HB801	X	
Willie Duffield	939-4443	MAOAC	HB463		X

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Copy for Secretary: Lois O'Connor
For the Senate Taxation
Room 405

April 9,2007

Honorable_____

Capitol Station

Helena, MT 59620

Dear Senator _____,

As a director of the Montana History Foundation I have personal knowledge of the importance of the Tourism and Film Industry to Montana. I am writing to ask you to reconsider the actions taken on HB40 in committee. It is my belief that this is too important an issue not to have a full discussion of its merits– by the full Senate.

Thank you for your re-consideration of this matter.

Most sincerely,

Tim Babcock

Tim M. Babcock