

BUSINESS REPORT

**MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Date: Wednesday, February 11, 2009
Place: Capitol

Time: 8:00 am
Room: 137

BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Add Postponed (PP) when appropriate:

HB 322, HB 342, HB 403

EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Enter P(pass) F(failed) DPAA (do pass as amended) BC(be concurred in) BCAA (be concurred in as amended):

HB 293(P) HB 345(P)

HB 200(Table) HB 372(DPAA)

HB 397(DPAA)

HB 350(Table)

COMMENTS:



REP. Ron Stoker, Chairman

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

DATE: 2/11/09

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
Rep. Peterson	X	
Rep. Kottel	X	
Rep. Kerns	X	
Rep. Sands	X	XXX
Rep. Bennett	X	
Rep. MacDonald	X	
Rep. More	X	
Rep. Ebinger	X	
Rep. Wagner	X	
Rep. Becker	X	
Rep. Driscoll	X	
Rep. Regier	X	
Rep. McClafferty		X
Rep. Howard	X	
Rep. Blewett	X	
Rep. Warburton	X	
Rep. Menahan	X	
Rep. Stoker	X	



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 293** (first reading copy – white) **do pass.**

Signed: _____

Ron Stoker
Representative Ron Stoker, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 18, No 0

Fiscal Note Required

HB0293001SC.hjd



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 397** (first reading copy – white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: _____

Ron Stoker
Representative Ron Stoker, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 5.

Strike: the first "GRANDPARENTS"

Insert: "CLOSE RELATIVES"

Strike: "THE GRANDPARENTS"

Insert: "THOSE RELATIVES"

Strike: "GRANDCHILD"

Insert: "RELATIVE'S CHILD"

2. Page 2, line 3.

Strike: "grandparents"

Insert: "close relatives of a child"

3. Page 2, line 4.

Strike: "the grandparents"

Insert: "those relatives"

4. Page 2, line 4.

Strike: "grandchild is to be"

Insert: "relative's child has been"

Committee Vote:

Yes 18, No 0

Fiscal Note Required

HB0397001SC.hjd

5. Page 2, line 5.
Strike: "parents, grandparents, and children"
Insert: "child and the child's parents and may contain the name of the child's grandparents, aunts, uncles, adult brothers and adult sisters"

6. Page 2, line 6.
Strike: "parents, grandparents, and children"
Insert: "child and parents and any of the relatives whose names appear in the registry"

7. Page 2, line 7.
Strike: "before"
Insert: "on the first working day after"

8. Page 2, line 8.
Following: "registry."
Insert: "The fee may be charged only to those persons whose names are voluntarily entered in the registry."

- END -



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 345** (first reading copy – white) **do pass.**

Signed: _____

Ron Stoker
Representative Ron Stoker, Chair

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 15, No 3

Fiscal Note Required

HB0345001SC.hjd



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Mr. Speaker:

We, your committee on **Judiciary** recommend that **House Bill 372** (first reading copy – white) do pass as amended.

Signed: _____

Ron Stoker
Representative Ron Stoker, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, line 6 through line 7.

Strike: "REQUIRING" on line 6 through "CASES;"

2. Page 1, line 15.

Strike: "based on undue hardship must"

Insert: "may"

3. Page 1, line 17.

Strike: "infirm"

Insert: "special needs"

Strike: "or a child"

4. Page 1, line 25 through line 28.

Strike: "If" on line 25 through "court." on line 28

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 11, No 7

Fiscal Note Required

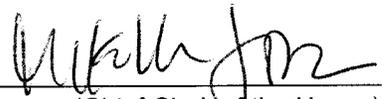
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TABLED BILL

The **HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE** TABLED **HB 200, HB 350**, by motion, on **Wednesday, February 11, 2009**.

(For the Committee)



(Chief Clerk of the House)

_____, 2/11

(Time) (Date)

February 11, 2009

Jennifer L. Eck, Secretary

Phone: 444-4832

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call Vote
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

DATE 2/11/09 BILL NO HB 372 MOTION NO. _____
 MOTION: _____

~~UNANIMOUS~~ DO PASS HB 372 as amended
three times.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NO</u>	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Ken Peterson		X	
Deborah Kottel	X		
Krayton Kerns		X	
Diane Sands	X		
Gerald Bennett		X	
Margaret MacDonald	X		
Michael More		X	
Bob Ebinger	X		
Bob Wagner		X	
Arlene Becker	X		
Robyn Driscoll	X		
Keith Regier	X		
Edith McClafferty	X		X
David Howard		X	
Anders Blewett	X		
Wendy Warburton	X		
Mike Menahan	X		
Ron Stoker		X	

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call Vote
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

DATE 2/11/09 BILL NO HB 372 MOTION NO. _____
 MOTION: _____

To PASS Amendment HB037202.adn, PART 2
(Rep. Regier)

<u>NAME</u>	<u>AYE</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes</u>
Ken Peterson	X		
Deborah Kottel		X	
Krayton Kerns		X	
Diane Sands		X	
Gerald Bennett		X	
Margaret MacDonald		X	
Michael More		X	
Bob Ebinger		X	
Bob Wagner		X	
Arlene Becker	X		
Robyn Driscoll	X		
Keith Regier	X		
Edith McClafferty		X	X
David Howard		X	
Anders Blewett		X	
Wendy Warburton	X		
Mike Menahan		X	
Ron Stoker	X		

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Roll Call Vote
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

DATE 2/11/09 BILL NO HB 372 MOTION NO. _____
 MOTION: _____

Amend HB 37201. adn (Rep. Kottel)

NAME	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Ken Peterson	X		
Deborah Kottel	X		
Krayton Kerns	X		
Diane Sands		X	
Gerald Bennett	X		
Margaret MacDonald		X	
Michael More	X		
Bob Ebinger	X		
Bob Wagner	X		
Arlene Becker		X	
Robyn Driscoll		X	
Keith Regier		X	
Edith McClafferty		X	X
David Howard	X		
Anders Blewett	X		
Wendy Warburton		X	
Mike Menahan	X		
Ron Stoker	X		

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Roll Call Vote
JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

DATE 2/11/09 BILL NO HB 345 MOTION NO. _____
 MOTION: _____

Motion: de pass HB 345

<u>NAME</u>	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
Ken Peterson	X		
Deborah Kottel	X		
Krayton Kerns		X	
Diane Sands	X		
Gerald Bennett		X	
Margaret MacDonald	X		
Michael More	X		
Bob Ebinger		X	
Bob Wagner	X		
Arlene Becker	X		
Robyn Driscoll	X		
Keith Regier	X		
Edith McClafferty	X		X
David Howard	X		
Anders Blewett	X		
Wendy Warburton	X		
Mike Menahan	X		
Ron Stoker	X		

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**Montana House of Representatives
Visitors Register**

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Date 2/11/09

Bill No. HB 322

Sponsor(s) Rep. Blumett

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
J. 709 9th Ave. Helena Janice Estenson	Grandparents Council	X		
1610 S. Cannon St. Marilyn Hays Helena	Friend	X		
1415 East Helena Betty Stokes Helena	Just Grandparent	X		
Jim Dubois Helena	self	X		
Vicki Knudson	Self		X	
Mike Maron	Self	X		
Sheena Rice	Mont PIRG	X		
Ross Cannon	SELF			X
Al Smith	WTLA	✓		

Please leave prepared testimony with Secretary. Witness Statement forms are available if you care to submit written testimony.

