

**BUSINESS REPORT**

**MONTANA SENATE  
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

**SENATE BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

**Date:** Thursday, January 15, 2009  
**Place:** Capitol

**Time:** 10 am  
**Room:** 422

**BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:**

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

SB 134, SB 194

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**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):

SB 150 DPAA

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**COMMENTS:**

  
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SEN. Joe Balyeat, Chairman

**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Roll Call**  
**BUSINESS, LABOR & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

DATE: 1/15/09

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
SENATOR JOE BALYEAT, CHAIRMAN	✓	
SENATOR VERDELL JACKSON, VICE CHAIR	✓	
SENATOR GREGORY BARKUS	✓	
SENATOR ROY BROWN	✓	
SENATOR JIM KEANE	✓	
SENATOR JIM PETERSON		✓
SENATOR CAROLYN SQUIRES	✓	
SENATOR DONALD STEINBEISSER	✓	
SENATOR SHARON STEWART-PEREGOY	✓	
SENATOR JOSEPH TROPILA	✓	
SENATOR JONATHAN WINDY BOY		✓



SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs** recommend that **Senate Bill 150** (first reading copy -- white) **do pass as amended.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

*Joe Balyeat*  
Senator Joe Balyeat, Chair

**And, that such amendments read:**

1. Title, page 1, line 10.

**Strike:** "MODIFYING" through the second "EMPLOYMENT;"

2. Title, page 1, line 16.

**Strike:** "39-51-204,"

3. Page 3, line 16 through page 7, line 28.

**Strike:** section 6 in its entirety

**Renumber:** subsequent sections

4. Page 19, line 11.

**Following:** "amount"

**Insert:** "of the overpaid benefits"

5. Page 19, line 12.

**Following:** "any"

**Insert:** ":

(a) penalty established in accordance with 39-51-3201; and

(b) "

6. Page 21, line 16.

**Following:** "[Sections"

**Strike:** "7" through "22"

**Committee Vote:**

**Yes 9, No 2**

Fiscal Note Required

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**Insert:** "6 through 8, 10, 14, 15, and 20"

7. Page 21, line 17.

**Strike:** "13, and 14"

**Insert:** "12, 13, 19, and 21"

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**MONTANA STATE SENATE**  
**Roll Call Vote**  
**BUSINESS, LABOR, AND ECONOMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE**

DATE 1/15/09 BILL NO SB 150 MOTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

MOTION: Amendment 1500 1a pm failed 4-7

NAME	AYE	NO	If Proxy Vote, check here & include signed Proxy Form with minutes
SENATOR GREGORY BARKUS		✓	
SENATOR ROY BROWN		✓	
SENATOR JIM KEANE	✓		
SENATOR JIM PETERSON		✓	proxy
SENATOR CAROLYN SQUIRES	✓		
SENATOR DONALD STEINBEISSER		✓	
SENATOR SHARON STEWART-PEREGOY		✓	
SENATOR JOSEPH TROPILA	✓		
SENATOR JONATHAN WINDY BOY	✓		proxy
SENATOR VERDELL JACKSON, VICE CHAIR		✓	
SENATOR JOE BALYEAT, CHAIRMAN		✓	

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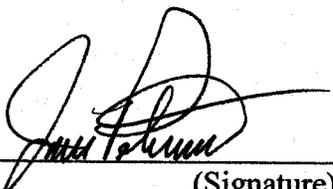
I request to be excused from Business + Labor Committee because of other commitments. I desire to leave my proxy vote with:

Senator Jackson

Indicate Bill number and your vote Aye or No. If there are amendments, list them by name and number under the bill and indicate a separate vote for each amendment.

BILL/AMENDMENT	AYE	NO
SB 150	✓	
<sup>SB 15001.apm</sup> Amendment		✓
Amendment SB015002.apm	✓	
Amendment SB015005.apm	withdrawn	
Amendment SB015003.apm	✓	

BILL/AMENDMENT	AYE	NO

Sen.   
(Signature)

Date 1/15/09





**MONTANA STATE SENATE  
Visitors Register**

**BUSINESS, LABOR & ECONOMIC AFFAIRS**

Date 1-15-09

Bill No. 134 Sponsor(s) Lewis

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Name and Address	Representing	Support	Oppose	Inf.
Tanya Ask	NewWest Health		✓	
Ron Herman	State Auditor	✓		
John Mada	SAO	✓		
Dennis Lippach	AHIP		✓	
Suzanne Witte	Allegiance	✓		
Bob Robinson	MT. UNIV. SCH. TRUST			✓
Bruce Spence	MDIT	✓		
Man. Mt. Riv.	MT Bank 1	✓		
Steve Twibler	MT Publishers	✓		
Chelsea Fagen	MT Chamber	✓		

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