

BUCHANAN CAPITAL LLC

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HB 81

January 10, 2011

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee:

We are writing today to express our support for HB-81, a bill intended to establish a Securities Restitution Assistance fund.

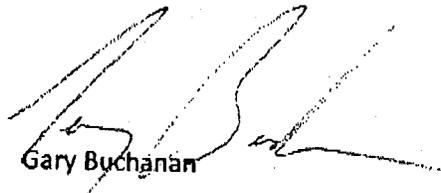
In recent years we have witnessed many cases here in the state where Montanans have become victims to numerous fraud schemes and fraudulent activity and without a fund such as this the victims may not otherwise be awarded any restitution at all for the crimes committed against them.

We understand and support using a funding mechanism which does not impact the general fund, instead using proceeds from assessed penalties imposed upon wrongdoers in the State, making this a self funded effort.

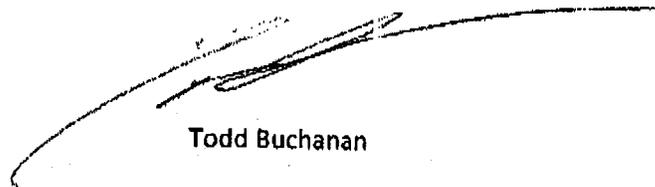
We support Representative Robert's bill and urge you to support it as well. If you would like any further commentary or thoughts as it relates to this please do not hesitate to contact either of us; 406-294-3000.

As always, we deeply appreciate your service to the state of Montana!

Sincerely,



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