

Amendments to House Bill No. 2
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Requested by Senator Dave Lewis

For the House Free Conference Committee

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1. Page A-1, line 19.

Following: "AND"

Strike: "\$8,877"

Insert: "\$8,840"

2. Page B-2, line 11.

Following: "STIPENDS TO"

Strike: "REGULAR FOSTER" through "FAMILIES" on line 12

Insert: "families who provide regular foster care in a youth foster home and kinship families who provide regular foster care in a kinship foster home"

3. Page B-6.

Strike: line 3 through line 4 in their entirety

4. Page B-6, line 13.

Following: "OF"

Strike: "A BILL ALLOWING THE TRANSFER OF REVENUES"

Insert: "Senate Bill No. 424 in a form that transfers revenue to the general fund"

Strike: "MONTANA"

Insert: "Montanans"

Following: "FUND"

Insert: "provided for in 52-3-115"

5. Page B-6, following line 24.

Insert: "Direct Care Provider Rate Increase may be used only to raise provider rates for medicaid services to allow for wage increases or lump-sum payments to workers who provide direct care and ancillary services."

6. Page C-3, line 18.

Following: "No."

Strike: "610"

Insert: "370"

7. Page C-3, line 23.

Following: "If"

Strike: "LC"

Following: "862"

Strike: "411"

Insert: "House Bill No. 619"

8. Page D-7, line 17.
Following: "includes"
Strike: "\$6,133,625"
Insert: "\$6,119,145"
Following: "and"
Strike: "\$6,120,961"
Insert: "\$6,106,542"

9. Page D-7, line 22.
Following: "of"
Strike: "\$14,793,778"
Insert: "\$14,712,670"
Following: "and"
Strike: "\$14,796,967"
Insert: "\$14,716,201"

10. Page D-7, line 24.
Following: "includes"
Strike: "\$37,156,156"
Insert: "\$36,988,761"
Following: "and"
Strike: "\$37,168,034"
Insert: "\$37,001,343"

11. Page D-8, line 6.
Following: "of"
Strike: "\$640,085"
Insert: "\$637,329"
Following: "and"
Strike: "\$639,025"
Insert: "\$636,281"

12. Page D-8, line 9.
Following: "of"
Strike: "\$10,526,138"
Insert: "\$10,475,405"
Following: "and"
Strike: "\$10,532,826"
Insert: "\$10,482,306"

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Explanation - This amendment makes technical changes to HB 2.

Item 1 - Legislative Branch - corrects a language reference to the amount of general fund that can be allocated among programs in the Legislative Branch in FY 2013 due to workers' compensation cost reduction.

Item 2 - Department of Public Health and Human Services - changes the terms foster and kinship families to the youth foster home and kinship foster home to reference terms used in 52-2-602, MCA.

Items 3 and 5 - Department of Public Health and Human Services - move the language for direct care worker wage increases to the

end of the language section for Senior and Long-term Care Division.

Item 4 - Department of Public Health and Human Services - inserts the bill number that allows the transfer of funding to support Big Sky Rx and Area Agencies on Aging and clarifies the language.

Items 6 and 7 - Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Parks - change reference to contingent legislation.

Items 8 through 12 - Department of Corrections - modify dollar amounts included in language to reflect the reduction in general fund support for workers compensation costs.