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BUSINESS REPORT

**MONTANA SENATE
64th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE

Date: Wednesday, April 8, 2015
Place: Capitol

Time: 8:00 AM
Room: 317

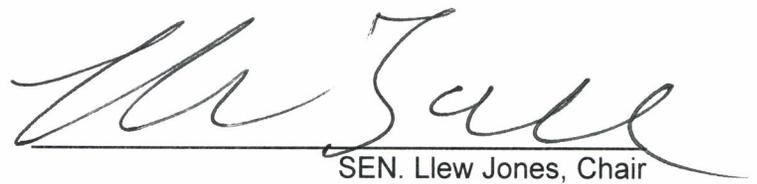
BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:

HB 9 - Cultural and Aesthetic Grants - Rep. Mike Cuffe
HB 196 - Generally revise laws related to tribal colleges and other community colleges - Rep. Susan Webber
HB 228 - Increase coal board funding until June 30, 2019 - Rep. Tom Berry
HB 251 - Providing for temporary legislative aides - Rep. Jeff Essmann
HB 337 - Increase resource limits for medicaid program for workers with disabilities - Rep. Jessica Karjala
HB 381 - Require certain state agencies to report on federal receipts - Rep. Tom Burnett
HB 487 - Create statutory appropriations for old governor's mansion and MHS fees - Rep. Donald Jones
HB 562 - Require agency reporting on financial assistance to tribes - Rep. G. Bruce Meyers

EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

HB 337 BE CONCURRED IN
HB 381 BE TABLED
HB 562 BE CONCURRED IN
HB 575 BE CONCURRED IN
HB 251 BE TABLED
HB 196 BE TABLED

Comments:


SEN. Llew Jones, Chair

MONTANA STATE SENATE
 ROLL CALL
 FINANCE AND CLAIMS
 COMMITTEE

DATE: April 8, 2015

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT/ EXCUSED
Chairman Jones	x	
Vice Chair Keenan	x	
Senator Blasdel		x
Senator Brenden	x	
Senator Caferro	1/2	x
Senator Hamlett	x	
Senator Hansen	x	
Senator Howard	x	
Senator Keane	x	
Senator Moore	x	
Sen. Phillips	x	
Senator Ripley	x	
Senator Rosendale	x	
Senator Sesso	x	
Senator Smith	x	
Senator Taylor	x	
Senator Webb	x	
Senator Windy Boy	x	✓
Senator Wolken	x	✓



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Madame President:

We, your committee on **Finance and Claims** report that **House Bill 337** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in.**

Signed: _____

Senator Llew Jones, Chair

To be carried by Senator Jonathan Windy Boy

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 19, No 0

Fiscal Note Required X

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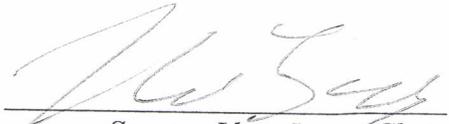
SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Madame President:

We, your committee on **Finance and Claims** report that **House Bill 562** (third reading copy -- blue) be concurred in.

Signed: _____


Senator Llew Jones, Chair

To be carried by Senator Kris Hansen

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 12, No 7

Fiscal Note Required X

HB0562002SC12600.spt



SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE REPORT

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Madame President:

We, your committee on **Finance and Claims** report that **House Bill 575** (third reading copy -- blue) **be concurred in as amended.**

Signed: _____

Llew Jones
Senator Llew Jones, Chair

To be carried by Senator Kris Hansen

And, that such amendments read:

1. Page 3, line 9.

Following: "The"

Insert: "department of administration shall post the"

Strike: "shall be posted"

- END -

Committee Vote:

Yes 13, No 6

Fiscal Note Required X

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BILL TABLED NOTICE

SENATE FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE

The **SENATE FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE** TABLED

HB 196 - Generally revise laws related to tribal colleges and other community colleges -

Rep. Susan Webber

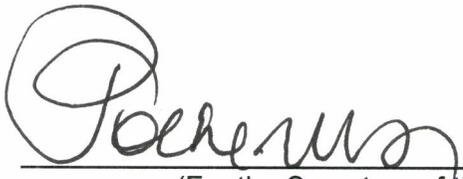
HB 251 - Providing for temporary legislative aides - Rep. Jeff Essmann

HB 381 - Require certain state agencies to report on federal receipts - Rep. Tom Burnett

by motion, on **Wednesday, April 8, 2015** (PLEASE USE THIS ACTION DATE IN LAWS BILL STATUS).



(For the Committee)



(For the Secretary of the Senate)
12:00, 4/8
(Time) (Date)

April 8, 2015 (11:54am)

Prudence Gildroy, Secretary

Phone: 444-4816

**MONTANA STATE SENATE
ROLL CALL VOTE
FINANCE AND CLAIMS
COMMITTEE**

DATE: April 8, 2015

BILL # 40381 VOTE 9-16

MOTION: Be concurred in

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY	EXCUSED
VICE CHAIR KEENAN	X			
SENATOR KEANE		X		
SENATOR RIPLEY		X		
SENATOR HANSEN	X			
SENATOR CAFERRO		X	X	
SENATOR BLASDEL	X		X	
SENATOR SMITH	X	X		
SENATOR WEBB	X	X		
SENATOR WINDY BOY		X		
SENATOR WOLKEN		X		
SENATOR HOWARD	X			
SENATOR BRENDEN	X			
SENATOR HAMLETT		X		
SENATOR MOORE	X			
SENATOR PHILLIPS		X		
SENATOR TAYLOR	X			
SENATOR SESSO		X		
SENATOR ROSENDALE		X		
CHAIRMAN JONES		X		

**MONTANA STATE SENATE
ROLL CALL VOTE
FINANCE AND CLAIMS
COMMITTEE**

DATE: April 8, 2015

BILL # HB 562 VOTE 12-7

MOTION: Be Concurrd In

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY	EXCUSED
VICE CHAIR KEENAN	X			
SENATOR KEANE		X		
SENATOR RIPLEY	X			
SENATOR HANSEN	X			
SENATOR CAFERRO		X	X	
SENATOR BLASDEL	X		X	
SENATOR SMITH	X			
SENATOR WEBB	X			
SENATOR WINDY BOY		X		
SENATOR WOLKEN		X		
SENATOR HOWARD	X			
SENATOR BRENDEN	X			
SENATOR HAMLETT		X		
SENATOR MOORE	X			
SENATOR PHILLIPS		X		
SENATOR TAYLOR	X			
SENATOR SESSO		X		
SENATOR ROSENDALE	X			
CHAIRMAN JONES	X			

**MONTANA STATE SENATE
ROLL CALL VOTE
FINANCE AND CLAIMS
COMMITTEE**

DATE: April 8, 2015

BILL # HB 575 VOTE 12-7

MOTION: Amend HB 575

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY	EXCUSED
VICE CHAIR KEENAN	X			
SENATOR KEANE		X		
SENATOR RIPLEY	X			
SENATOR HANSEN	X			
SENATOR CAFERRO		X	X	
SENATOR BLASDEL	X		X	
SENATOR SMITH	X			
SENATOR WEBB	X			
SENATOR WINDY BOY		X		
SENATOR WOLKEN		X		
SENATOR HOWARD	X			
SENATOR BRENDEN	X			
SENATOR HAMLETT		X		
SENATOR MOORE	X			
SENATOR PHILLIPS		X		
SENATOR TAYLOR	X			
SENATOR SESSO		X		
SENATOR ROSENDALE	X			
CHAIRMAN JONES	X			

**MONTANA STATE SENATE
ROLL CALL VOTE
FINANCE AND CLAIMS
COMMITTEE**

DATE: April 8, 2015

BILL # HB 575 VOTE 13-6

MOTION: Be concurred in as amended

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY	EXCUSED
VICE CHAIR KEENAN	X			
SENATOR KEANE		X		
SENATOR RIPLEY	X		X	
SENATOR HANSEN	X			
SENATOR CAFERRO		X	X	
SENATOR BLASDEL	X		X	
SENATOR SMITH	X			
SENATOR WEBB	X			
SENATOR WINDY BOY		X		
SENATOR WOLKEN		X		
SENATOR HOWARD	X			
SENATOR BRENDEN	X			
SENATOR HAMLETT	X			
SENATOR MOORE	X			
SENATOR PHILLIPS		X		
SENATOR TAYLOR	X			
SENATOR SESSO		X		
SENATOR ROSENDALE	X			
CHAIRMAN JONES	X			

**MONTANA STATE SENATE
ROLL CALL VOTE
FINANCE AND CLAIMS
COMMITTEE**

DATE: April 8, 2015

BILL # HB 251 VOTE 6-13

MOTION: Be concurred in

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY	EXCUSED
VICE CHAIR KEENAN				
SENATOR KEANE		X		
SENATOR RIPLEY		X	X	
SENATOR HANSEN	X			
SENATOR CAFERRO		X	X	
SENATOR BLASDEL	X		X	
SENATOR SMITH		X		
SENATOR WEBB		X		
SENATOR WINDY BOY	X			
SENATOR WOLKEN		X		
SENATOR HOWARD		X		
SENATOR BRENDEN		X		
SENATOR HAMLETT		X		
SENATOR MOORE	X			
SENATOR PHILLIPS		X		
SENATOR TAYLOR	X			
SENATOR SESSO		X		
SENATOR ROSENDALE	X			
CHAIRMAN JONES		X		

**MONTANA STATE SENATE
ROLL CALL VOTE
FINANCE AND CLAIMS
COMMITTEE**

DATE: April 8, 2015

BILL # HB 196

VOTE 9-10

MOTION: Be Concurred in

NAME	AYE	NO	PROXY	EXCUSED
VICE CHAIR KEENAN		X		
SENATOR KEANE	X			
SENATOR RIPLEY		X	X	
SENATOR HANSEN	X			
SENATOR CAFERRO	X		X	
SENATOR BLASDEL		X	X	
SENATOR SMITH		X		
SENATOR WEBB		X		
SENATOR WINDY BOY	X			
SENATOR WOLKEN	X			
SENATOR HOWARD		X		
SENATOR BRENDEN		X		
SENATOR HAMLETT	X			
SENATOR MOORE		X		
SENATOR PHILLIPS	X			
SENATOR TAYLOR	X			
SENATOR SESSO	X			
SENATOR ROSENDALE		X		
CHAIRMAN JONES		X		

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MONTANA STATE SENATE
Visitors Register
SENATE FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE

Wednesday, April 8, 2015

HB 228 - Increase coal board funding until June 30, 2019

Sponsor: Rep. Tom Berry

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Info
BUD CLINCH	MCC	X		
Robert + Goffena	Musselshell Co Com	X		
Bob Gilbert	Musselshell - Rosebud - Dawson Phillips Co. - Glacier	X		
JIM ATCHISON	SE MT DEVELOPMENT	X		
Dalg Mitchell	Montana Dept of Commerce		X	
RICK EDWARDS	MEDA	X		

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

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SENATE FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE

Wednesday, April 8, 2015

HB 196 - Generally revise laws related to tribal colleges and other community colleges

Sponsor: Rep. Susan Webber

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Name	Representing	Support	Oppose	Info
Mick Robinson	Comm of Higher Educ			X
NATHANIEL ST. PIERRE	STONE CHILD COLLEGE	✓		
G. Bruce Meyers	HD 32	✓		
Shane Modigean	CST	✓		
Laura John	MT Budget & Policy Center	✓		

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

SENATE: Finance & Claims

Date: 4-8-15

Bill No. HB 337

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Facsimile Sheet

DATE: 4-7-15

TO: Montana Senate FROM: Shyla Patera
Finance + claims

Company: Prudence Gilroy Company: NCILS

Fax #: 444-4875 Fax #: 406-453-3940

Phone #: 444-4816 Phone #: 406-452-9834

COMMENTS:

Shyla Patera, Independent Living Specialist

Additional Documents

SEIATL: Finance & Claims

Date: _____

Time: _____

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Chair Jones and Senate Finance and Claims:

My name is Shyla Patena. I am an IL Specialist at North Central Independent Living Services, Inc. I and my center support IIB 337. The Montana Medicaid for Workers with Disabilities has made a significant impact on my life. It allows me to see a future where I can work throughout my life because it allows me to pay a cost share or buy in or to pay for Montana Medicaid which covers my self directed Personal Assistance Services. Growing up and Graduating from Montana State University with my Bachelor Of Arts, working and living independently was always expected of me. I was so happy when the State of Montana implemented Montana Medicaid for Workers with Disabilities because healthcare needs do impact my life and the lives of so many MWD was implemented, it really didn't behoove me to save because of the resource limits and spend downs. Increasing these resource limits would allow people more flexibility in how we as people with disabilities live our lives and save for retirement. My fiance and I are homeowners, taxpayers and we do now. As a citizen advocate who follows legislative actions, this bill provides solutions to move Montana's Medicaid for Workers with Disabilities systems forward so that it can be a sustainable program for all Montanans with Disabilities while working. Thank you to Representative Karjala for sponsoring this bill and we at NCILS and I urge a do pass on HB 337.

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