SENATE JUDICIARY
Exhibit No. 1
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Bill No. HB130

I was also asked to express support of HB 130 on behalf of Dr. Kutsch & the MT Academy of Dermatology. Dr. Kutsch was unable to re-arrange her schedule to attend, but wanted to share that Dermatologists support this bill for its educational value in beginning to inform the public of the health risks of indoor tanning.

The MT Academy of Dermatology is committed to efforts to completely restrict minors under age 18 from access to tanning beds due to scientific evidence linking their use to the deadliest forms of skin cancer. We see this legislation as a starting point & would vigorously support stronger legislation in the future that would accomplish that goal.

We appreciate the Committee's consideration of HB130 & stand as proponents of Representative Hill's efforts to educate & improve the health of Montana's youth.

Thank you

Y Fitzpatrick, Steve	Y Lieser, Ed	Y Pinocci, Randall	N Woods, Tom
Y Flynn, Kelly	N Lynch, Ryan	Y Pope, Christopher	N Zolnikov, Daniel