

1 SENATE BILL NO. 30

2 INTRODUCED BY P. CONNELL

3 BY REQUEST OF THE WATER POLICY COMMITTEE

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5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE GROUND WATER
6 INVESTIGATION PROGRAM; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."

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8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

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10 NEW SECTION. **Section 1. Appropriation.** There is appropriated \$600,000 from the general fund to
11 the Montana bureau of mines and geology for each of fiscal years 2016 and 2017 for the ground water
12 investigation program described in 85-2-525. This appropriation is intended for inclusion in the base budget to
13 be used for ongoing operations of the ground water investigation program at the Montana bureau of mines and
14 geology.

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16 NEW SECTION. **Section 2. Effective date.** [This act] is effective July 1, 2015.

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