

HOUSE BILL NO. 1  
INTRODUCED BY LEWIS  
BY REQUEST OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR THE OPERATION OF THE LEGISLATURE; AMENDING SECTION 1, CHAPTER 1, LAWS OF 2001; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

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

NEW SECTION. **Section 1. Appropriations.** The following amounts are appropriated from the general fund for fiscal years 2003, 2004, and 2005 for the operation of the 58th legislature and the costs of preparing for the 59th legislature:

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH (1104)

1. Senate (25)	<del>\$2,280,881</del> <u>\$2,130,881</u> <u>\$2,062,881</u>
2. House of Representatives (26)	<del>3,699,035</del> <u>3,449,035</u> <u>3,339,035</u>
3. Legislative Services Division (22)	<del>719,510</del> <u>654,510</u> <u>632,510</u>

**SECTION 2.** SECTION 1, CHAPTER 1, LAWS OF 2001, IS AMENDED TO READ:

**"Section 1. Appropriations.** (1) The following amounts are appropriated from the general fund for fiscal years 2001, 2002, and 2003 for the operation of the 57th legislature and costs of preparing for the 58th legislature:

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH (1104)

1. Senate (25)	<del>\$2,355,658</del> <u>\$2,205,658</u>
2. House of Representatives (26)	<del>3,701,192</del> <u>3,451,192</u>
3. Legislative Services Division Feed Bill (22)	<del>643,554</del> <u>578,554</u>

(2) The following amounts are appropriated from the general fund for fiscal year 2003 for the operation of the 58th legislature:

1. <u>Senate (25)</u>	<u>\$150,000</u>
2. <u>House of Representatives (26)</u>	<u>250,000</u>
3. <u>Legislative Services Division Feed Bill (22)</u>	<u>65,000"</u>

NEW SECTION. **Section 3. Effective date.** [This act] is effective on passage and approval.

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