

AN ACT ALLOWING PRIVATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES TO CONFINE OUT-OF-STATE INMATES; AMENDING SECTION 53-30-603, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE.

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

Section 1. Section 53-30-603, MCA, is amended to read:

**"53-30-603. Private correctional facilities -- confinable persons.** (1) An individual, corporation, partnership, association, or other private organization or entity may not construct a private correctional facility in this state unless authorized by the department.

(2) An individual, corporation, partnership, association, or other private organization or entity may not operate a private correctional facility in this state unless licensed by the department. A license is nontransferable.

(3) A person <del>charged or</del> convicted in <del>another</del> <u>any</u> state <u>or U.S. federal</u> <del>or charged or convicted in federal</del> <del>court in another state</del> <u>court</u> may <del>not</del> be confined in a private correctional facility in this state <u>pursuant to approval</u> <u>by the department of a written agreement between the originating jurisdiction and the private correctional facility</u> <u>if the person is at all times and in all places within the correctional facility kept physically separated from persons</u> <u>convicted in this state. The agreement must include provisions for returning an out-of-state inmate to the originating jurisdiction prior to the inmate's parole or release.<sup>-</sup>"</u>

Section 2. Effective date. [This act] is effective on passage and approval.

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I hereby certify that the within bill, HB 0451, originated in the House.

Chief Clerk of the House

Speaker of the House

Signed this	day
of	, 2019.

President of the Senate

Signed this	day
of	, 2019.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 451

INTRODUCED BY E. CLARK, ANDERSON, BALES, BARKUS, BLACK, MANGAN, ROUSH, STORY, TAYLOR, TROPILA, WITT, ANDERSEN, BARRETT, JUNEAU, LAKE, LEHMAN, LEWIS, A. OLSON, RICE

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