

SENATE BILL NO. 12

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TRANSFERRING GENERAL FUND MONEY APPROPRIATED FOR THE MONTANA DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER TO THE FIRE SUPPRESSION FUND; AMENDING SECTION 2, CHAPTER 364, LAWS OF 2017; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

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

**Section 1.** Section 2, Chapter 364, Laws of 2017, is amended to read:

**"Section 2. Montana developmental center -- requirements.** (1) The appropriation to the department of public health and human services in House Bill No. 2, under "Montana Developmental Center" is restricted to the following:

(a) the following amounts must be transferred from the appropriation to the fire suppression account provided for in 76-13-150:

(i) \$3.5 million in general fund money designated for personal services expenses in fiscal year 2018; and

(ii) \$4 million in general fund money designated for personal services expenses in fiscal year 2019; and

(b) the remainder may be used for:

~~(a)~~(i) expenditures at the Montana developmental center; or

~~(b)~~(ii) transfers pursuant to subsection (2).

(2) The department may transfer from "Montana Developmental Center" for other necessary services for individuals served or who would have otherwise been served at the Montana Developmental Center.

(3) If the department transfers funding or full-time equivalents as allowed under subsection (1)(b)(ii) from the appropriation under "Montana Developmental Center", the department must notify the legislative finance committee and the legislative fiscal analyst.

(4) Any information that is confidential or personally identifiable provided pursuant to this section may only be communicated to the legislative fiscal analyst, who will not release the information pursuant to 5-12-303."

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

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