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This is the Interim Transportation Committee's (ITC) administrative rule review for proposals by the Department of Transportation and the Motor Vehicle Division.

A. Department of Transportation Review

| MAR Notice No. | Public Hearing Date | Where | Comment Due Date | Purpose |
|-------------------|-----------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|--|
| 18-179 | No public hearing scheduled | n/a | January 3, 2020, at 5:00 pm | aircraft registration rules were repealed in the past and MDT administered registration based on statutes; these rules establish the existing aircraft registration process in rules and set forth aircraft registration fees amended by HB 661 (2019) |

Potential issue: HB 661 (2019) amended 67-3-206, MCA, by increasing aircraft registration fees. Some fees are not whole dollars (e.g. \$37.50 for a 31-40 year old single engine, fixed gear, 200 horsepower and under aircraft). Due to a computer error, those fees were rounded up in the rule proposal to the next dollar (e.g. \$38). ITC staff attorney alerted MDT to this potential issue. When the comment period on the rules closes, MDT will amend the fees so that they exactly match those authorized by 67-3-206, MCA.

B. Motor Vehicles Division

Notice of Proposed Rules with Upcoming Public Hearings: None

Proposed Rules Post Public Hearing or without Public Hearing but Pre Final Adoption: None