

1 \*\*\*\* BILL NO. \*\*\*\*  
2 INTRODUCED BY \*\*\*\*  
3 BY REQUEST OF THE \*\*\*\*  
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5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REVISING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE CRIMINAL  
6 INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION ADVISORY COUNCIL; PROVIDING FOR TERM LIMITS FOR LEGISLATIVE  
7 MEMBERS; CLARIFYING REIMBURSEMENT FOR ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBERS; AMENDING SECTION  
8 44-5-501, MCA; AND PROVIDING AN IMMEDIATE EFFECTIVE DATE."

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

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12 **Section 1.** Section 44-5-501, MCA, is amended to read:

13 **"44-5-501. Creation of criminal intelligence information section -- advisory council.** (1) The  
14 department of justice may create a criminal intelligence information section.

15 (2) ~~(a)~~ If a section is created under subsection (1), the attorney general shall establish a criminal  
16 intelligence information advisory council in accordance with 2-15-122.

17 ~~(3) (a) The advisory council consists of seven members. Except as provided in subsections (3)(a)(v)~~  
18 ~~and (3)(a)(vii), the members must be appointed by the attorney general. The members consist of:~~

19 ~~(i) , consisting of one representative from the Montana chiefs of police association;~~

20 ~~(ii) one representative from the Montana sheriffs and peace officers association;~~

21 ~~(iii) one representative from the Montana county attorneys-attorneys' association;~~

22 ~~(iv) one member of the department of justice;~~

23 ~~(v) a one member of the judiciary committee of either the house of representatives or the~~  
24 ~~senate judiciary committee of the senate, appointed by the committee on committees;~~

25 ~~(vi) one member of the judiciary committee of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker~~  
26 ~~of the house; and~~

27 ~~(vii) a citizen at large.~~

28 (b) The representatives from the Montana chiefs of police association and the Montana sheriffs and

1 peace officers association must be sworn officers of a participating agency.

2 (c) The department of justice member may not be an employee of the department involved in criminal  
3 intelligence or criminal investigation work.

4 (d) Members of the advisory council serve at the pleasure of the attorney general.

5 (4) The two advisory council members who are also legislators shall serve terms of 2 years. One  
6 member must be selected each year between April 1 and April 10, so that their terms are staggered.

7 (e)(5) The department shall provide staff and support services for the advisory council. The advisory  
8 council is attached to the department of justice for administrative purposes only, and members are entitled to  
9 reimbursement for travel expenses as provided in 2-18-501 through 2-18-503."

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11 NEW SECTION. Section 2. {standard} Effective date. [This act] is effective on passage and  
12 approval.

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