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2017 LEGISLATIVE BILL TRACKING LIST

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The 65th session of the Montana Legislature adjourned on April 28, 2017.
















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


O = Oppose









S = Support

SA = Support with Amendments

Total Number of Introduced Bills – 41

Bill Type - Number	LC Number	Primary Sponsor	Status	Status Date	Short Title	Position
HB 18 	LC0405	Tom Jacobson (D) HD 21	Chapter Number Assigned	03/02/2017	Revise tax lien and tax deed laws	S
HB 48 	LC0325	Bob Brown (R) HD 13	Chapter Number Assigned	03/02/2017	Clarify definition of water right change	M
HB 49 	LC0327	Bob Brown (R) HD 13	Chapter Number Assigned	03/02/2017	Clarify process for updating water right transfers	M
HB 55 	LC0118	Denley M Loge (R) HD 14	(S) Died in Process*	04/28/2017	Revise department of transportation property transfer laws	M
HB 106 	LC0397	Tom Jacobson (D) HD 21	Chapter Number Assigned	03/01/2017	Provide registration authority for appraisal management companies	M
HB 109 	LC0349	Jean Price (D) HD 24	(H) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Require every applicant for public notary to pass an exam	M
HB 110 	LC0482	Bradley Hamlett (D) HD 23	(H) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Revise laws for filing of exempt water right claims	M
HB 122 	LC0398	Casey Schreiner (D) HD 26	Chapter Number Assigned	02/17/2017	Revise Board of Realty Regulation	M
HB 123 	LC0459	Amanda Curtis (D) HD 74	(H) Died in Process*	04/28/2017	Require certain insurance disclosures to minimize surprise bills	M
HB 138 	LC0456	Dave Fern (D) HD 5	Chapter Number Assigned	02/20/2017	Revise licensing of general insurance agent laws	M
HB 145 	LC0455	Zach Brown (D) HD 63	(H) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Adopt NAIC model legislation regarding Annuities	M
HB 197 	LC0574	Tom Jacobson (D) HD 21	Chapter Number Assigned	02/14/2017	Generally revise board of real estate appraisers terms of service	M
HB 200 	LC1138	Dave Fern (D) HD 5	Chapter Number Assigned	04/20/2017	Revise laws regarding shared equity properties	M
HB 221 	LC1227	Donald W Jones (R) HD 46	Chapter Number Assigned	02/17/2017	Revise laws related to public records of municipalities	M
HB 223 	LC0780	Geraldine Custer (R) HD 39	(S) Died in Standing Committee* -- (S) Business, Labor, and Economic Affairs	04/28/2017	Revise laws relating to title insurance	S

HB 295 	LC0207	Tom Jacobson (D) HD 21	(H) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Increase fine for gating a public road	M
HB 300 	LC2037	Adam Hertz (R) HD 96	Chapter Number Assigned	03/01/2017	Exempt townhouses from certain subdivision sanitation regulations	S
HB 319 	LC1180	Jeff Essmann (R) HD 54	(H) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Provide process for designating roads as public	M
HB 402 	LC1189	Jeff Essmann (R) HD 54	Chapter Number Assigned	04/20/2017	Generally revise laws on storage units/rentals	M
HB 457 	LC2084	Forrest Mandeville (R) HD 57	(H) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Exempting certain lot redesigns from Montana Subdivision and Platting Act	M
HB 523 	LC2292	Casey Knudsen (R) HD 33	Chapter Number Assigned	04/03/2017	Revise archaeological survey requirements	M
HB 526 	LC0219	Tom Jacobson (D) HD 21	(H) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Revise tax deed assignment for delinquent property taxes	O
HB 537 	LC2396	Willis Curdy (D) HD 98	Chapter Number Assigned	04/20/2017	Generally revise state probate laws	M
HB 597 	LC1182	Alan Doane (R) HD 36	(H) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Create voluntary contribution account to acquire public access easements	M
HB 659 	LC1804	Bradley Hamlett (D) HD 23	(H) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Revise exempt well laws	M
SB 15 	LC0401	Jill Cohenour (D) SD 42	(S) Signed by President	04/28/2017	Revise collection of payment for historic rights of way	S
SB 77 	LC0196	Nels Swandal (R) SD 30	Chapter Number Assigned	02/13/2017	Revise title insurance requirements in tax deed laws	S
SB 94 	LC0729	Keith Regier (R) SD 3	(S) Returned from Enrolling	04/26/2017	Provide property tax exemption for certain residential property	M
SB 118 	LC0085	Mary McNally (D) SD 24	(S) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Provide for uniform act regarding fiduciary access to digital assets	M
SB 125 	LC0032	Roger Webb (R) SD 23	(S) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Provide exemption for large increases in property value	M
SB 126 	LC0844	Keith Regier (R) SD 3	(S) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Revise laws related to property valuation appeal process	M
SB 207 	LC0068	Frederick (Eric) Moore (R) SD 19	(S) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Provide for confidentiality of heritage properties and paleontological remains	M
SB 219 	LC0054	Edward Buttrey (R) SD 11	Chapter Number Assigned	04/07/2017	Revise laws related to exemptions for certain divisions of lands	S
SB 243 	LC0569	Pat Connell (R) SD 43	(H) Died in Standing Committee* -- (H) Business and Labor	04/28/2017	Revise Montana mortgage act to create an exemption for certain loan originators	M
SB 244 	LC2367	Roger Webb (R) SD 23	(S) Died in Standing Committee*	04/28/2017	Exempt portion of homestead market value from property taxes	M
SB 248 	LC0537	Mark Blasdel (R) SD 4	(S) Returned from Enrolling	04/26/2017	Revise laws regarding exempt wells and family transfer parcels	M
SB 289 	LC2437	Frederick (Eric) Moore (R) SD 19	(H) Died in Standing Committee* -- (H) Business and Labor	04/28/2017	Revise laws concerning title insurance policies	O

SB 306  	LC1141	Roger Webb (R) SD 23	(S) Died in Process*	04/28/2017	Allowing conversion of condo to townhouse	O
SB 315  	LC0492	Chas Vincent (R) SD 1	(S) Transmitted to Governor	05/01/2017	Create Libby asbestos cleanup advisory team and funding	M
SB 318  	LC0044	Carlie Boland (D) SD 12	Chapter Number Assigned	03/27/2017	Revise profession and occupation regarding realty regulation	M
SB 332  	LC2319	Dee Brown (R) SD 2	(S) Died in Process*	04/28/2017	Revise laws related to unpaid warrants and impoundment fees	M