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*** Bill No. ***

Introduced By *****

By Request of the Office of State Public Defender

A Bill for an Act entitled: "An Act requiring state prison administrators to allow an inmate to speak on the telephone with the inmate's attorney without charge; providing an effective date."

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Montana:

NEW SECTION. **Section 1. Inmate phone calls to attorney.** Subject to policies adopted by the Department of Corrections, the administrator of a state prison shall allow an inmate to speak on the telephone with the inmate's attorney without charge.

NEW SECTION. **Section 2. {standard} Codification.**
[Section 1] is intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 53, chapter 30, part 1, and the provisions of Title 53, chapter 30, part 1, apply to [section 1].

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