

YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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Legislative Action:

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1 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "CHANGING THE TENURE SYSTEM IN MONTANA
2 SCHOOLS"

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4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

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- 6 **Section 1.** NEW SECTION in MCA 20-4-203. **Teacher tenure**
- 7 **Section 2.** Teaching contracts must include a clause stating that the teachers will be
- 8 observed for a week at random during the fourth year of tenure.
- 9 **Section 3.** Every fourth year of a teacher's tenure, the state will observe their teaching
- 10 methods by way of a camera in the teacher's classroom.
- 11 **Section 4.** If a teacher fails to meet adequate teaching standards, they will lose their
- 12 tenure until their next examination.
- 13 **Section 5.** Each district will be responsible for creating a committee, which will evaluate
- 14 that district's teachers.
- 15 **Section 6.** Funding will be provided by the general fund.
- 16 **Section 7.** This act will become effective at the beginning of the 2009-2010 school year.

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