

1 YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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4 _____ Bill Number _____

_____ Legislative Action:

5 House Committee: _____

6 Introduced by: Danielle Staudenmeyer

House: _____

7 Authored by: Danielle Staudenmeyer

Senate Committee: _____

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9 Delegation: Dillon Southwest Montana YMCA

Senate: _____

Governor: _____

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11 Referred to Committee: _____

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14 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 61-9-201. REQUIRING
15 VEHICLE LIGHTED LAMPS TO BE LIGHTED CONTINUOUSLY"

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17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE MONTANA YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE:

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19 **Section 1. Section 61-9-201 of the MCA is amended as follows:** Every vehicle upon a
20 highway within this state at any time ~~from one-half hour after sunset to one-half hour before~~
21 ~~sunrise and at any other time when due to insufficient light or unfavorable atmospheric~~
22 ~~conditions persons and vehicles on the highway are not clearly discernible at a distance of 500-~~
23 ~~feet ahead~~ shall display lighted lamps and illuminated devices as hereinafter respectively
24 required for ~~different classes of vehicles~~ all vehicles continuously, subject to exceptions with
25 respect to parked vehicles.

26 **Section 2.** This bill will require no funding.

27 **Section 3.** This bill will be enforced by police forces.

28 **Section 4.** The fine for the first offense is \$150. The fine for the second offense is \$300.
29 Upon the third offense, the driver's license will be suspended for 30 days.

30 **Section 5.** This bill will become effective immediately upon passage.

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