

SENATE BILL NO. 85

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT SUBMITTING A 6-MILL LEVY FOR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF THE
MONTANA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM TO THE ELECTORATE; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND A
TERMINATION DATE."

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

NEW SECTION. **Section 1. Tax levy for university system.** There is levied upon the taxable value
of all real estate and personal property subject to taxation in the state of Montana 6 mills for the continued
support, maintenance, and improvement of the Montana university system. The funds raised from the levy must
be deposited in the state special revenue fund.

NEW SECTION. **Section 2. Codification instruction.** [Section 1] is intended to be codified as an
integral part of Title 15, chapter 10, part 1, and the provisions of Title 15, chapter 10, part 1, apply to [section 1].

NEW SECTION. **Section 3. Effective date.** If approved by the electorate, [this act] is effective January
1, 2019.

NEW SECTION. **Section 4. Termination.** [Section 1] terminates ~~January 1, 2029~~ DECEMBER 31, 2028.

NEW SECTION. **Section 5. Submission to electorate.** This act shall be submitted to the qualified
electors of Montana at the general election to be held in November 2018 by printing on the ballot the full title of
this act and the following:

☐ FOR continuing to levy 6 mills for the support of the Montana university system.

☐ AGAINST continuing to levy 6 mills for the support of the Montana university system.

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