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Bill#	IIAM Position	Subject/ Categories	Short Title	Status	LINKS		Sponsor	By Request of	Non Revenue or Revenue
HB 61	Support	Ins	Remove insurance continuing education council	(S) Scheduled for 2nd reading (S) Education and Cultural Resources	Bill Draft text	status	Ross H Fitzgerald	State Auditor	Non-Revenue
HB 62	Monitor	Ins	Generally revise laws related to bail bonds	(H) Transmitted to Senate (H) Judiciary	Bill Draft text	status	Bill Mercer	State Auditor	Non-Revenue
HB 156	Support	Ins	General revise laws enforced by State Auditor	(H) Transmitted to Senate (H) Business & Labor	Bill Draft text	status	Edward Buttrey	State Auditor	Revenue
HB178	Monitor	WC	Revise workers' compensation laws relating to social or recreational activity	(S) Committee Executive Action -- Bill Concurred -- (S) Business, Labor & Economic Affairs	Bill Draft text	status	Kenneth Walsh	Kenneth Walsh	Non-Revenue
HB 182	Monitor	Ins	Revise Montana voluntary insurance telematics laws	(H) 2nd Reading Not Passed* - (H) Business and Labor	Bill Draft text	status	Denley M Loge	Denley M Loge	Non-Revenue
HB 184	Monitor	Ins	Revising mandatory motor vehicle insurance laws relating certain vehicles	(H) Referred to Committee -- (H) Highways and Transportation -- 01/30/2023	Bill Draft text	status	Jennifer Carlson	Jennifer Carlson	Non-Revenue
HB 205	Neutral	Ins	Revise minimum allowable amounts for automotive liability insurance	(S) Referred to Committee -- (S) Judiciary	Bill Draft text	status	Fred Anderson	Fred Anderson	Non-Revenue
SB216		LIA, REM, TORT	Revise laws related to litigation and products	(S) Hearing -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs, 02/02/2023	Bill Draft text	status	Steve Fitzpatrick	Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
HB263	Monitor	Ins	Revise insurance coverage for prescription eyedrop refills	(H) Scheduled for 2nd reading-- (H) Business & Labor	Bill Draft text	status	Amy Regier	Amy Regier	Non-Revenue
HB 277	Monitor	WC	Revise workers' compensation laws relating to the State Auditor	(H) Hearing -- (H) Business & Labor, 01/27/2023, 8:30 am, Rm 172	Bill Draft text	status	Nelly Nicol	Nelly Nicol	Revenue

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HB 302	Monitor	Ins	Insurance coverage for 12-month supply of birth control	(H) Committee Report -- Bill Passed as Amended -- (H) Human Services	Bill Draft text	status	Alice Buckley	Ryan Lynch	Non-Revenue
HB 332	Monitor	Ins	Generally revise laws related to school employee health benefits	(H) Hearing -- (H) Education, 01/30/2023, 3:00pm, rm 137	Bill Draft Text	status	David Bedley	Edith McClafferty	Revenue
HB 379	Monitor	Ins	Revise laws related to pharmacy benefit managers	(H) Referred to Committee -- (H) Business and Labor	Bill Draft text	status	Tom Welch	Tom Welch	Non-Revenue
SB 22	Monitor	WC	Generally revise independent contractor laws	(S) Hearing -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs, 01/19/2023, 8:30 am, rm 422	Bill Draft text	Status	Shane A Morigeau	Economic Affairs Interim Committee	Revenue
SB 107	Support		Revising laws relating to civil liability for injuries involving alcohol	(S) In First House -- Out of Committee -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs	Bill Draft text	Status	Steve Fitzpatrick	Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
SB 108	Neutral	Ins	Revise laws related to proof of vehicle insurance	(S) 3rd Reading Passed (S) Finance & Claims	Bill Draft text	Status	Barry Usher	Barry Usher	Revenue
SB 126	Monitor	WC	Provide funding for Montana State Fund	(S) Hearing (S) Finance and Claims, 01/12/2023, 2:00 pm, rm 317	Bill Draft text	Status	Greg Hertz	Greg Hertz	Revenue
SB 165	Support	Ins	Establishing a duty of cooperation relating to insurance policies	(S) Hearing -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs, 02/02/2023, 8:30am, rm 422	Bill Draft text	Status		Barry Usher	Non-Revenue
SB 196	Monitor	Ins	Require payment parity in insurance coverage of telehealth services	(S) Hearing -- (S) Public Health, Welfare and Safety, 01/25/2023, 3:00pm, rm 317	Bill Draft text	Status	Walt Sales	Walt Sales	Non-Revenue
SB 216	Monitor		Revise laws related to litigation products	(S) In first House Committee -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs	Bill Draft text	status	Steve Fitzpatrick	Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue

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SB 223	Monitor	Ins	Establish requirements for insurance coverage of clinician-administered drugs	(S) Hearing -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs, 02/03/2023, 8:30am, rm 422	Bill Draft text	status	Steve Fitzpatrick	Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
SB 236	Support	Ins	Establish time limited demand standards	(S) Hearing -- (S) Business, Labor and Economic Affairs, 02/02/2023, 8:30am, rm 422	Bill Draft text	status	Greg Hertz	Greg Hertz	Revenue
SB 238	Monitor	Ins	Require dental insurance to include an assignability clause	(S) Hearing -- (S) Public Health, Welfare and Safety, 02/08/2023, 3pm, rm 317	Bill Draft text	status	Keith Regier	Keith Regier	Non-Revenue
Signed by Governor									
Tabled in Committee									
HB 193		Ins	Revise law for driving without insurance	Tabled	Bill Draft Text	Status			
Possible Future Bills:									
	LC#		Short Title		Bill Links		Sponsor	By Request of	
	LC0175	Ins	Generally revise laws related to shool employee health benefits			status		Edith McClafferty	Revenue
	LC0186	Ins	Generally revise air ambulance program			status		State Auditor by Economic	Non-Revenue
	LC0187	Ins	General revise aws related to emergency services coverage			status		State Auditor by Economic	Non-Revenue
	LC190	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		State Auditor by Economic	Non-Revenue
	LC0334	Ins	Revise healthcare billing laws			status		Greg Hertz	Non-Revenue
	LC0336	Ins	Revise health insurance laws			status		Greg Hertz	Non-Revenue
	LC0338	Ins	Generally revise laws related to healthcare insurance pool risks			status		Greg Hertz	Non-Revenue
	LC606	Ins	Insurance coverage for 12-month supply of birth control			status		Ryan Lynch	Non-Revenue

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	LC0677	WC	Revise workers' compensation laws through freedom of		Bill Draft text	status		Nelly Nicol	Non-Revenue
	LC0679	WC	Revise workers compensation laws related to illegal aliens			status		Nelly Nicol	Non-Revenue
	LC0680	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Nelly Nicol	Non-Revenue
	LC0714	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Joshua Kassmier	Non-Revenue
	LC0816	Ins	Generally revise escheat laws			status		Jeffrey Welborn	Non-Revenue
Monitor	LC0931	Ins	Establish time limited demand standards			status		Greg Hertz	Non-Revenue
	LC0932	Civ,Cont, Cort	Establish consumer protections and disclosures in litigation		Bill Draft text	status		Greg Hertz	Revenue
	LC0979	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC0981	CIV	Revise laws related to attorneys fees and costs			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
Monitor	LC0985	WC	Generally revise laws related to Montana State Fund			status		Greg Hertz	Non-Revenue
	LC0986	WC	Generally revise laws related to Montana State Fund and government agencies		Bill Draft text	status		Greg Hertz	Non-Revenue
	LC1114	Hlhc, sch	Revise laws related to education health care plans			status		Daniel Salomon	Non-Revenue
	LC1292	Ins	Implementing travel insurance model act			status		Edward Buttrey	Non-Revenue
	LC1455	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Katie Zolnikov	Non-Revenue
	LC1524	WC-Ins	Generally revise laws relating to the Montana State Fund			status		Mark Noland	Non-Revenue
	LC1525	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Mark Noland	Non-Revenue
	LC1663	Ins	Revise laws related to pharmacy benefit managers		Bill Draft text	status		Tom Welch	Non-Revenue
	LC1684	WC	Revise military affairs laws regarding workers' compensation			status		Scot Kerns	Revenue
Monitor	LC1717	Ins	Revise insurance laws regarding uninsured, underinsured		Bill Draft text	status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue

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	LC1724	WC	Provide worker right to choose physician in workers'			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1728	WC	Establish presumption in workers' compensation for			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1729	Ins	Revise claimants ability to receive insurance information before			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1762	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1766	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1768	Ins	Eliminate prior authorization			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1770	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1805	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1814	Ins	Require insurance companies to provide coverage to in-home			status		Andrea Olsen	Non-Revenue
	LC1861	Ins	Revise insurance and vision plan laws			status		Daniel Zolnikov	Non-Revenue
	LC1862	Ins	Revise insurance and vision plan laws			status		Daniel Zolnikov	Non-Revenue
	LC1931	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Courtenay Sprunger	Non-Revenue
	LC1970	Ins	Revise dental insurance relating to patient's reimbursement			status		Jane Gillette	Non-Revenue
	LC1986	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Braxton Mitchell	Non-Revenue
	LC1987	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Braxton Mitchell	Non-Revenue
	LC2185	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Bill Mercer	Non-Revenue
	LC2186	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Bill Mercer	Non-Revenue
	LC2187	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Bill Mercer	Non-Revenue
	LC2272	CIV, CORT	Establish a time limit for service of process		Bill Draft text	status		Brandon Ler	Non-Revenue
	LC2310	Ins	Establish a Montana workforce housing credit			status		George Nikolakakos	Revenue

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	LC2478	Ins	Generally revise health insurance laws related to pharmacy benefit			status		Ross Fitzgerald	Non-Revenue
	LC2479	Ins	Revise continuing educ. course laws and eliminate insurance advisory council			status		Ross Fitzgerald	Non-Revenue
	LC2483	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Ross Fitzgerald	Non-Revenue
	LC2522	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Greg Oblander	Non-Revenue
	LC2523	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Greg Oblander	Non-Revenue
	LC2573	CIV, COURT, LIA	Revise offer of settlement law			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2578	COURT, ENVP	Generally revise natural resource laws			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2659	Ins	Revise insurance laws relating to duty to defend		Bill Draft text	status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2660	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2661	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2662	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2663	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Steve Fitzpatrick	Non-Revenue
	LC2764	Ins	Generally revise insurance and insurance companies laws			status		Brad Barker	Non-Revenue
	LC2875	Ins	Revise insurance law			status		Steven Galloway	Non-Revenue
	LC2879	WC	Revise workers compensation laws			status		Steven Galloway	Non-Revenue
	LC2880	WC	Revise laws related to the Montana State Fund			status		Steven Galloway	Non-Revenue
	LC2900	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Kerri Seekins-Crowe	Non-Revenue
	LC2901	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Kerri Seekins-Crowe	Non-Revenue
	LC3025	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws			status		Daniel Zolnikov	Non-Revenue
	LC3051	Sec	Create a Sovereign Bank of Montana			status		Joe Read	Non-Revenue

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	LC3151	WC	Generally revised laws relating to vaccine injury compensation		Bill Draft text	status		Steve Gist	Non-Revenue
	LC3162	Ins	Generally revise insurance laws		Bill Draft text	status		Derek Harvey	Non-Revenue
	LC3179	WC	Review workers compensation laws to increase benefits		Bill Draft text	status		Derek Harvey	Revenue
	LC3180	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Derek Harvey	Non-Revenue
	LC3202	Ins	Generally revise laws regarding health/disability insurance for first responders			status		Steve Gist	Non-Revenue
	LC3274	Ins	Regulate health insurers administration of pharmacy benefits for consumers			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3296	Ins	Revise business liability laws			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3302	Ins	Provide for deductible security for state employees health insurance			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3303	Ins	Provide for health care sharing programs			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3306	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3307	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3308	Ins	Revise health insurance laws			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3313	Ins	Revise out-of-network billing procedures			status		Matt Regier	Non-Revenue
	LC3478		Generally revise insurance and insurance company laws			status		Bob Keenan	Non-Revenue
	LC3569	Ins	Generally revise auto repair requirements			status		Wendy McKamey	Non-Revenue
	LC3593	Ins	Generally revise vehicle repair laws			status		Wendy McKamey	Non-Revenue
	LC3715	WC	Revise workers compensation laws			status		Pat Flowers	Non-Revenue
	LC3720	Ins	Revise insurance laws			status		Pat Flowers	Non-Revenue

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	LC3721	Ins	Revise health insurance laws			status		Pat Flowers	Non-Revenue
	LC3879	Ins	Generally revise insurance			status		Eric Matthews	Non-Revenue
	LC3880	Ins	Generally revise insurance			status		Eric Matthews	Non-Revenue
	LC3930	Ins	Create a mini-COBRA law for small employer health insurance		Bill Draft text	status		Mark Thane	Non-Revenue
	LC3945	WC	Generally revise workers' compensation laws			status		Nelly Nicol	Non-Revenue
	LC3969	Ins	Revise health insurance laws			status		Jane Gillette	Non-Revenue
	LC4073	Ins	Generally revise health insurance laws			status		Dennis Lenz	Non-Revenue
	LC4134	Ins	Require insurance coverage for all gender-affirming care			status		Laurie Bishop	Non-Revenue
	LC4253	Ins	Generally revise school insurance laws			status		Wendy McKamey	Non-Revenue
	LC4254	Ins	Generally revise school insurance laws			status		Wendy McKamey	Non-Revenue
	LC4291	Ins	Revise navigator certification laws			status		Mary Caferro	Non-Revenue
	LC4297	Ins	Generally revise school employee health insurance laws			status		Dave Fern	Non-Revenue
	LC4323	Ins	Revise insurance requirements for diabets self-management			status		Marta Bertoglio	Non-Revenue
	LC4327	Ins	Generally revise Unfair Trade Practices Act		Bill Draft text	status		Daniel Salomon	Non-Revenue
	LC4333	Ins	Generally revise laws related to insurance and vehicle theft			status		Ross Fitzgerald	Non-Revenue
	LC4419	Ins	Generally revise local government investment group laws			status	Larry Brewster	Larry Brewster	Non-Revenue
	LC4438	Ins	Generally revised insurance laws related to Medicare			Status		Mary Anne Dunwell	Non-Revenue
	LC4513	CORT, PROP, TORT	Revise statute of limitations laws relating to real property			status		Kerri Seekins-Crowe	Non-Revenue
	LC4516	Ins	Generally revise health insurance coverage laws			status		Jodi Etchart	Non-Revenue

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	LC4539	Ins	Revise funeral insurance laws		Bill Draft text	status		Nelly Nicol	Non- Revenue