

OFFICE OF THE STATE PUBLIC DEFENDER  
2011 LEGISLATIVE SESSION ACTIVITY (As of February 22, 2011)

	Bill Number	Sponsor	Item	Transmittal Status		Fiscal Note		Overall Status
				Pre	Post	OPD Estimate	Alive	
<b>I Montana Public Defender Commission Requested Bills</b>								
a	HB 96	Rep. Menahan	Agency charges fees in certain cases	Passed the House	Sen Judiciary hearing 3/2	\$	14,000	Revenue bill
b	SB 147	Sen. Facey	Access to jails	Tabled				
c	HB 97	Rep. Menahan	Appellate separation	Passed the House	Sen Judiciary hearing 3/2			
d	LC 382		Flat fee contracts	On hold				

	Bill Number	Sponsor	Item	Status - Both Chambers	FY 2012 Amounts		FY 2013 Amounts	
					Request	Approved	Request	Approved
a	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	OPD Budget (without payroll increases)	Approved by Governor - Nov 2010	\$ 24,339,446	\$ 21,848,230	\$ 23,475,458	\$ 21,771,045
b	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	Appropriations Subcommittee Hearings	Executive action 1/31/11	21,848,230	20,674,989	21,771,045	20,609,313
c	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	Appropriations Subcommittee Hearings	Section Closed 2/14/11	21,848,230	20,974,989	21,771,045	20,909,313
d	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	House Appropriations	May begin as early as March 2				
e	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	House Floor	TBD				
f	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	Senate Finance	TBD				
g	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	Senate Floor	TBD				
h	HB 2	Rep. McNutt	Conference Committee	TBD				

III Supplemental Bill				FY 2011 Request	Approved
HB	3	Rep. Mehlhoff	Additional funding for 2011 Biennium	\$ 850,000	

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a	SB 15	Sen. Jent	Aggravated DUI	Passed the Senate	Transmitted to the House	\$ 39,900	Yes	
b	HB 146	Rep. Peterson	Increase penalties for DUI	Awaiting executive action		520,800	Yes	Revenue bill
c	SB 187	Sen. Shockley	Revise public defender laws	Awaiting executive action		1,126,210	Yes	Revenue bill
d	HB 299	Rep. Hansen	3rd DUI is a felony	Awaiting executive action		77,400	Yes	Revenue bill
e	HB 109	Rep. MacDonald	Revise sex offender laws	Tabled		48,600	No	

V Legislative Finance Committee Bills								
LC	181	LFC	Local ordinances	Cancelled by LFC		-		
SB	50	LFC/Sen. Gallus	Reduce jail time for certain misdemeanors	Tabled		(505,200)	No	

VI Other								
a	HB 33	Rep. Peterson	Impaired driving per se	Tabled		Unable to Q	No	
b	SB 153	Sen. Jent	Guardian Ad litem	Passed Senate	Transmitted to the House	Unable to Q	Yes	
c	SB 185	Sen. Wanzenried	Abolish Death Penalty	Passed Senate	Transmitted to the House	Unable to Q	Yes	

VII Total 2013 Biennium Funding By Fiscal Year

<p><b>Budget Scheduled:</b> All in the Capitol</p>	<p><b>Joint policy/budget presentation</b> Budget hearings - Subcommittee Subcommittee - close section House Appropriations</p>	<p><b>January 6 at 8 am</b> <b>January 11 at 8 am</b> <b>February 14 at 10 am</b> <b>Sometime week of 3/1</b></p>
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