

1 SENATE BILL NO. 15  
2 INTRODUCED BY T. MCGILLVRAY  
3 BY REQUEST OF THE SENATE SELECT COMMITTEE ON JUDICIAL OVERSIGHT AND REFORM  
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5 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT PROVIDING FOR ADDITIONAL GROUNDS FOR THE  
6 IMPEACHMENT OF OFFICERS; AND AMENDING SECTION 5-5-401, MCA."

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8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:  
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10 **Section 1.** Section 5-5-401, MCA, is amended to read:

11 **"5-5-401. Officers liable to impeachment.** The governor, executive officers, heads of state  
12 departments, ~~and~~ judicial officers, and legislators are liable to impeachment for felonies, ~~and misdemeanors or~~  
13 ~~malfeasance in corruption, incompetence, negligence in the performance of one's duties, willful neglect of duty,~~  
14 oppressive use of one's office, or misconduct in one's office."

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