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HOUSE BILL NO. 124

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A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REVISING BICYCLE LAWS; PROVIDING THAT BICYCLES MUST BE RIDDEN OPPOSITE THE FLOW OF TRAFFIC UNLESS RIDDEN WITH A FLAG VEHICLE ESCORT; AND REPEALING SECTIONS 61-8-602 AND 61-8-605, MCA."

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

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Riding on roadways. (1) A person operating a bicycle on a roadway without a flag vehicle escort shall ride opposite the flow of traffic.

(2) A person operating a bicycle on a roadway with a flag vehicle escort shall ride with the flow of traffic.

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Repealer. The following sections of the Montana Code Annotated are repealed:

61-8-602. Traffic laws applicable to persons operating bicycles or mopeds.

61-8-605. Riding on roadways.

NEW SECTION. Section 3. Codification instruction. [Section 1] is intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 61, chapter 8, part 6, and the provisions of Title 61, chapter 8, part 6, apply to [section 1].

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