

1 YMCA YOUTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

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4 House Bill Number 343 Legislative Action:
5 Introduced By: Sarah Webb House of Committee: _____
6 Authored By: Sarah Webb House: _____
7 Senate Committee: _____
8 Delegation: Bozeman High School Senate: _____
9 Governor: _____

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11 Referred to Committee: House Education Committee

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14 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO STOP UNWANTED RECRUITMENT:

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16 **Section 1. Intent.** To prevent military recruiters from targeting students who do not wish to seek
17 a military career.

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19 **Section 2. Findings.** Military recruiters most commonly target graduating high schoolers, who
20 often times have no interest in joining the military. Additionally, money is wasted on printing
21 and mailing pamphlets to students who do not have any interest in the military.

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23 **Section 3. Action.** Rather than having students turn in a "Military Opt Out Form," those who
24 wish to receive information on the military and its options can turn in a "Military Opt In Form."
25 This will allow students who are interested in receiving the information to continue to do so,
26 while protecting those who do not wish to receive this information.

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28 **Section 4. Funding.** Any necessary funds will come from the general fund which currently
29 contains \$12.5 billion.

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31 **Section 5. Enforcement.** Enforcement will be through the Montana State Government.

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33 **Section 6. Enactment Date.** This act will become effective at the start of the next school year.

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