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Proponents for the Institution of Montana Prostitution

Prostitution, while often criticized as immoral, is “the world’s oldest profession.” Regardless of the law prostitution has persisted, and will continue to do so. Because of the inevitability of prostitution, we advocate that it become not only legal, but that prostitution is also institutionalized and monitored by government agencies. The legalization of prostitution will not only afford benefits to the men and women employed in the business, but will improve Montana society as a whole.

The legalization of prostitution will realize two major goals. First, by legalizing prostitution, prostitutes themselves will be protected by the law. These men and women will then be able to work in safe and clean environments. In Great Britain a law was passed legalizing brothels with up to three prostitutes. These brothels allow prostitutes to work under an employer’s supervision, and protection. This will help to lessen the threat of serious bodily injury and death.

Legalizing prostitution will help reach a second goal, the betterment of Montana. Once prostitution is established as a legal institution, the brothels can be taxed. These tax dollars can flow back into the community, and can even aid in the process of educating prostitutes. Great Britain is already seeing the monetary benefits of legalized prostitution.

Prostitution will always be a factor in society. In order to regulate prostitution, protect prostitutes, and benefit Montana, prostitution needs to be legalized.