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| 1  | SENATE BILL NO. 484  |
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| 2  | INTRODUCED BY E. BOLDMAN   |
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| 4  | A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT GENERALLY REVISING LAWS RELATED TO TICKET SALES;                                     |
| 5  | LIMITING ADDITIONAL CHARGES TO BASE TICKET PRICES; AND PROVIDING FOR A MISDEMEANOR                                       |
| 6  | RELATED TO ADDITIONAL CHARGES."  |
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| 8  | BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:  |
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| 10 | NEW SECTION. Section 1. Ticket speculators. (1) A person may not sell, offer for sale, or attempt                        |
| 11 | to sell any ticket, privilege, or license of admission to an entertainment event in this state, including but not        |
| 12 | limited to a place of public amusement, arena, stadium, theatre, performance, sport, exhibition, or athletic             |
| 13 | contest, at a price greater than the price, including tax, printed on the ticket and with a service charge for           |
| 14 | services actually rendered exceeding \$3 or 10% of the price printed on the ticket, whichever is greater.                |
| 15 | (2) The owner or operator of the property on which an entertainment event is to be held or is being                      |
| 16 | held may authorize, in writing, a person to sell a ticket, privilege, or license of admission at a price in excess of    |
| 17 | that authorized under this section. The written authorization must specify the price for which the ticket, privilege,    |
| 18 | or license of admission may be sold.   |
| 19 | (3) A person violating a provision of this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and may be fined no                        |
| 20 | more than \$1,000 for each offense.  |
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| 22 | NEW SECTION. Section 2. Codification instruction. [Section 1] is intended to be codified as an                           |
| 23 | integral part of Title 30, chapter 14, part 2, and the provisions of Title 30, chapter 14, part 2, apply to [section 1]. |
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