_____ BILL NO. _____

INTRODUCED BY _____
(Primary Sponsor)

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT REQUIRING THE SUICIDE PREVENTION LIFELINE PHONE NUMBER TO BE PRINTED ON STUDENT IDENTIFICATION CARDS; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND AN APPLICABILITY DATE."

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

NEW SECTION. **Section 1. Suicide prevention 988 lifeline on school identification cards.** A school district that issues identification cards to students in any grades 7 through 12 must include the 988 suicide and crisis lifeline telephone number on the front or back of student identification cards.

NEW SECTION. **Section 2. Codification instruction.** [Section 1] is intended to be codified as an integral part of Title 20, chapter 7, part 13, and the provisions of Title 20, chapter 7, part 13, apply to [section 1].

NEW SECTION. **Section 3. Effective date.** [This act] is effective July 1, 2027.

NEW SECTION. **Section 4. Applicability.** [This act] applies to student identification cards printed after [the effective date of this act]. A school district is not required to reprint school identification cards printed before [the effective date of this act].

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