DRAFTER'S NOTE FROM THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

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Please review this draft carefully to ensure that it conforms to your intent.

The prohibition in this draft is based on a marked–up version of a Montana statute, s. 82-4-390, Mont. Code Anno., that was submitted to me. The definition is from s. 82-4-303 (4), Mont. Code Anno.

I do not know whether there are other mining processes that use cyanide or cyanide compounds. You might wish to discuss the technical aspects of this proposal with experts on metallic mining.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions about the draft or with redraft instructions.

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