

MT Lawmaker Wants to Charge Yogis with Indecent Exposure

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In Montana, one lawmaker proposed that [tight fitting yoga pants should be illegal](#).

It's still unclear whether or not Congressman David Moore thinks all yogis are criminals, or if he is just not a fan of spandex. One thing is for certain: Moore felt that anyone found wearing tight fitting pants should face dire criminal charges.

Luckily for Montana, the judicial committee laughed at David Moore's proposal and rightfully so, because [indecent exposure](#) is a serious crime. The bill was unanimously tabled by Members of the House Judiciary Committee.

Bill 365's consideration is now suspended indefinitely, hopefully never to be brought up again.

What prompted this outlandish proposal?

The Bill was thought up after Moore and a retired professor Walt Hill witnessed the "Bare as you Dare" bicycle event which occurred last summer in Montana. Apparently, participants in the event rode through downtown on their bicycles wearing as little clothing as possible, some completely naked.

City officials allowed the nude bikers to ride, fearing that denying the group their event permit would breach free speech laws.

Penalties for Indecent Exposure in Arizona

Someone convicted of indecent exposure three times in Montana can face life in jail and a fine of \$10,000.

In Arizona, indecent exposure is a class 1 [misdemeanor](#) if the person exposed is over 15-years-old; if the person exposed is under 15, the charge becomes a class 6 felony. Either way, it's not a charge you want to have on your record.

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