

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0036

WYDOT consultant-public communications.

Sponsored by: Joint Transportation and Highways Interim
Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the department of transportation;
2 providing for a consulting firm to help the department of
3 transportation develop a statewide public safety mobile
4 communications plan; providing an appropriation; and
5 providing for an effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** An independent consulting firm shall be
10 retained to help the department of transportation develop a
11 statewide public safety mobile communications plan. The
12 consulting firm shall provide independent, objective and
13 credible recommendations; technical expertise on
14 commercially available public safety mobile communications
15 technology and standards; operational and organizational
16 expertise relating to public safety communications;

1 administrative support for meetings and documentation; and,
2 cost estimates to make any needed changes identified. The
3 consulting firm shall not be a potential hardware, software
4 or system integration service provider.

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6 **Section 2.** Three hundred thousand dollars
7 (\$300,000.00) is appropriated to the public safety mobile
8 communications plan account within the state highway fund
9 from the general fund for the purpose of retaining an
10 independent consulting firm.

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12 **Section 3.** This act is effective immediately upon
13 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law
14 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
15 Constitution.

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17 (END)