

ORIGINAL HOUSE  
BILL NO. 0019

ENROLLED ACT NO. 39, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING  
2010 BUDGET SESSION

AN ACT relating to department of corrections inmates; requiring savings accounts for inmates in the custody of the department of corrections as specified; and providing for an effective date.

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

**Section 1.** W.S. 7-16-205(a) by creating a new paragraph (i) and by renumbering (i) as (iii) and (iii) as (v) and (v) as (vi) is amended to read:

**7-16-205. Disposition of earnings; confidentiality of amount.**

(a) Payment for services performed by any prisoner under W.S. 7-16-202 shall be deposited in the trust and agency account at the institution and shall be disbursed for the purposes provided in this subsection and in the order specified:

(i) Unless the prisoner is serving a sentence of death or life without the possibility of parole or is subject to mandatory savings under W.S. 25-13-107(b)(i), ten percent (10%) shall be credited to the prisoner's personal savings account within the correctional facility's trust and agency account, until the prisoner's account has a balance of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00). Once the prisoner's personal savings account balance reaches one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), the income otherwise distributed to the prisoner's savings account under this paragraph shall be distributed to the prisoner as provided by paragraphs (ii) through (vi) of this subsection. Funds in the prisoner's personal savings account shall be paid to the prisoner upon parole or final discharge;

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~~(i)~~(iii) Personal necessities and assessments of fees for programs, services and assistance pursuant to subsection (e) of this section;

~~(iii)~~(v) Court ordered restitution, fines, sanctions and reimbursement for the services of public defender or court appointed counsel, the surcharge imposed under W.S. 1-40-119 and victims compensation obligations under W.S. 1-40-112(g);

~~(v)~~(vi) Remaining funds shall be paid the prisoner upon parole or final discharge.

**Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2010.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Governor

TIME APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.

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Chief Clerk