

SF0037

Wyoming energy authority.

Sponsored By: Joint Minerals, Business & Economic Development Interim Committee

AN ACT relating to the administration of government; creating the Wyoming energy authority by merging the Wyoming pipeline authority and the Wyoming infrastructure authority; repealing superseded provisions; conforming provisions related to the two existing authorities; providing for the transfer of funds and obligations; requiring a study; providing for delayed implementation; and providing for effective dates.

12/26/2018 Bill Number Assigned
1/8/2019 S Received for Introduction
1/9/2019 S Introduced and Referred to S09 - Minerals
1/15/2019 S09 - Minerals:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 4-1-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Biteman, Rothfuss, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator Coe

Ayes 4 Nays 1 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

1/15/2019 S Placed on General File

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Page 3-line 13 After "obligations" insert "and changes that may incentivize increased utilization of bonds".

Page 3-after line 17 Insert:

"(d) Not later than May 15, 2019, the executive director of the Wyoming infrastructure authority shall prepare a plan for reorganization of the authorities and the offices, programs and functions specified in this section and submit it to the joint minerals, business and economic development interim committee for consideration during its first interim committee meeting of 2019.".

Page 9-line 11 After "energy," insert "carbon dioxide capture and transportation infrastructure,".

Page 9-line 13 After "therein;" delete "and".

Page 9-after line 13 Insert:

"(ii) Consolidate energy staff and functions existing in the state energy program and take actions to administer the state energy program, including:

(A) Seek federal grants and loans;

(B) Seek to participate in applicable federal programs; and

(C) In accordance with applicable federal program guidelines, administer federally funded state energy programs.

(iii) Assist with obtaining financing and funding for energy projects through the use or combination of bonding authority, grants, loans and private and institutional investors, and assist with the creation of new financing products;

(iv) Provide assistance with permitting, siting and other regulatory requirements;

(v) Develop and administer programs providing education on energy resources and emerging technologies including tours, academic programs and communication plans;

(vi) Engage with international and domestic stakeholders on potential market opportunities, energy projects and technology development that will increase the value of Wyoming energy and associated natural resources;

(vii) In consultation with the joint minerals, business and economic development interim committee and the governor, develop, administer, update and communicate the Wyoming energy strategy;".

Page 9-line 15 Delete "(ii)" and insert "(viii)".

Page 43-line 4 After "1(c)" insert "and (d)". ANDERSON, CHAIRMAN

1/15/2019 S COW:Passed
1/16/2019 S 2nd Reading:Passed
1/17/2019 S 3rd Reading:Passed 18-12-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Anselmi-Dalton, Biteman, Boner, Ellis, Gierau, Hicks, Kost, Landen, Moniz, Nethercott, Pappas, Perkins, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott, Von Flatern, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator(s) Agar, Baldwin, Bebout, Bouchard, Case, Coe, Dockstader, Driskill, Hutchings, James, Kinskey, Steinmetz

Ayes 18 **Nays** 12 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

1/22/2019 H Received for Introduction
2/1/2019 H Introduced and Referred to H09 - Minerals
2/6/2019 H09 - Minerals:Recommend Do Pass 8-1-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Burkhart, Crank, Duncan, Eyre, Furphy, Greear, Loucks, MacGuire

Nays: Representative Henderson

Ayes 8 **Nays** 1 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/6/2019 H Placed on General File
2/8/2019 H COW:Passed
2/11/2019 H 2nd Reading:Passed
2/12/2019 H 3rd Reading:Passed 58-0-2-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Barlow, Blackburn, Blake, Brown, Burkhart, Burlingame, Clausen, Clem, Clifford, Crank, Dayton-Selman, Duncan, Edwards, Eklund, Eyre, Flitner, Freeman, Furphy, Gray, Greear, Haley, Hallinan, Harshman, Henderson, Hunt, Jennings, Kinner, Kirkbride, Larsen, Laursen, Lindholm, Loucks, MacGuire, Miller, Newsome, Nicholas, Obermueller, Olsen, Paxton, Pelkey, Piiparinen, Pownall, Roscoe, Salazar, Schwartz, Simpson, Sommers, Stith, Styvar, Sweeney, Tass, Walters, Washut, Western, Wilson, Winter, Yin, Zwonitzer

Excused: Representative(s) Connolly, Northrup

Ayes 58 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 2 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/12/2019 Assigned Number SEA No. 0014
2/12/2019 S President Signed SEA No. 0014
2/13/2019 H Speaker Signed SEA No. 0014
2/15/2019 Governor Signed SEA No. 0014
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