

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. SJ1002

Health care providers support-constitutional amendment-2.

Sponsored by: Joint Judiciary Interim Committee and Joint
Labor, Health and Social Services Interim
Committee

A BILL

for

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing to amend the Wyoming
2 Constitution to allow the state and its political
3 subdivisions to lend or give credit or make donations to
4 assist in the provision of health care.

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6 *BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING,*
7 *two-thirds of all the members of the two houses, voting*
8 *separately, concurring therein:*

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10 **Section 1.** The following proposal to amend Wyoming
11 Constitution, Article 16, Section 6 is proposed for
12 submission to the electors of the State of Wyoming at the
13 next general election for approval or rejection to become
14 valid as a part of the Constitution if ratified by a
15 majority of the electors at the election:

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1 **Article 16, Section 6. Loan of credit; donations**
2 **prohibited; works of internal improvement.**

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4 Neither the state nor any county, city, township, town,
5 school district, or any other political subdivision, shall
6 loan or give its credit or make donations to or in aid of
7 any individual, association or corporation, except for
8 necessary support of the poor or to support the provision
9 of health care, nor subscribe to or become the owner of the
10 capital stock of any association or corporation, except
11 that funds of public employee retirement systems and the
12 permanent funds of the state of Wyoming may be invested in
13 such stock under conditions the legislature prescribes.
14 The state shall not engage in any work of internal
15 improvement unless authorized by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of
16 the people.

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18 **Section 2.** That the Secretary of State shall endorse
19 the following statement on the proposed amendment:

1 This amendment would enable the state and any county, city,
2 township, town, school district or any other political
3 subdivision to provide subsidies to assist in the provision
4 of health care for people who may not qualify as "poor."

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