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Section Under Consideration:

Section 067. UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING

(Endowments & Matching)

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After stricken ", 8." insert ", 10."; under 1 Page 56-line 17 2 OTHER FUNDS increase amount by "4,000,000 3 S13". 4 5 Page 63-after line 11 Insert: 6 7 "10. Of this other funds appropriation four million dollars (4,000,000.00)S13 is appropriated to the University of Wyoming to 8 9 be expended to operate and maintain nodes and staking pools for not less than three (3) publicly tradeable cryptocurrencies. The 10 university shall provide public access to the staking pools and 11 nodes and facilitate operation of the blockchains. Fees or revenues 12 generated from the operation of the nodes and staking pools shall 13 14 first be expended to cover any costs of operation and 15 administration. Fees or revenues generated in excess of the costs 16 of operation and administration shall be deposited in the strategic 17 investments and projects account up to four million dollars (\$4,000,000.00) and thereafter shall be expended to support 18 19 blockchain programs and activities at the university and community 20 colleges throughout the state. Expenditure of the funds appropriated by this footnote is conditioned upon a match of funds 21 22 in the ratio of one dollar (\$1.00) of appropriated funds to not less than two dollars (\$2.00) of matching funds from the 23 24 university's unobligated reserve accounts or from any private entity donating funds or cryptocurrency for this purpose. The 25 university is authorized to expend up to four million dollars 26 27 (\$4,000,000.00) from its unobligated reserve accounts for matching funds. This appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for 28 29 any other purpose.". 30

To the extent required by this amendment: adjust totals; and 31 renumber as necessary. YIN, DUNCAN, OLSEN, WESTERN 32