

[BUDGET(s) AFFECTED]

Section Under Consideration:

**Section 300s. ADDITION TO 300 SECTIONS**

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1 Delete the Dockstader, et al. second reading amendment  
2 (SF0001S2015/A) entirely and further amend as  
3 follows:  
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5 Page 1-line 11 After "force;" insert "providing for matching  
6 funds related to carbon capture, utilization  
7 and storage projects;"  
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9 Page 104-after line 25 Insert:

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11 "[CARBON CAPTURE, UTILIZATION AND STORAGE]  
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13 **Section 340.**  
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15 (a) There is appropriated ten million dollars  
16 (\$10,000,000.00) from the legislative stabilization reserve  
17 account to the governor's office to fund research grants and  
18 contracts related to carbon capture, utilization and storage,  
19 including coal power plant retrofit and other carbon capture,  
20 utilization and storage applications. The funds shall be expended  
21 only in accordance with the requirements of this section. Any  
22 expenditure shall be conditioned upon a match of funds in the ratio  
23 of one dollar (\$1.00) of appropriated funds to not less than one  
24 dollar (\$1.00) of matching funds from the applicant. The Wyoming  
25 energy authority shall seek applications for funding under this  
26 section, evaluate each application received and submit any  
27 recommendation for funding to the University of Wyoming's energy  
28 resources council. Upon receipt of the council's positive  
29 recommendation the authority shall submit its recommendation and  
30 a proposed agreement, approved as to form and content by the  
31 attorney general, to the governor's office. Upon receipt of a  
32 recommendation by the Wyoming energy authority, the governor's  
33 office may enter into an agreement with the applicant and expend  
34 funds under this section if the governor determines the proposal  
35 has a reasonable likelihood of:  
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1 (i) Increasing the knowledge base within the state of  
2 Wyoming on the capture, sequestration and management of carbon  
3 emissions from coal fired power plants or other carbon based power  
4 generating sources with the potential benefit of improving the  
5 future marketability of Wyoming carbon based energy sources;  
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7 (ii) Increasing the national and international exposure  
8 of the state of Wyoming and its institutions, instrumentalities  
9 and political subdivisions as participants and locations for  
10 innovation in the use of carbon based energy and carbon capture,  
11 utilization and storage applications;  
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13 (iii) Adding ancillary or supplemental value to Wyoming  
14 products or by-products; or  
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16 (iv) Inducing the development of methods or products  
17 which may advance the future use of Wyoming carbon based natural  
18 resources.  
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21 (b) The attorney general and University's energy resources  
22 council shall consult with the Wyoming energy authority regarding  
23 applications and contents of any agreement to be executed under  
24 this section at such times and in a manner as the entities  
25 determine to be most efficient to accomplish the purposes of this  
26 section.  
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28 (c) Notwithstanding W.S. 9-2-1008, 9-2-1012(e), 9-4-207 or  
29 any other provision of law, funds appropriated under this section:  
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31 (i) Shall not be transferred or expended for any other  
32 purpose;  
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34 (ii) Shall not lapse or revert until directed by the  
35 legislature."  
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37 To the extent required by this amendment: adjust totals; and  
38 renumber as necessary. DOCKSTADER, DRISKILL