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1 Page 1-above line 1 In the catch title, delete "Notice of". 2 3 Page 1-line 7 Before "requiring" insert "revising 4 provisions related to improvements made by a 5 lessee of state lands; extending the maximum 6 length of certain leases of state lands; 7 authorizing leases for residential 8 purposes;". 9 10 Page 3-lines 5 through 7 Delete entirely including the House 11 standing committee amendment (HB0171HS001/A) 12 to these lines and insert: 13 14 "Section 1. W.S. 36-5-114(a) and (d), 36-5-115, 36-9-103 and 15 36-9-105 are amended to read:". 16 17 Page 8-before line 2 Insert: 18 19 "(a) The board of land commissioners may lease for a term of not more than seventy-five (75) ninety-nine (99) years state lands 20 industrial, commercial, residential and recreational 21 for 22 purposes.". 23 24 Page 8-after line 17 Insert: 25 "36-5-115. Leasing for industrial, commercial, residential 26 27 and recreational purposes; "recreational purposes" defined. 28 As used in W.S. 36-5-114 through 36-5-117 the term "recreational 29 30 purposes" means land used for cabin sites, public camp sites, 31 public parks and recreation areas, golf courses and any associated 32 residential development, youth groups, and ski or winter sports areas and any other recreational purpose determined by the board 33 34 of land commissioners. 35 36 36-9-103. Appraisers for improvements. 37 All improvements upon If any state lands, when such lands are to 38 be sold as provided by W.S. 36-9-102, the purchaser and the owner 39 40 of any improvements on the state lands shall negotiate for a period of ninety (90) days to determine the depreciated market value of 41 42 the improvements. If the purchaser and the owner do not reach an agreement on the value of the improvements within the time period 43 44 specified by this section, the depreciated market value of the

improvements shall be appraised by three (3) disinterested persons who shall appraise the improvements separately from the lands, though they may be attached thereto. The said appraisers shall, upon application of the state land board of land commissioners, be appointed by a judge of the district court of the judicial district wherein the lands are situate situated.

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36-9-105. Purchaser to pay owner depreciated market value of improvements; receipt.

- 11 (a) If any state lands are sold upon which surface 12 improvements, including irrigation works of any kind, have been 13 made by a lessee, or for which water rights or proportionate 14 interests in irrigation, reservoirs, canals, or systems, have been acquired, the improvements, irrigation works and water rights 15 shall be appraised under the direction of the board. The purchaser 16 17 of the lands, upon which improvements and irrigation works have 18 been made, or for which water rights have been acquired as herein 19 provided for, shall pay the owner of such improvements, irrigation 20 works or water rights, as the case may be, the contributory value thereof, and take a receipt therefor, and shall deliver the receipt 21 22 to the director before he shall receive a patent or certificate of 23 purchase. All such receipts shall be filed and preserved in the office of state lands and investments. 24 For purposes of this 25 section, "contributory value" means the increased value of the 26 property after the lessee's improvements are considered. 27
- 28 (b) For improvements to state lands made under a commercial 29 or residential lease where the purpose of the lease is to develop 30 and sell the improvement, the purchaser of the lands shall pay market value for the improvement. As used in this subsection, 31 32 "market value" means the most probable amount the improvement contributes to the value of the property in a competitive and open 33 34 market under all conditions requisite to a fair sale with the buyer 35 and seller each acting prudently and knowledgeably and assuming the price is not affected by undue stimulus.". HARSHMAN, BYRON 36