ENROLLED ACT NO. 86, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING 2023 GENERAL SESSION

AN ACT relating to state lands; providing that thirty (30) days notice shall be given before the lease of state lands; requiring rulemaking; and providing for effective dates.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

**Section 1.** W.S. 36-5-114(d) is amended to read:

- 36-5-114. Leasing for industrial, commercial, residential and recreational purposes; authority; rental fees; rules and regulations.
- (d) The board shall promulgate rules and regulations implementing policies, procedures and standards for the long-term leasing of state lands for industrial, commercial and recreational purposes under the provisions of W.S. 36-5-114 through 36-5-117, including provisions requiring compliance with all applicable land use planning and zoning laws and permitting the board to terminate a lease for good cause shown. When the office of state lands and investments initiates a request for a proposed leasing of state lands, the office shall require not less than thirty (30) days notice be provided:
- $\underline{\text{(i)}}$  On the website of the office of state lands and investments;
- (ii) In a newspaper of general circulation in the county or counties where the state lands are to be leased; and
- (iii) To current lessees of the state lands and owners of adjoining lands by certified mail.

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**Section 2.** The board of land commissioners shall promulgate all rules necessary to implement the provisions of this act.

## Section 3.

Chief Clerk

- (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, this act is effective July 1, 2023.
- (b) Sections 2 and 3 of this act are effective immediately upon the completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

Speaker of the House President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_
I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.