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Page 1-line 3 After "specified;" insert "authorizing a position; providing an appropriation; specifying a contingency;".

Page 2-after line 16 Insert:

"Section 2.

(a) Subject to subsection (c) of this section, the secretary of state is authorized up to one (1) full-time position for the period beginning with the effective date of this act and ending June 30, 2026 for purposes of implementing this act. It is the intent of the legislature that the secretary of state include this full-time position in its standard budget request for the immediately succeeding fiscal biennium.

(b) Subject to subsection (c) of this section, there is appropriated ninety-three thousand one hundred seventy-nine dollars (\$93,179.00) from the general fund to the secretary of state for the period beginning with the effective date of this act and ending June 30, 2026 to be expended only for the purposes of funding the position authorized in subsection (a) of this section. This appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for any other purpose and any unexpended, unobligated funds remaining from this appropriation shall revert as provided by law on June 30, 2026. It is the intent of the legislature that this appropriation be doubled and included in the standard budget request of the secretary of state for the immediately succeeding fiscal biennium.

(c) The authorization and appropriation under subsections (a) and (b) of this section shall not be effective if 2025 House Bill 0001 or Senate File 0001, as enacted into law, authorizes at least one (1) additional full-time position for the secretary of state compared to the number of positions authorized in 2024 Wyoming Session Laws, Chapter 118, Section 002.".

Page 2-line 18 Delete "Section 2." and insert "Section 3.".
HEINER, CHAIRMAN