

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0055

Funding for substance abuse.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Loucks

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to alcohol; specifying that certain funds  
2 generated from alcohol shall be used for long-term  
3 substance abuse programs as specified; and providing for an  
4 effective date.

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

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 12-2-302(a) and by creating a new  
9 subsection (c) is amended to read:

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11 **12-2-302. Collection of excise taxes; disposition of**  
12 **revenue and fees.**

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14 (a) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the  
15 commission shall collect all excise taxes provided by this  
16 title relating to alcoholic and malt beverages for deposit  
17 into the general fund.

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2       (c) Fifteen percent (15%) of the excise taxes  
3 collected by the commission under W.S. 12-3-101(a) and  
4 fifteen percent (15%) of the net profits collected under  
5 W.S. 12-2-303 shall be transferred to the state treasurer  
6 who shall deposit the funds into a substance abuse account  
7 which is hereby created within the special revenue fund.  
8 Monies within the substance abuse account shall be used  
9 only upon legislative appropriation to the department of  
10 health for long-term substance abuse prevention, assessment  
11 and treatment programs as specified in the legislation  
12 making the appropriation.

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14       **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2014.

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