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INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE BILL NO. [BILL NUMBER]

State construction department-amendments.

Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the state construction department;  
2 providing for an operations division as specified;  
3 providing for standard, base and exception budget request  
4 processes for state appropriations to the state  
5 construction department; repealing conflicting provisions;  
6 and providing for an effective date.

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

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10 **Section 1.** W.S. 9-2-3002(a) by creating a new  
11 paragraph (iii), 9-2-3003(b) and 9-2-3005(a) are amended to  
12 read:

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1           **9-2-3002. Department divisions.**

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3           (a) The department shall consist of the following  
4 divisions:

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6                   (iii) Operations division.

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8           **9-2-3003. Director and division administrators;  
9 appointment; removal.**

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11           (b) With the approval of the governor, the director  
12 may appoint administrators for ~~each of~~ the divisions  
13 established by W.S. 9-2-3002(a)(i) and (ii). The governor  
14 may remove the director and division administrators as  
15 provided in W.S. 9-1-202.

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17           **9-2-3005. Department budget.**

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19           (a) The department shall ~~not~~ develop ~~or~~ and use a  
20 standard budget, base budget and exception budget as  
21 provided in W.S. ~~9-2-1002~~ 9-2-1010 through 9-2-1014. ~~The~~  
22 ~~department of administration and information budget~~  
23 ~~division shall transmit on or before August 15 of each odd~~

1 ~~numbered year, to the state construction department its~~  
 2 ~~budget as approved by the legislature for the previous~~  
 3 ~~biennium. The director of the department shall develop an~~  
 4 ~~estimated budget for the subsequent fiscal biennium by~~  
 5 ~~revising the current budget, taking into account the duties~~  
 6 ~~and functions of the department and the most efficient~~  
 7 ~~means of performing those duties and functions and prepare~~  
 8 ~~and submit to the department of administration and~~  
 9 ~~information an estimated budget for the subsequent fiscal~~  
 10 ~~biennium. The estimated budget shall identify differences~~  
 11 ~~from the current budget, itemizing and explaining in~~  
 12 ~~writing the reason for each change.~~

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14 **Section 2.** W.S. 9-2-3005(b) through (f) is repealed.

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 18 **STAFF COMMENT**

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20 **The provisions repealed above in Section 2 are as follows:**

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22 **(b) The information developed in budget documents**  
23 **shall include:**

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25 **(i) Appropriations or other allotted revenues**  
 26 **authorized to the department including all types of revenue**  
 27 **regardless of source and final fund destination, federal**  
 28 **fund identification and expected length of continuance of**  
 29 **the federal funding;**

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1           (ii) Expenditures, obligations, encumbrances and  
2 balances of funds appropriated to the department from  
3 whatever source derived;

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5           (iii) Estimates of revenues and future needs of  
6 the department;

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8           (iv) Program changes, descriptions and  
9 activities of the department;

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11           (v) An explanation of and reasons for  
12 anticipated receipts and expenditures of the department;

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14           (vi) An assurance that the budget estimate was  
15 prepared in accordance with the department plan prepared  
16 according to W.S. 28-1-115 and 28-1-116;

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18           (vii) Recommended transfers of appropriations  
19 and positions from other agencies within the executive  
20 branch to the state construction department.

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22           (c) On or before September 15 of each odd numbered  
23 year the director shall return the completed estimated  
24 budget to the department of administration and information.

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26           (d) The director of the department of administration  
27 and information and administrator of the budget division  
28 after compiling the requested budget estimate and related  
29 information shall include the estimated budget with those  
30 collected from the several agencies of the state and shall  
31 submit the overall state budget estimate and related  
32 information along with their comments and recommendations  
33 to the governor no later than November 1 of each year.

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35           (e) The governor may, upon examining the budget  
36 estimate and requests and after consultation with the  
37 director of the state construction department approve,  
38 disapprove, alter or revise the estimate and requests in  
39 accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

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41           (f) The submission of the department's budget and  
42 expenditures therefrom, including preparation of  
43 supplemental budgets for presentation in general sessions  
44 shall be made within the time frame of W.S. 9-2-1012 and

1 shall otherwise be in accordance with the provisions of  
2 W.S. 9-2-1002 through 9-2-1014.

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6       **Section 3.** This act is effective immediately upon  
7 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law  
8 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming  
9 Constitution.

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