

[BUDGET AFFECTED]

Budget(s) : **Addition to 300 Sections**

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Page 146-After line 11 Insert the following new section and
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"[COMMUNITY COLLEGES - FUNDING MODEL FOR STATE APPROPRIATIONS]

Section 355.

(a) Not later than September 1, 2015, the joint appropriations interim committee shall review the funding model for community colleges and determine whether the model requires improvement or change. The report shall either recommend a new funding formula or recommend the structure of a task force to review the model. In such consideration, the committee shall determine if local limits on college expansion of facilities and programs should be limited to legislative oversight so as to regulate growth among community colleges.

(b) The joint appropriations interim committee shall review relative wage growth at community colleges and the university of Wyoming and recommend appropriate biennial increases in salary amounts for higher education facilities. The committee may develop legislation for introduction in the 2016 budget session, with the assistance of the community college commission and other interested parties, which establishes:

(i) A funding model based on sustainable revenue sources for supplemental funding of community colleges; and

(ii) The format and content of the community college commission's standard budget, as defined in W.S. 9-2-1002."

To the extent required by this amendment: adjust totals; and
renumber as necessary. LANDEN