

1 Page 1-line 10 Delete "42-4-407" insert "42-4-406".
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3 Page 2-line 7 Delete "or state plan amendment".
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5 Page 2-line 16 Delete "Benefits" insert "Copayments".
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7 Page 2-line 17 After "similar to" insert "the premiums,
8 deductibles and copayments in".
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10 Page 2-line 18 Delete "to the extent".
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12 Page 3-after line 9 Insert and renumber:
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14 "(iii) "Personal health and wellness account" or
15 "PHWA" means an account similar to a health savings account,
16 administered by the department or the department's agent, that
17 includes a beneficiary's contributions and state contributions
18 on behalf of the beneficiary, and used for the beneficiary's
19 health related cost-sharing expenses as required under this
20 article;".
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22 Page 3-line 11 Delete "(iii)" insert "(iv)".
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24 Page 3-lines 15 through 22 Delete and renumber.
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26 Page 5-line 6 Delete "above one hundred percent (100%)
27 and".
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29 Page 5-line 13 After "income" insert "."; delete "and
30 shall".
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32 Page 5-line 14 Delete.
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34 Page 5-line 15 Delete through "plan.".
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36 Page 5-line 16 Delete ", including premiums and
37 copayments,".
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39 Page 5-line 18 After "income" insert ". Copayments and
40 deductibles paid through the PHWA or
41 directly by Medicaid if the PHWA is
42 insufficient shall not be charged against
43 the five percent (5%) limit. Enhanced
44 premiums due to Medicaid payment of

1 copayment and deductibles shall be subject
2 to the five percent (5%) limit".
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4 Page 5-line 22 After "program" insert "and the amount in
5 the participant's PHWA contributed from
6 state or federal funds shall be reduced to
7 zero. After each of the first two (2)
8 missed payments, the participant shall be
9 informed in writing of the consequences of
10 failing to pay the premiums for ninety (90)
11 days and shall be advised in writing of the
12 date by which his full premium payment shall
13 be due".
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15 Page 6-line 3 Delete "a premium discount" insert "an
16 enhancement to their PHWA balances as set
17 forth in the waiver."
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19 Page 6-line 4 Delete.
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21 Page 6-line 6 After "**expansion**" insert "." and delete
22 balance of line.
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24 Page 6-line 7 Delete.
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26 Page 6-line 10 After "plan" insert "or implement a waiver".
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28 Page 6-line 14 After "(VIII)," insert "who have an income
29 up to one hundred thirty-three percent
30 (133%) of the federal poverty level".
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32 Page 7-lines 5 through 13 Delete and insert:
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34 "(i) All participants in Medicaid expansion pursuant
35 to this article shall pay the premiums pursuant to this act and
36 shall be furnished an individual PHWA. The premiums received
37 from the individual participant shall be deposited in that
38 individual's PHWA;
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40 (ii) All copayments and deductibles owed for covered
41 services shall be deducted from the individual's PHWA and paid
42 by Medicaid. All covered services after the copayments and
43 deductibles shall be paid by Medicaid. If the PHWA has
44 insufficient funds, Medicaid shall pay the copayments and the
45 individual's contributions to the PHWA shall be increased by
46 fifty percent (50%) for each one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) or

1 fraction thereof that Medicaid pays, provided the increase shall
2 be limited by the cost sharing limits provided by this article.

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4 (iii) Each individual's PHWA shall begin with a
5 balance of five hundred dollars (\$500.00). An amount of fifty
6 dollars (\$50.00) per month shall be added to the PHWA for each
7 month for which the PHWA balance is below two thousand five
8 hundred dollars (\$2,500.00). All funds in the PHWA shall be the
9 property of the state of Wyoming;

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11 (iv) If an individual leaves the Medicaid program,
12 the individual shall retain the PHWA for a period of one (1)
13 year. The individual may use any PHWA balance above six hundred
14 dollars (\$600.00) to pay premiums, deductibles and copayments on
15 private insurance plans qualified under the Patient Protection
16 and Affordable Care Act, Public Law 111-148, and the Health Care
17 and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010, Public Law 111-152, or
18 employer sponsored insurance. The waiver shall provide that the
19 federal government shall reimburse the state or otherwise pay
20 for these expenditures from the PHWA using the enhanced federal
21 medical assistance percentage. If the waiver does not so
22 provide, the state shall not agree to the waiver.

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24 (v) If an individual reenrolls in Medicaid within one
25 (1) year of leaving the program, the individual shall resume
26 using the PHWA and the state shall resume contributing to it.
27 If the individual reenrolls after one (1) year, the individual
28 shall have a new PHWA with a new initial balance and regular
29 monthly contributions as provided in this section.

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31 (d) Negotiating the waiver for the program provided by
32 this article shall be the responsibility of the governor. The
33 governor may appoint a task force to assist him and may delegate
34 all functions to the task force except for final approval of the
35 negotiated waiver. The task force shall consist of any state
36 employees and contractors the governor deems appropriate except
37 that the chairman or director of the task force shall not be an
38 employee of the department of health.

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40 (e) The task force created by this section shall have
41 the responsibility, under the direction of the governor, to
42 administer the PHWA portion of the waiver, including enrolling
43 new participants in the PHWA and educating participants in the
44 working of the PHWA. The task force shall carry out this
45 responsibility through contracts with private insurance carriers
46 or third party administration, subject to the following:

1 (i) Contracts shall be awarded pursuant to
2 requests for proposals, following to the extent practical the
3 normal state contracting processes;

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5 (ii) The bidders may be limited to those
6 companies, or a subset of those companies, offering a qualified
7 health plan pursuant to 42 U.S.C. section 18031 in Wyoming to
8 individuals or small groups;

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10 (iii) Contracts may be awarded to multiple
11 bidders and the department is encouraged to award multiple
12 contracts to give Medicaid clients a choice;

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14 (iv) Contracts shall include the administration
15 of the PHWA accounts;

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17 (v) Contracts shall include provisions for
18 financial reporting and payment of contractors as the federal
19 government may reasonably require in the Medicaid coverage
20 agreement negotiated pursuant to this section;

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22 (vi) The contract may require contractors to
23 assist in the enrollment process.". SCOTT, CHAIRMAN