

1 Page 1-line 3 After "budget" insert "; placing limitations
2 on delegates".
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4 Page 3-After line 4 Insert:
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6 "Section 3. That this application contains the following
7 limits and provisions:
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9 (a) No delegate shall have authority to vote to allow
10 consideration of, or to approve, an unauthorized amendment for
11 ratification to the United States constitution.
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13 (b) Any delegate shall be directed to vote for procedures
14 and rules mandating that the convention remain a convention of
15 states where each state is represented by one (1) vote.
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17 (c) Any vote made in violation of subsection (a) or (b) of
18 this section shall be null and void, and the delegate making the
19 vote shall be immediately recalled by an official or executive
20 branch committee authorized by a resolution of the legislature
21 and replaced by an alternate as provided in subsection (g) of
22 this section.
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24 (d) Each delegate or alternate shall be required to take
25 the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear or
26 affirm that to the best of my abilities I will, as a delegate or
27 alternate to an article V convention, uphold the constitution
28 and laws of the United States of America and Wyoming. I will not
29 vote to allow consideration of or to approve any unauthorized
30 amendment proposed for ratification to the United States
31 constitution. I understand and accept any penalties that Wyoming
32 law may impose on me for violating this oath."
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34 (e) Any delegate who violates the oath contained in
35 subsection (d) of this section shall be guilty of a felony
36 punishable by imprisonment for not more than five (5) years, a
37 fine of not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), or
38 both. Additionally, any delegate who violates the oath contained
39 in subsection (d) of this section shall be ineligible to serve
40 as a delegate and any certification of the delegate shall be
41 null and void.
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43 (f) The secretary of state shall certify the selection of
44 the delegates in writing to the article V convention and shall

1 provide a copy of the certification to each delegate. No
2 delegate shall have authority to vote or otherwise serve as a
3 delegate at the article V convention without the certification.
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5 (g) The secretary of state shall notify the president of
6 the Wyoming senate and the speaker of the Wyoming house of
7 representatives in writing of the need to assign delegates or
8 alternates to the article V convention. The members of the
9 senate shall elect three (3) members of the senate to serve as
10 delegates, and the members of the house of representatives shall
11 elect three (3) members of the house of representatives to serve
12 as delegates. If a delegate becomes unable or ineligible to
13 serve, the president of the senate or the speaker of the house
14 shall assign an alternate for the delegate who has become unable
15 or ineligible to serve. An alternate delegate assigned under
16 this subsection shall immediately be entitled to represent
17 Wyoming as a delegate in place of the delegate who has become
18 unable or ineligible to serve, and the secretary of state shall
19 immediately provide certification to the new delegate.
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21 (h) The secretary of state shall notify the article V
22 convention and any delegate involved of the revocation of that
23 delegate's certification should the delegate violate his or her
24 oath to act only within the limits of the authority granted by
25 the state of Wyoming.
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27 (j) The Wyoming attorney general shall enforce the
28 provisions of this section. A Wyoming citizen may also file an
29 action to enforce the requirements of this chapter and shall be
30 entitled to reasonable attorney's fees if successful.
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32 (k) As used in this resolution:
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34 (i) "Article V application" means a joint resolution
35 passed by the Wyoming legislature on the same subject or
36 containing the same proposed amendment text as two-thirds (2/3)
37 of the other states requiring the United States congress to call
38 an article V convention;
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40 (ii) "Article V convention" means a convention for
41 proposing amendments as expressly provided in article V of the
42 United States constitution;
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44 (iii) "Delegate" or "alternate" means a legislator
45 selected under subsection (g) of this section to represent the
46 state of Wyoming at an article V convention;
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1 (iv) "Legislative instructions" means instructions
2 given by the state legislature to delegates and alternates
3 before and during an article V convention;
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5 (v) "Unauthorized amendment" means a proposed
6 amendment that is outside the permitted subject matter contained
7 in the article V application or contrary to legislative
8 instructions.".
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10 Page 3-line 6 Delete "3" insert "4".
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12 Page 3-After line 12 Insert:
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14 "Section 5. That this application is revoked in the
15 event that Wyoming is not granted one of fifty votes
16 during the article V convention petitioned for by this
17 resolution or in the event any of the provisions in
18 section 3 are not followed.".
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20 Page 3-line 14 Delete "4" insert "6". GRAY
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