

Bill No.: SF0156 **Effective:** Immediately

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Enrolled Act No.: SEA No. 0091

Chapter No.: 183

Prime Sponsor: Perkins

Catch Title: State government efficiencies.

Subject: Wyoming Spending and Government Efficiency Commission.

Summary/Major Elements:

- This bill creates the Wyoming Spending and Government Efficiency Commission to review topics related to efficiencies in Wyoming state government. The bill establishes the membership of the Commission, which cannot exceed six members.
- The bill requires the Commission to review and report on the current configuration of Wyoming state government and to identify: opportunities to increase efficiencies and reduce costs, areas for future study, opportunities to incentivize efficiencies and opportunities for savings in the Medicaid program.
- The bill appropriates funds for the payment of Commission member expenses and to secure contracting to implement and realize cost savings and efficiencies.

Comments:

- This bill requires the Legislature's Management Council to appoint three members to the Commission, including two legislators and one member of the private sector. The Governor must appoint two members and one nonvoting member must be appointed by the Chief Justice of the Wyoming Supreme Court. No voting member of the Commission shall be a full-time state employee.
- This bill requires a report from the Commission to the Governor, the Management Council and the Joint Appropriations Committee by November 30, 2017.
- Requires a report to the Joint Appropriations Committee prior to any contract under the bill.

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