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1 Page 1-line 3 Delete "an account;" and insert "accounts;
2 providing for a continuing appropriation;".
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4 Page 9-line 15 After "occupancy," insert "proximity,".
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6 Page 10-line 15 Delete entirely and insert "of the expected
7 impact. Credit term expiration before
8 restoration of the impacted location to
9 suitability shall require the party
10 responsible for the mitigation to purchase
11 additional credits or negotiate a credit
12 contract extension. Credit mitigation shall
13 remain in place until the impact to".
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15 Page 10-line 17 After "suitability" insert "."; delete "and
16 provided that".
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18 Page 11-line 22 After "system" insert "including monitoring of
19 impacts to sage-grouse habitat to ensure that
20 the impacted location is returned to full
21 suitability before a credit purchaser is
22 relieved of liability for mitigation of the
23 impact".
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25 Page 12-line 2 Delete "the mitigation credit".
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27 Page 12-line 3 Delete "resolution account and on".
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29 Page 12-line 4 After "credits" insert "and any purchaser of
30 term credits".
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32 Page 12-line 7 Delete "is" and insert "or purchaser are".
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34 Page 12-lines 21 and 22 Delete entirely and insert:
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36 "(A) Any corrective measures which a mitigation
37 credit provider or their successor in interest is required to take
38 to ameliorate any material injury or adverse impacts to the land
39 or habitat used for compensatory mitigation for which credits are
40 offered that materially impairs the conservation objectives of
41 that land or habitat;".
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43 Page 13-lines 5 through 7 Delete entirely.
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1 Page 13-line 9 Delete "(D)" and insert "(C)".
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3 Page 13-line 20 After "provider's" delete balance of line.
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5 Page 13-line 21 Delete entirely and insert "financial
6 assurances".
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8 Page 14-line 5 After "provider" insert "for the term of the
9 credit".
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11 Page 14-line 15 Delete "**account**" and insert "**accounts**".
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13 Page 14-after line 15 Insert:
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15 "(a) The board of land commissioners may create an account
16 exclusively for each mitigation credit provider. The board may
17 accept funds for deposit into each account as part of the financial
18 assurances required under rules adopted by the board of land
19 commissioners pursuant to W.S. 9-19-203(b). The board shall manage
20 the expenditure of funds within each account. Funds within each
21 account shall be invested by the state treasurer as authorized
22 under W.S. 9-4-715(a), (d) and (e).
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24 (b) The board shall collect a fee of one thousand five
25 hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) from each mitigation credit provider
26 for creating an account as provided by subsection (a) of this
27 section. An account established pursuant to subsection (a) of
28 this section shall be subject to an annual fee of one percent (1%)
29 of the account's balance for the annual administration, operation,
30 reporting and accounting of the account. The board shall assess
31 and collect the annual fee on the date set by rule during each
32 year in which the account is in existence. The board shall collect
33 the annual fee by deducting it from the balance of the account."
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35 Page 14-line 17 Delete "(a)" and insert "(c)".
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37 Page 15-lines 4 through 19 Delete entirely and insert:
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39 "(d) Fees collected under this section shall be credited to
40 the mitigation credit fund which is hereby created. Funds within
41 the mitigation credit fund are continuously appropriated to the
42 department and shall only be used for purposes of this article."
43 GREEAR, CHAIRMAN
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