

Bill No.: HB0254 **Effective:** **Multiple Dates**

LSO No.: **21LSO-0685**

Enrolled Act No.: HEA No. 0094

Chapter No.: 152

Prime Sponsor: Burkhart

Catch Title: **Transportation computer system.**

Subject: Transportation information computer system replacement and funding.

Summary/Major Elements:

- The current state resident records system, the "revenue information system" contains driver's license and vehicle registration data and is used for driver services and records, registration, law enforcement, highway tax accounting as well as for voting, insurance, employment benefits and other interfaces with local, state and federal agencies. The system, created in the 1980s, is outdated and inflexible technology.
- This act requires the Department of Transportation (WyDOT) to replace the revenue information system with the "transportation information system" (TIS) by July 1, 2027. WyDOT is required to consult with the Department of Enterprise Technology Services (ETS) for all phases of the TIS project, including requests for proposals, purchase, development, configuration, migration, and full implementation, as well as jointly reporting about the project to the Joint Transportation, Highways and Military Affairs Interim Committee and the Joint Appropriations Committee.
- The act provides for several funding possibilities and creates the transportation information system account as a repository for fees allocated to the account, federal funds and any other contributions designated for computer system modernization. The funding possibilities this act sets forth are:
 - An additional five dollars (\$5.00) imposed upon driver's licenses, permits, duplicates and renewals;
 - Federal funds for which WyDOT shall apply;
 - Funds from any appropriate source available to WyDOT;
 - Fees for third party use of the TIS;
 - Earnings from funds in the transportation information system account.
- The act prohibits WyDOT from expending any funds for the replacement of the revenue information system without legislative authorization.

Comments:

- Requires a report: This act requires WyDOT and ETS to report to the Joint Transportation, Highways and Military Affairs Interim Committee and the Joint Appropriations Committee by July 1, 2021, and quarterly thereafter.

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