SENATE
WYOMING STATE LEGISLATURE

Message No. 379

CONCURRENCE REQUESTED

Mr. Speaker: February 26, 2025

H.B. No. 0033 Vehicle sales and use tax distribution-highway fund.

The House Bill listed above passed on third reading in an amended form as follows by the vote indicated.

HB0033S2001/ADOPTED

Page 1-above line 1 In the catch title, delete "sales and".

Page 1-line 1 Delete "sales and".

Page 1-line 2 Delete "sales and".

Page 1-line 8 After "**Section 1.**" delete balance of line.

Page 1-line 9 Delete "new subsection (r) and".

Page 1-line 10 Delete "are" and insert "is".

Page 1-lines 12 through 15 Delete entirely.

Page 2-lines 1 through 11 Delete entirely.

Page 3-line 1 Delete "all" and insert "twenty-five million dollars ($25,000,000.00) each fiscal year of the".

Page 3-line 4 After "39-16-111(b)(i)" delete "and".

Page 3-line 5 Delete "(ii)".

Page 3-line 6 After "fund" insert "for the construction and maintenance of highways. The department shall report on the expenditure of funds distributed under this subsection not later

than September 30 of each year to the joint appropriations interim committee and the joint transportation, highways and military affairs interim committee. This subsection is repealed effective July 1, 2027.".

Page 3-line 10 Delete "sales and"; delete "sales of".

Page 3-line 14 Delete "sales and".

Page 3-line 16 Delete "and thereafter".

Page 3-line 17 Delete "sales and".

HB0033S2002/ADOPTED

Page 3-line 6 In the Hicks second reading amendment (HB0033S2001/A) to this line, after "the construction" insert ", operation, reconstruction".

HB0033S3005/ADOPTED (CORRECTED COPY)

Delete the Hicks second reading amendment (HB0033S2001/A) entirely;

Delete the Driskill second reading amendment (HB033S2002/A) entirely;

Delete the Pappas third reading amendment (HB0033S3001/A) entirely;

Delete the Nethercott third reading amendment (HB0033S3002/A) entirely;

Delete the first Driskill, et al. third reading amendment (HB0033S3003/ACC) entirely;

Delete the second Driskill, et al. third reading amendment (HB0033S3004/A) entirely and further amend as follows:

Page 1-line 3 After "specified;" insert "providing an appropriation;".

Page 1-line 8 Delete "39-15-111(b)(intro) and" and insert "39-15-111".

Page 1-line 9 Delete "39-16-111(b)(intro) and" and insert "39-16-111".

Page 1-lines 14 and 15 Delete entirely.

Page 2-lines 1 through 4 Delete entirely.

Page 2-lines 6 through 11 Delete entirely and insert:

"(r) The funds collected and remitted to the department under W.S. 39-15-107(b)(i) and (ii) for sales taxes imposed under W.S. 39-15-104 and transferred under W.S. 39-15-111(b)(i) and (ii) on sales of motor vehicles and trailers during each fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 are appropriated annually to the highway fund for the operation, maintenance, construction and reconstruction of state highways. The department of revenue shall credit the highway fund the specified amounts no later than ninety (90) days after the end of the fiscal year."

Page 2-lines 15 through 21 Delete entirely.

Page 3-lines 1 through 6 Delete entirely and insert:

"(p) The funds collected and remitted to the department under W.S. 39-16-107(b)(ii) and (iii) for use taxes imposed under W.S. 39-16-104 and transferred under W.S. 39-16-111(b)(i) and (ii) on sales of motor vehicles and trailers during each fiscal year beginning July 1, 2025 are appropriated annually to the highway fund for the operation, maintenance, construction and reconstruction of state highways. The department of revenue shall credit the highway fund the specified amounts no later than ninety (90) days after the end of the fiscal year."

Page 3-lines 13 through 18 Delete entirely and insert:

"**Section 3.**

(a) There is appropriated fifteen million dollars ($15,000,000.00) from the legislative stabilization reserve account to the department of transportation for purposes of repairing and maintaining tunnels on Wyoming interstate 80. This appropriation shall be expended only to the extent necessary after all other sources of available federal funding are expended or as necessary to satisfy federal matching fund requirements after available nonmatching federal funds are expended. This appropriation shall be for the period beginning with the effective date of this act and ending June 30, 2027. This appropriation shall not be transferred or expended for any other purpose and any unexpended, unobligated funds remaining

from this appropriation shall revert to the legislative stabilization reserve account on June 30, 2027.

(b) Of the funds appropriated from the general fund to the highway fund pursuant to section 1 of this act, the first fifteen million dollars ($15,000,000.00), or as much thereof as is necessary to equal the amount of funds expended under subsection (a) of this section, shall be transferred from the highway fund to the legislative stabilization reserve account on June 30, 2027.

Page 3-line 20 Delete "July 1, 2025" and insert "immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution".

Ayes 25 Noes 6 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflict 0

The Senate respectfully asks the House to concur by adopting the listed amendments.

Sincerely,

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Senate Chief Clerk

Bill Jacket Attached