HOUSE BILL NO. HB0058

State parks account-expenditure authority.

Sponsored by: Joint Travel, Recreation, Wildlife & Cultural Resources Interim Committee

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for

- 1 AN ACT relating to state lands; modifying the expenditure
- 2 authority of the department of state parks and cultural
- 3 resources for funds in the state parks account; and
- 4 providing for an effective date.

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6 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

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8 **Section 1**. W.S. 36-4-121(h) is amended to read:

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- 10 36-4-121. Permits to use state parks, recreation
- 11 areas and historic sites.

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- 13 (h) The funds received by the department from the
- 14 sale of the permits shall be deposited into an account
- 15 within the special revenue fund, hereby created as the

1 state parks account, and, except as otherwise provided by 2 this subsection, may be expended by the department for 3 capital construction projects, major maintenance, and site 4 interpretation such as exhibits, signage and displays as approved by the legislature. Interest on funds in the 5 account shall accrue to the account. Not more than thirty 6 percent (30%) sixty percent (60%) of the funds in the 7 8 account in any fiscal year may also be expended, with 9 legislative approval, for maintenance, of administrative and operational costs associated with outdoor recreation 10 areas and facilities provided that no amount shall be 11 12 expended for additional full-time employees or increases in

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Section 2. This act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

salaries or overtime pay for full-time employees.

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20 (END)

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