

SENATE FILE NO. SF0037

Office of consumer advocate-revisions 2.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Case and Scott and
Representative(s) Stubson and Zwonitzer, Dn.

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to public utilities; limiting effect of
2 article; extending sunset date for the office of consumer
3 advocate; providing for senate confirmation of the
4 director; and 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. 37-2-402 by creating a new subsection
9 (e), 37-2-403 and 37-2-404(b) are amended to read:

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11 **37-2-402. Consumer advocate; powers and duties.**

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13 (e) Nothing in this article shall effect or restrict
14 the authority of the commission to participate in actions
15 or appeals before the commission as otherwise provided in
16 this title.

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2 **37-2-403. Consumer advocate; administrator and staff.**

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4 The administrative head of the division shall be an
5 administrator appointed by the governor ~~not later than July~~
6 ~~1, 2003~~ with senate confirmation. The administrator shall
7 employ and supervise personnel as authorized by legislative
8 appropriation. Except as provided in W.S. 37-2-404 the
9 employees of the office of consumer advocate shall not be
10 supervised or directed by the commission.

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12 **37-2-404. Consumer advocate; funding and expenses.**

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14 (b) This article is repealed effective July 1, ~~2013~~
15 2019.

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17 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2013.

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