SENATE FILE NO. SF0024

Wyoming infrastructure authority amendments.

Sponsored by: Joint Minerals, Business & Economic Development Interim Committee

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to public utilities; removing territorial
- 2 limits on Wyoming infrastructure authority projects; and
- 3 providing for an effective date.

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

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- 7 **Section 1.** W.S. 37-5-305(a) and 37-5-403(a) are
- 8 amended to read:

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10 **37-5-305.** Bonds.

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- 12 (a) In addition to the powers otherwise herein
- 13 granted to the authority, in order to accomplish its
- 14 purposes, and finance projects it owns, it shall have the
- 15 power to borrow money and evidence the borrowing in the

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- 1 issuance and sale of bonds or other obligations of the
- 2 authority, the principal and interest of which shall be
- 3 payable solely out of revenues herein authorized to be
- 4 dedicated and pledged for the payment.

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6 37-5-403. Authority revenue bonds; issuance; amount.

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- 8 (a) In order to finance projects not owned by the
- 9 authority, The authority may issue and have outstanding
- 10 bonds to finance electric transmission facilities, as well
- 11 as other facilities and related infrastructure, which shall
- 12 be located at least partially within Wyoming consistent
- 13 with the purposes provided in W.S. 37-5-303(a), in an
- 14 amount not to exceed one billion dollars
- 15 (\$1,000,000,000.00). The authority shall have contracts
- 16 sufficient to justify the issuance of bonds.

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

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23 (END)