

SENATE FILE NO. SF0095

Legislative committee membership.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Meier, Jennings, Landen, Perkins and Peterson and Representative(s) Brechtel, Childers, Gingery, Shepperson, Teeters and Zwonitzer, Dn.

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the legislature; modifying required  
2 composition of specified committees; modifying dates for  
3 appointments to be made; specifying applicability; 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.       28-8-102(a),       28-8-107(a),  
9       28-11-101(a) (intro),       (i)       and       (ii),       28-11-201(a)       and  
10      28-11-301(a) are amended to read:

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12      **28-8-102. Management council; membership; vacancies;**  
13      **meetings; rules and regulations; quorum; officers.**

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1 results in more than eight (8) members of the council being  
2 from the same political party the additional member shall  
3 be selected by the minority party members of council.

4 Chairmanship of the management council shall be rotated  
5 between the house and senate after each two (2) year  
6 session so that the chairman shall not be from the same  
7 house as the chairman who served for the preceding  
8 legislative term. The members of the management council  
9 shall be the legislative representatives in directing the  
10 day-to-day functions of the office and the entire  
11 membership of the legislature shall have the ultimate  
12 control and supervision over policy of the office.

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14 **28-8-107. Auditing of state agencies; management**  
15 **audit committee; factors to be considered in audit reports.**

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17 (a) During every regular session the president of the  
18 senate and the speaker of the house of the Wyoming  
19 legislature shall each appoint five (5) members of their  
20 respective bodies to a management audit committee. Not  
21 more than three (3) members appointed from each house shall  
22 be from the same political party Appointments to the  
23 committee by each presiding officer shall reflect as nearly  
24 as possible the percentage of the elected membership of the

1 majority and minority parties of each house, provided that  
2 not more than four (4) members appointed by each presiding  
3 officer shall be from the same political party. The  
4 committee may appoint one (1) additional member of the  
5 legislature to this committee.

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7 **28-11-101. Appointment of members; powers and duties;**  
8 **related duties of water development commission.**

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10 (a) Not later than March 15-31 following each general  
11 election, a select water committee shall be appointed  
12 subject to the following:

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14 (i) The president of the senate shall appoint  
15 six (6) members of the senate apportioned as nearly as  
16 possible to reflect the percentage of the elected  
17 membership of the majority and minority parties of the  
18 senate, provided not more than four (4)-five (5) of the  
19 members shall be from the same political party;

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21 (ii) The speaker of the house of representatives  
22 shall appoint six (6) members of the house apportioned as  
23 nearly as possible to reflect the percentage of the elected  
24 membership of the majority and minority parties of the

1 house, provided not more than ~~four (4)~~ five (5) of the  
2 members shall be from the same political party;

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4 **28-11-201. Appointment of members; powers and duties.**

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6 (a) Not later than March ~~15-31~~ following each general  
7 election, the president of the senate shall appoint six (6)  
8 members of the senate, and the speaker of the house of  
9 representatives shall appoint six (6) members of the house  
10 to a select committee on capital financing and investments.

11 ~~Not more than four (4) members from each house shall be~~  
12 ~~from the same political party~~ Appointments to the committee  
13 by each presiding officer shall reflect as nearly as  
14 possible the percentage of the elected membership of the  
15 majority and minority parties of each house, provided that  
16 not more than five (5) members appointed by each presiding  
17 officer shall be from the same political party.

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19 **28-11-301. Appointment of members; powers and duties;**  
20 **related duties of school facilities commission.**

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22 (a) Not later than March ~~15-31~~ following each general  
23 session, the president of the senate shall appoint five (5)  
24 members of the senate and the speaker of the house shall

1 appoint five (5) members of the house to a select committee  
2 on school facilities. ~~Not more than three (3) members from~~  
3 ~~each house shall be from the same political party~~  
4 Appointments to the committee by each presiding officer  
5 shall reflect as nearly as possible the percentage of the  
6 elected membership of the majority and minority parties of  
7 each house, provided that not more than four (4) members  
8 appointed by each presiding officer shall be from the same  
9 political party.

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11           **Section 2.**        Commencing with the sixty-first  
12 legislature, the membership of every committee subject to  
13 this act shall be apportioned in accordance with this act.

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15           **Section 3.** This act is effective immediately upon  
16 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law  
17 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming  
18 Constitution.

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20 (END)