## SENATE FILE NO. SF0147

Livestock inspections and investigators.

Sponsored by: Joint Appropriations Committee

## A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to livestock; increasing the amount brand
- 2 inspection fees can be adjusted each fiscal year; 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. 11-20-408(b) is amended to read:

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9 11-20-408. Examination of agency records; report.

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- 11 (b) The board shall adopt an annual fiscal year
- 12 budget for the brand registration and inspection program.
- 13 The budget shall include any deficit amount from the prior
- 14 year and may include an operating reserve not to exceed one
- 15 (1) year for that portion of the program to be funded by
- 16 user fees. Based on the budget adopted under this

subsection, the board shall set the user fees for all 1 2 activities under the program at no less than the minimum 3 fees provided for in this chapter. Each fee may be 4 adjusted not more than one (1) time per fiscal year and by 5 not more than twenty percent (20%) twenty-five percent (25%) in any one (1) fiscal year. The board shall report 6 annually by November 1 to the joint agriculture, state and 7 8 public lands and water resources interim committee with 9 respect to the budget adopted and fees set under this 10 subsection. 11 12 Section 2. This act is effective October 1, 2017. 13 14 (END)

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