

SB197_L.003

SENATE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE AMENDMENT

Committee on Agriculture & Natural Resources.

SB24-197 be amended as follows:

- 1 Amend printed bill, page 3, strike line 27.
- 2 Page 4, strike line 5 and substitute "year; and
- 3 (f) The protections provided to electric utility water rights in
- 4 sections 4, 5, and 6 of the bill are for the benefit of the entire Yampa river
- 5 basin water resources, in particular during low-flow conditions that have
- 6 resulted in the administration of a call on the Yampa river in recent years.
- 7 The nondiversion or nonuse will provide a benefit to all water use sectors,
- 8 balancing multiple beneficial uses of water on the Yampa river system."
- 9 Page 7, line 25, after "LEASED" insert "OR LOANED".
- 10 Page 8, line 1, strike "LEASE." and substitute "LEASE OR LOAN."

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