

# S.B. 213

## BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY ACT

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

AMENDMENT 3

MARCH 12, 2019 3:07 PM

Representative **Michael K. McKell** proposes the following amendments:

1. *Page 1, Lines 15 through 26:*

15 Transmitter Act; and  
16       ▶       {~~creates a legislative task force to:~~  
17       •       ~~study the potential applications of blockchain technology to government~~  
18 ~~services;~~  
19       •       ~~review current uses of blockchain technology by governments in other states and~~  
20 ~~countries;~~  
21       •       ~~if → [recommend] consider recommending ← if~~ a pilot project for blockchain  
21a ~~technology in Utah at a state or~~  
22 ~~municipal level;~~  
23       •       ~~review commercial applications of blockchain technology for future economic~~  
24 ~~development in Utah; and~~  
25       •       ~~provide a report, including any proposed legislation, to the Business and Labor~~  
26 ~~Interim Committee and the Legislative Management Committee; and }~~

2. *Page 2, Line 31:*

31       {~~This bill provides a repeal date for the task force.~~}       None

3. *Page 2, Lines 35 through 36:*

35 {~~ENACTS:~~  
36       ~~36-29-106, Utah Code Annotated 1953 }~~

4. *Page 3, Line 85 through Page 5, Line 137:*

85       {~~Section 2. Section 36-29-106 is enacted to read:~~  
86       ~~36-29-106. Blockchain Pilot Project Evaluation Task Force.~~  
87       ~~(1) As used in this section:~~  
88       ~~(a) "Blockchain" means the same term as is defined in Section 7-25-102.~~  
89       ~~(b) "Task force" means the Blockchain Pilot Project Evaluation Task Force created in~~  
90 ~~this section.~~  
91       ~~(2) There is created the Blockchain Pilot Project Evaluation Task Force consisting of~~  
92 ~~the following § → [12] 13 ← § members:~~  
93       ~~(a) one member of the Senate appointed by the president of the Senate;~~

94 ~~—— (b) one member of the House of Representatives appointed by the speaker of the House~~  
95 ~~of Representatives;~~  
96 ~~§→ (c) the insurance commissioner appointed under Section 31A-2-102 or the~~  
96a ~~commissioner's designee; ←§~~  
96b ~~—— §→ [(c)] (d) ←§ the executive director of the Department of Technology Services created in~~  
96c ~~Section~~  
97 ~~63F-1-103 or the executive director's designee;~~  
98 ~~—— §→ [(d)] (e) ←§ the executive director of the Utah Department of Financial Institutions~~  
98a ~~created in~~  
99 ~~Section 7-1-201 or the executive director's designee;~~  
100 ~~§→ [(e)] (f) ←§ the director of the Utah Division of Securities created in Section 61-1-18 or the~~  
101 ~~director's designee;~~  
102 ~~—— §→ [(f)] (g) ←§ an individual who represents the Office of the Attorney General;~~  
103 ~~—— §→ [(g)] (h) ←§ three members from the private business and technology community who~~  
103a ~~are~~  
104 ~~familiar with blockchain technology, appointed by the president of the Senate; and~~  
105 ~~—— §→ [(h)] (i) ←§ three members from the private business and technology community who~~  
105a ~~are~~  
106 ~~familiar with blockchain technology, appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives.~~  
107 ~~—— (3) (a) The member of the Senate appointed under Subsection (2)(a) shall serve as a~~  
108 ~~cochair of the task force.~~  
109 ~~—— (b) The member of the House of Representatives appointed under Subsection (2)(b)~~  
110 ~~shall serve as a cochair of the task force.~~  
111 ~~—— (4) (a) A majority of the members of the task force constitutes a quorum.~~  
112 ~~—— (b) The action of a majority of a quorum constitutes an action of the task force.~~  
113 ~~—— (5) (a) Salaries and expenses of the members of the task force who are legislators shall~~  
114 ~~be paid in accordance with Section 36-2-2 and Legislative Joint Rules, Title 5, Chapter 3;~~  
115 ~~Legislator Compensation.~~  
116 ~~—— (b) A member of the task force who is not a legislator:~~  
117 ~~—— (i) may not receive compensation for the member's work associated with the task force;~~  
118 ~~and~~  
119 ~~—— (ii) may receive per diem and reimbursement for travel expenses incurred as a member~~  
120 ~~of the task force at the rates established by the Division of Finance under Sections 63A-3-10421 and~~  
121 ~~63A-3-107.~~  
122 ~~—— (6) The Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel shall provide staff support~~  
123 ~~to the task force.~~  
124 ~~—— (7) The task force shall:~~  
125 ~~—— (a) review the potential applications of blockchain technology to government services;~~  
126 ~~—— (b) review current uses of blockchain technology by governments in other states or~~  
127 ~~countries;~~

128 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (c) ~~It~~ ~~→~~ [recommend] consider recommending ~~←~~ ~~It~~ a pilot project for blockchain~~  
128a ~~technology in Utah at a state or municipal~~  
129 ~~level; and~~  
130 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (d) review commercial applications of blockchain technology for future economic~~  
131 ~~development in the state.~~  
132 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (8) On or before November 30, 2019, the task force shall provide a report on the task~~  
133 ~~force's findings and recommendations, including any proposed legislation, to:~~  
134 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (a) the Business and Labor Interim Committee; and~~  
135 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ (b) the Legislative Management Committee.~~  
136 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ Section 3. Repeal date:~~  
137 ~~\_\_\_\_\_ Section 36-29-106, is repealed on June 1, 2020. }~~