ORIGINAL HOUSE BILL NO. 0277

**ENGROSSED** 

ENROLLED ACT NO. 131, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING 2005 GENERAL SESSION

AN ACT relating to the Wyoming partnership challenge loan program; amending the definition of "economic disaster" to reduce the economic impact threshold; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1. W.S. 9-12-301(a)(v) is amended to read:

## 9-12-301. Definitions.

- (a) As used in this article:
- (v) "Economic disaster" means an event occurring in Wyoming that has an economic impact with total lost revenues to impacted businesses in a twelve (12) calendar period of at least four million dollars (\$4,000,000.00) or an economic impact with total revenues to impacted businesses in four (4) or less counties in a twelve (12) calendar month period of at least one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000.00) one million dollars (\$1,000,000.00). The business council may use good faith estimates of lost revenues to businesses in determining whether an event qualifies as an economic disaster. Calculation of lost revenues shall only include actual losses incurred and shall not include any future losses;

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

(END)

Speaker of the House	President of the Senate
	Governor
	PPROVED:
I hereby certify that t	his act originated in the House.
Chief Clerk	