HOUSE BILL NO. HB0111

Environmental quality council-voting amendments.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Burkhart and Greear and Senator(s) Bebout and Von Flatern

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for

1 AN ACT relating to environmental quality; specifying voting

2 procedures of the environmental quality council; 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. 35-11-111(d) is amended to read:

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9 35-11-111. Independent environmental quality council

10 created; removal; terms; officers; meetings; expenses.

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12 (d) The council shall hold at least four (4) regularly

13 scheduled meetings each year. Special meetings may be called

14 by the chairman, and special meetings shall be called by the

15 chairman, upon a written request submitted by three (3) or

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1 more members. Four (4) members <u>participating in a matter</u> shall

2 constitute a quorum. All matters shall be decided by a

3 majority vote of those on the council members participating

4 <u>in the matter</u>. <u>For purposes of voting</u>, a <u>member who has</u>

5 recused himself from a matter, an absent member, a member who

6 <u>is unable to participate in proceedings due to illness or</u>

7 <u>incapacity and a vacant position on the council shall be</u>

8 <u>deemed to be not participating in the matter.</u>

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10 Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2019.

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12 (END)