

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0246

Surface water point source discharge permits.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Edmonds

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to environmental quality; amending the date
2 on which the point source discharge permit fee is assessed;
3 and 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. 35-11-312(a) is amended to read:
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9 **35-11-312. Fees.**
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11 (a) The department shall implement a surface water
12 point source discharge permit fee system for each national
13 pollutant discharge elimination system permit. On ~~July 1~~
14 January 1 of each year, the department shall assess an
15 annual permit fee of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each
16 national pollutant discharge elimination system permit and
17 for each permit authorization held by any person under W.S.

1 35-11-301 during any portion of the preceding twelve (12)
2 month period. The department shall prepare a biennium
3 report on the fee system for review by the joint minerals,
4 business and economic development interim committee by
5 October 31 of the year prior to the Wyoming legislative
6 budget session.

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8 **Section 2.** The fee assessment date change for
9 national pollutant discharge elimination system permits and
10 permit authorizations under W.S. 35-11-301 shall be revenue
11 neutral. The department of environmental quality shall
12 assess and collect one-half (1/2) of the annual fee on July
13 1, 2007 and shall assess and collect the full annual fee on
14 January 1, 2008 and annually thereafter.

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16 **Section 3.** This act is effective immediately upon
17 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law
18 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
19 Constitution.

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21 (END)