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Prime Sponsor: Joint Minerals, Business & Economic Development Interim Committee

Catch Title: NRC agreement state amendments.

Subject: Nuclear Regulatory Commission Agreement Implementation

Summary/Major Elements:

- Currently, Wyoming law allows the Governor to negotiate with the Nuclear Regulatory Commission for the State to assume regulation of source materials from uranium mining and milling and the associated wastes from the recovery of those source materials.
- This act provides for implementation of an agreement which may be reached between the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and the State of Wyoming for the State to regulate the recovery of source material and the by-product created by uranium mining and milling.
- The act requires the Department of Environmental Quality to implement the program and develop rules and regulations to administer it. The act requires the licensing of program participants and provides license requirements. It allows the Department to suspend licenses, bring enforcement actions and implement emergency orders as part of its responsibilities to enforce the act.

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