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Enrolled Act No.: HEA No. 0034

Chapter No.: [Chapter Number_RO]

Prime Sponsor: Management Council

Catch Title: Sponsorship of legislation.

Subject: Restricts sponsorship of legislation in the Wyoming Legislature.

Summary/Major Elements:

- The Management Council of the Wyoming Legislature has the statutory authority to create select committees to study specific topics. At least one of these select committees has sponsored legislation introduced during past legislative sessions. This bill specifies that those select committees do not have the authority to sponsor legislation. Sponsorship of legislation by committees comprised of members of both houses of the legislature is limited to:
 - Management Council;
 - Joint Interim Committees of the Legislature;
 - Joint Appropriations Committee;
 - Management Audit Committee; and
 - Select committees explicitly authorized by statute, joint rule or resolution by the Legislature to sponsor legislation.
- Specifies that nothing in the act restricts the right of a member of the Legislature to sponsor legislation.

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