## SENATE FILE NO. SF0035

Landfill expansion exception.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Von Flatern and Representative(s)

Barlow and Greear

## A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to environmental quality; authorizing the
- 2 expansion of a solid waste management facility as specified;
- 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. 35-11-502(c)(intro) and by creating a
- 8 new subsection (s) is amended to read:

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- 10 35-11-502. Solid waste management facilities permits;
- 11 term; renewals.

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- 13 (c) After the effective date of this act No person,
- 14 except as provided in subsection (s) of this section or upon
- 15 a variance from paragraphs (i) through (iv) of this subsection

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1 granted by the director upon recommendation of the 2 administrator after public hearing and upon written findings 3 that the variance will not injure or threaten to injure the 4 public health, safety or welfare, shall locate or construct 5 a solid waste management disposal facility larger than one 6 (1) acre within: 7 8 (s) When authorized under the permit system established 9 pursuant to this act, a permittee may expand an existing 10 landfill onto contiguous land owned by the permittee and shall not be required to apply for a variance under subsection (c) 11 12 of this section unless the incorporated city or town, public school, occupied dwelling house, center line of a state or 13 federal highway or water well was in existence on July 1, 14 2019, provided: 15 16 17 (i) The landfill is not an industrial landfill as defined by department rules and regulations; 18 19 20 (ii) The contiguous land was owned by the 21 permittee on July 1, 2019;

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1	(iii) The permittee shall demonstrate to the
2	satisfaction of the department that public health and safety
3	will be protected.
4 5	Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2019.
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