

Bill No.: HB0005 **Effective:** **Immediately**
LSO No.: 25LSO-0215
Enrolled Act No.: HEA No. 0031
Chapter No.: 50
Prime Sponsor: Joint Travel, Recreation, Wildlife & Cultural Resources Interim Committee
Catch Title: **Fishing outfitters and guides-registration of fishing boats.**
Has Report: Yes
Subject: Commercially guided fishing boats.

Summary/Major Elements:

- This act authorizes the Wyoming Game and Fish Commission to regulate commercially guided fishing boats allowed to launch into or use any river or lake or section thereof in the state. It creates an advisory board with seven (7) members appointed by the Commission to provide recommendations for promulgating rules. The rules shall require registration and payment of an annual fee beginning January 1, 2026.

Comments:

- Requires the Game and Fish Commission and the Commercially Guided Fishing Boats Advisory Board to make recommendations to the Joint Travel, Recreation, Wildlife and Cultural Resources Interim Committee on the creation of a new board or amendment to an existing board to carry out the duties required in the act not later than November 1, 2025.

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