

ORIGINAL SENATE
FILE NO. SF0011

ENROLLED ACT NO. 25, SENATE

SIXTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING
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AN ACT relating to public utilities; providing an exemption from regulation for joint powers entities; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 37-1-101(a)(vi)(H)(II) is amended to read:

37-1-101. Definitions.

(a) As used in chapters 1, 2, 3, 12 and 17 of this title:

(vi) "Public utility" means and includes every person that owns, operates, leases, controls or has power to operate, lease or control:

(H) None of the provisions of this chapter shall apply to:

(II) To public utilities owned and operated by a municipality of the state of Wyoming or owned and operated by a joint powers entity whose individual member entities are authorized by law to provide utility service and are formed pursuant to the Wyoming Joint Powers Act, W.S. 16-1-102 through 16-1-110, and comprised of two (2) or more municipalities, except as to that portion of a municipality owned and operated public utility or joint powers entity owned and operated public utility, if any, as may extend services outside the corporate limits of a municipality and except that if any municipal or joint powers utility owns an undivided interest in a facility for the production of electricity which is also partly owned by an agency subject to the jurisdiction of the public service

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commission, the sale of electricity in excess of the participating municipalities' or joint powers entities' need is subject to this act;

Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2018.

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____

DATE APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the Senate.

Chief Clerk