Case -7

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HOUSE BILL

HB0211

AN ACT relating to fire prevention and electrical safety: eliminating the exemption for health care facilities from fire and safety requirements, review and inspections by the state fire marshall; and providing for an effective date.



Introduced by:

HOUSE ACTION ON HOUSE BILL

1,23	H Introduced
	AyeNoExAb
	Read First Time and Ref. to
	Committee No. 27
	[] Failed Introduction
	AyeNoExAb
1	Returned from Committee No.
/	with Recommendation:
	[] Do Pass; [] Amend & Do
	Pass; [] Do Not Pass;
	[] W/O Recomm; [] Re-Refer to
	Committee No
	Re-referred to Committee No
	Returned from Committee No
	with Recommendation:
	[] Do Pass; [] Amend & Do
	Pass; [] Do Not Pass;
	[] W/O Recomm; [] Re-Refer to
	Committee No
	Considered in Comm. of Whole
	[] Amended
	[] Recommended Do Pass
	[] Failed Comm. of Whole
	[] Indefinitely Postponed
	[] Other:
1	Read Second Time
	[] Amended
	[] Do Pass
	[] Do Not Pass
	[] Accelerated to 3rd Rdg.
1	Read Third Time
	[] Amended
	[] Passed [] Failed
	Aye No Ex Ab
	[] Held for Reconsideration
	Motion to Reconsider
	[] Passed [] Failed
	AyeNoExAb
	/ Third Reading Vote
	(On Reconsideration)
	[] Passed [] Failed
,	AyeNoExAb
	Sent to Senate (No Amendments)
	Sent to LSO for Engrossing
	/ ENGROSSED
	Sent to Senate

SENATE ACTION ON HOUSE BILL

1	Received, Read First Time.					
	Referred to Committee No					
1	Returned from Committee No					
	with Recommendation:					
	[] Do Pass; [] Amend & Do					
	Pass; [] Do Not Pass;					
	[] W/O Recomm; [] Re-Refer to					
	Committee No					
	Re-referred to Committee No					
	Returned from Committee No.					
	with Recommendation:					
	[] Do Pass; [] Amend & Do					
	Pass; [] Do Not Pass;					
	[] W/O Recomm; [] Re-Refer to					
	Committee No.					
	Considered in Comm. of Whole					
	[] Amended					
	[] Recommended Do Pass					
	[] Failed Comm. of Whole					
	[] Indefinitely Postponed					
	[] Other:					
	Read Second Time					
	[] Amended					
	[] Do Pass					
	[] Do Not Pass					
	[] Accelerated to 3rd Rdg.					
	Read Third Time					
	[] Amended					
	[] Passed [] Failed					
	AyeNoExAb					
	[] Held for Reconsideration					
	/ Motion to Reconsider					
	[] Passed [] Failed					
	AyeNoExAb					
	/ Third Reading Vote					
	(On Reconsideration)					
	[] Passed [] Failed					
,	AyeNoExAb Sent to House					
/						
	Sent for Enrolling					
	HEA No					
	Signed by Speaker					
	Signed by President					
	Approved by Governor					
	Chapter No					

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STATE OF WYOMING

INTRODUCED

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0211

Health care facilities-fire and safety inspections. Sponsored by: Representative(s) Case

A BILL

for

1	AN ACT relating to fire prevention and electrical safety;
2	eliminating the exemption for health care facilities from
3	fire and safety requirements, review and inspections by the
4	state fire marshall; and providing for an effective date.
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6	Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:
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8	Section 1. W.S. 35-9-118(a)(ii) is repealed.
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10	Section 2. This act is effective immediately upon
11	completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as
12	provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
13	Constitution.
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15	(END)

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Health care facilities-fire and safety inspections.

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FISCAL NOTE

This bill has administrative impact which appears to increase (or decrease) duties or responsibilities of one or more state agencies and may impact agency spending or staffing requirements. As introduced, the bill does not modify any state agency budget or current personnel authorizations. The following state agencies may be affected administratively:

Fire Prevention & Electrical Safety.

HB 211

FISCAL NOTE FORM

HB	0211	
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FISCAL IMPACT - ADMINISTRATIVE.

Will passage of this bill require/reduce expenditures? Yes _____No X Will passage of this bill require/reduce personnel? Yes _____No X

Description:

No significant administrative impact.

Expenditure detail:

E	Y	1998	FY	1999	FY	2000
Personnel/Benefit costs: Supportive service and equipment costs:						
Computer charges cost:						
Space rental costs:						
Capital expenditures:						
Contractual services costs:						
Other costs:				<u> </u>		<u>.</u>
Total costs:						<u> </u>
Funding General:						
Federal: Other:		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
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Assumptions:

In adhering to the Fire Prevention & Electrical Safety Strategies Plan, there will be a self inspection program instituted for educational facilities, Daycares and Hotel/Motels. This will free up existing inspectors' time for facilitating the 60 Health Care Facilities in our jurisdiction.

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FISCAL NOTE FORM

HB 0172

FISCAL IMPACT - ADMINISTRATIVE.

Will passage of this bill require/reduce expenditures? Yes <u>X</u> No <u>Will passage</u> of this bill require/reduce personnel? Yes <u>No X</u>

Description:

As the bill is written, it will definitely require the PSC to hold a rulemaking hearing (probably held in Casper and most likely to require the attendance of the Commissioners and three staff members). Hearings would have to be held on individual companies and their unbundled rate filings. However, because the bill does not require natural gas utilities to unbundle unless they intend to compete in the territory of other utilities, it will be difficult to estimate the number of such hearings that would have to be held.

Expenditure detail:

	FY 1998	FY 1999	FY 2000
Personnel/Benefit costs:			
Supportive service and equipment	\$3,110	**	**
costs:			
Space rental costs:			
Computer charge costs:			
Capital expenditures:			
Contractual services costs:	\$900	**	**
Other costs:			
Total costs:	\$4,010	**	**
Funding:	·		
General:	\$0		
Federal:	\$0		
Other:	\$4,010	**	**

Assumptions:

The above assumes that a rulemaking hearing will be required. The estimated costs consist of transcripts (\$900), legal advertisements and radio announcements (\$1500), two state cars (\$170), employee per diem for a four day hearing (\$1440). **Costs for hearings are not estimated.

The PSC budgets for rulemaking activity. Therefore, the activities and expenditures described on this form would not, by themselves, cause PSC expenditures or personnel needs to increase to the degree that the Commission would have to seek increased funding or personnel positions from the Legislature in the budget development process.

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