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SENATE FILE



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1989

STATE OF WYOMING

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SENATE FILE NO. 0204

Cable television regulation.

Harriet Elizabeth Byrd *Dan S. Budd*
Sponsored by: Senator(s) BYRD and Representative(s) BUDD

A BILL

for

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2 new subparagraph (M) relating to the public service com-
3 mission; placing cable television under the public service
4 commission's regulatory authority; expanding the defini-
5 tion of public utility; and providing for an effective
6 date.

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

8 Section 1. W.S. 37-1-101(a)(vi)(K) and by creating a
9 new subparagraph (M) is amended to read:

10 37-1-101. Definitions generally.

1 (a) As used in this chapter:

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

(K) Any person furnishing coal, water or other raw materials to an electric power company shall not by this fact alone be designated as a public utility;:-

8 (M) ANY PLANT, PROPERTY OR FACILITY• FOR
9 THE TRANSMISSION OF CABLE TELEVISION SIGNALS.

10 Section 2. This act is effective June 8, 1989.

11 (END)

FISCAL NOTE

<u>Anticipated REVENUE to:</u>	<u>FY 1990</u>	<u>FY 1991</u>	<u>FY 1992</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL ESTIMATED REVENUE	_____	_____	_____
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<u>Anticipated COST to:</u>	<u>FY 1990</u>	<u>FY 1991</u>	<u>FY 1992</u>
Earmarked Fund	\$159,877.00	\$154,157.00	\$154,157.00
TOTAL ESTIMATED COST	\$159,877.00	\$154,157.00	\$154,157.00
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According to a spokesman for the Public Service Commission, it is estimated that this bill would require five (5) new positions plus related expenses. Total costs in the first year would be about \$159,877. Thereafter annual cost would be about \$154,157. All costs would be ascribed to earmarked funds.