

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

HOUSE BILL NO. 43

BY COMMERCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO THE ECONOMIC ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE;
2 AMENDING SECTION 67-4704, IDAHO CODE, TO CLARIFY THAT MEMBERS OF THE
3 ECONOMIC ADVISORY COUNCIL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR AND TO
4 PROVIDE THAT NO MORE THAN FOUR MEMBERS OF THE ECONOMIC ADVISORY COUNCIL
5 SHALL BE FROM ANY ONE POLITICAL PARTY.
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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

8 SECTION 1. That Section 67-4704, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby
9 amended to read as follows:

10 67-4704. ECONOMIC ADVISORY COUNCIL -- APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS -- QUAL-
11 IFICATIONS. There shall be an economic advisory council to advise the de-
12 partment in the preparation and execution of plans, projects and programs in
13 the furtherance of the power and duties conferred by section 67-4703, Idaho
14 Code. The director shall consult, confer and advise with the advisory coun-
15 cil in connection with all decisions concerning the administration and de-
16 velopment of such plans, projects and programs. The approval of the advisory
17 council shall be a condition precedent to the undertaking of action in the
18 implementation of such plans, projects and programs by the department. The
19 advisory council shall consist of seven (7) persons, who shall be appointed
20 by and serve at the pleasure of the governor, and who shall serve for three
21 (3) year terms. They shall serve and shall be compensated as provided by sec-
22 tion 59-509(b), Idaho Code. One (1) person shall be appointed to represent
23 each of the six (6) planning regions of the state and one (1) member shall
24 serve in a statewide capacity. ~~Membership shall be divided between polit-~~
25 ~~ical parties~~ No more than four (4) members of the economic advisory council
26 shall be from any one (1) political party.