

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0025

Dry bean commission member terms.

Sponsored by: Joint Agriculture, State and Public Lands &  
Water Resources Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to agriculture; specifying the term of  
2 elected members of the dry bean commission; and providing  
3 for an effective date.

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

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 11-50-102(b) is amended to read:

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9 **11-50-102. Dry bean commission established;**  
10 **composition; appointment; term; removal; vacancies;**  
11 **reimbursement for expenses.**

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13 (b) The terms of office for the initial appointments  
14 to the commission shall be two (2) terms of four (4) years  
15 and two (2) terms of two (2) years for the grower members.

1 The initial terms of office for the handler members shall  
2 be one (1) term of four (4) years and one (1) term of two  
3 (2) years. Upon the expiration of each of these terms, the  
4 commission shall conduct by mail an election to fill the  
5 open membership. After initial terms, elected members shall  
6 serve for a term of four (4) years. Only growers and  
7 handlers who paid dry bean assessments in the previous two  
8 (2) calendar years shall be eligible to vote in or stand  
9 for election, which shall be conducted in March of each  
10 odd-numbered year. If a vacancy occurs, the governor shall  
11 appoint a person for the unexpired term.

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13 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon  
14 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law  
15 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming  
16 Constitution.

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