SENATE FILE NO. SF0027

Weed and pest mitigation-tribal inclusion.

Sponsored by: Select Committee on Tribal Relations

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to weed and pest control; clarifying that
- 2 the Eastern Shoshone and Northern Arapaho tribes may apply
- 3 for participation in specified emergency insect management
- 4 programs; 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. 11-5-406(a) is amended to read:

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- 10 11-5-406. Program participation requirements;
- 11 application; funding participation levels specified;
- 12 restriction on expenditures.

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- 14 (a) Any state agency, or any political subdivision,
- 15 the Eastern Shoshone Tribe, the Northern Arapaho Tribe or
- 16 the cooperative tribal governing body may apply to the

1 committee for participation in emergency insect management

2 programs under this article. Applications shall be filed

3 with the department of agriculture and shall at minimum,

4 substantiate compliance with standards and guidelines

5 established by the committee.

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7 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon

8 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law

9 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming

10 Constitution.

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12 (END)