SENATE FILE NO. SF0035

Landfill expansion exception.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Von Flatern and Representative(s) Barlow and Greear

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to environmental quality; authorizing the 2 expansion of a solid waste management facility as specified; 3 and providing for an effective date. 4 5 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming: б 7 **Section 1.** W.S. 35-11-502(c)(intro) and by creating a new subsection (s) is amended to read: 8 9 10 35-11-502. Solid waste management facilities permits; 11 term; renewals. 12 13 (c) After the effective date of this act No person, 14 except as provided in subsection (s) of this section or upon 15 a variance from paragraphs (i) through (iv) of this subsection

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1	granted by the director upon recommendation of the
2	administrator after public hearing and upon written findings
3	that the variance will not injure or threaten to injure the
4	public health, safety or welfare, shall locate or construct
5	a solid waste management disposal facility larger than one
6	(1) acre within:
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8	(s) When authorized under the permit system established
9	pursuant to this act, a permittee may expand an existing
10	landfill onto contiguous land owned by the permittee and shall
11	not be required to apply for a variance under subsection (c)
12	of this section unless the incorporated city or town, public
13	school, occupied dwelling house, center line of a state or
14	federal highway or water well was in existence on July 1,
15	2019, provided:
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17	(i) The landfill is not an industrial landfill as
18	defined by department rules and regulations;
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20	(ii) The contiguous land was owned by the
21	permittee on July 1, 2019;
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1	(iii) The permittee shall demonstrate to the
2	satisfaction of the department that public health and safety
3	will be protected.
4 5	Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2019.
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7	(END)