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61st Wyoming Legislature ★ 2011 General Session

HB0259, Ethanol producer tax credit.

Sponsors: Representative(s) Zwonitzer, Dv., Madden and Roscoe

Aye votes: Representatives Barbuto, Berger, Blake, Blikre, Bonner, Botten, Brechtel, Brown, Buchanan, Burkhart, Byrd, Campbell, Cannady, Childers, Connolly, Craft, Davison, Edmonds, Eklund, Esquibel, K., Freeman, Gay, Gingery, Goggles, Greear, Greene, Harshman, Hunt, Illoway, Jaggi, Kasperik, Kroeker, Krone, Lockhart, Loucks, Lubnau, Madden, McKim, McOmie, Miller, Moniz, Nicholas, B., Patton, Peasley, Pederson, Petersen, Petroff, Quarberg, Roscoe, Semlek, Steward, Stubson, Teeters, Throne, Vranish, Wallis, Zwonitzer, Dn. and Zwonitzer, Dv. Senators Bebout, Burns, Case, Christensen, Coe, Dockstader, Driskill, Emerich, Hicks, Hines, Jennings, Johnson, Landen, Meier, Nicholas, P., Perkins, Ross, Rothfuss, Scott and Von Flatern

Nay votes: Representatives Harvey Senators Anderson, Barnard, Cooper, Esquibel, F., Geis, Hastert, Martin, Nutting, Peterson and Schiffer

Signed by the Governor.

Comments

Limits the tax credit for ethanol producers to plants built prior to July 1, 2011. Since the current tax credit is good for 15 years, this effectively kills the tax credit in 15 years. Good riddance to a special privilege for agriculture.

It is unconstitutional to treat one producer different than another (general welfare vs. specific welfare) even if it is for the purpose of encouraging a new needed business.

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