

1 INTRODUCTION BY House BILL NO. 401  
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5 69-6508 AND 69-6509, R.C.M. 1947, MAKING THE GOVERNOR'S  
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Approved by Committee  
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March 26, 1975

SENATE COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES AND FISH AND GAME

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 401

That House Bill No. 401, third reading, be amended as follows:

1. Amend title, lines 4 and 5.  
Following: "AMENDING"  
Strike: "SECTIONS 69-6508 AND 69-6509,"  
Insert: "SECTION 69-6508"
2. Amend title, lines 5 through 7.  
Following: "1947,"  
Strike: "MAKING THE GOVERNOR'S REPRESENTATIVE ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY COUNCIL A NONVOTING MEMBER"  
Insert: "providing for the appointment of the environmental quality council"
3. Amend title, line 8.  
Following: "MEMBERS"  
Insert: "; and repealing section 69-6509, R.C.M. 1947"
4. Amend page 1, section 1, line 13.  
Following: "council"  
Insert: "-- members -- term -- vacancies"
5. Amend page 1, section 1, line 14.  
Following: "consist of"  
Strike: "thirteen (13)"  
Insert: "eight (8)"
6. Amend page 1, section 1, line 15.  
Following: "members"  
Strike: "to be as follows:"  
Insert: ". The environmental quality council shall consist of four (4) members of the house of representatives who shall be appointed by the speaker of the house of representatives, with the advice of the majority and minority leaders of the house no more than two (2) of whom shall be of the same political party, and four (4) members of the state senate who shall be appointed by the committee on committees of the state senate, no more than two (2) of whom shall be of the same political party. Membership on the council shall be for two (2) years and terminates with appointment of a new council which appointment shall be made not later than the fiftieth legislative day of the legislative session following the biennium in which the appointment was made, whichever event occurs first. A new council shall be appointed no later than the fiftieth day of each

succeeding legislative session. Any vacancy on said environmental quality council occurring when the legislature is not in session shall be filled by the selection of another member by the same method as the original appointment."

7. Amend page 1, section 1, lines 16 through 25 and lines 1 through 7 on page 2.  
Following: line 15  
Strike: subsections (a), (b), and (c) in their entirety
8. Amend page 2, section 1, line 8.  
Following: "appointments"  
Strike: "(b) and (c) above"  
Insert: "members of the environmental quality council"
9. Amend page 2, section 2, line 18 and 19.  
Following: "1947, is"  
Strike: "amended to read as follows:"  
Insert: "repealed."
10. Amend page 2, section 2, line 20.  
Following: line 19  
Strike: remaining bill in its entirety

AND AS SO AMENDED, BE CONCURRED IN



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23 (II) HE IS NOT REELECTED FOR THE SUCCEEDING LEGISLATIVE  
24 SESSION TO THAT HOUSE OF THE LEGISLATURE, A VACANCY SO  
25 CREATED SHALL BE FILLED AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 69-6500,

1 RECM, 1947, THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF ALL COUNCIL MEMBERS  
2 SHALL BE TWO (2) YEARS AND SHALL TERMINATE UPON APPOINTMENT  
3 OF A NEW COUNCIL BEFORE THE FIFTIETH LEGISLATIVE DAY.  
4 COUNCIL MEMBERS MAY BE REAPPOINTED; HOWEVER, IN NO CASE  
5 SHALL A MEMBER SERVE MORE THAN SIX (6) YEARS.

6 (3) (2) THE COUNCIL SHALL ELECT ONE OF ITS MEMBERS AS  
7 CHAIRMAN AND SUCH OTHER OFFICERS AS IT DEEMES NECESSARY.  
8 SUCH OFFICER SHALL BE ELECTED FOR A TERM OF TWO (2) YEARS."

9 SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE. THIS ACT IS EFFECTIVE UPON  
10 PASSAGE AND APPROVAL.

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