HOUSE BILL NO. HB0179

Optional municipal tax-election.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Zwonitzer and Senator(s)
Case

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to taxation and revenue; removing the
- 2 requirement that a proposition for a municipal sales and
- 3 use tax be voted on only at a general election; and
- 4 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. 39-15-203(a)(vi)(D) and
- 9 39-16-203(a)(v)(D) are amended to read:

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11 **39-15-203.** Imposition.

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13 (a) Taxable event. The following shall apply:

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1 (vi) The following provisions apply to 2 imposition of the municipal tax under W.S. 3 39-15-204(a)(vii): 4 5 (D) No tax shall be imposed under this paragraph until a specific proposition to impose the tax is 6 7 approved by a vote of the majority of the qualified 8 electors voting on the specific proposition. in a general election. The purpose of the tax and the maximum estimated 9 10 amount of revenue to be collected shall be specified in the proposition. The election shall be held in accordance with 11 12 W.S. 22-21-101 through 22-21-112. Any excise tax imposed under this paragraph shall commence as provided by W.S. 13 39-15-207(c) following the election approving the 14 15 imposition of the tax; 16 17 39-16-203. Imposition. 18 19 Taxable event. The following shall apply: (a) 20 21 (v) The following provisions apply to imposition of the municipal tax under W.S. 39-16-204(a)(vi): 22

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| 2 | paragraph until a specific proposition to impose the tax is |
| 3 | approved by a vote of the majority of the qualified |
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| 5 | election. The purpose of the tax and the maximum estimated |
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| 9 | under this paragraph shall commence as provided by W.S. |
| 10 | 39-16-207(c) following the election approving the |
| 11 | imposition of the tax; |
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| 13 | Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2021. |
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