

ORIGINAL SENATE  
FILE NO. 0051

ENROLLED ACT NO. 12, SENATE

SIXTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING  
2014 BUDGET SESSION

AN ACT relating to workers' compensation; clarifying eligibility for elective coverage of corporate officers, members of a limited liability company, general partners and sole proprietors; and providing for an effective date.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

**Section 1.** W.S. 27-14-102(a)(viii)(intro) and by creating a new subparagraph (J) and 27-14-108(k) are amended to read:

**27-14-102. Definitions.**

(a) As used in this act:

(viii) "Employer" means any person or entity employing an employee engaged in any extrahazardous occupation or electing coverage under W.S. 27-14-108(j) or (k) and at least one (1) of whose employees is described in W.S. 27-14-301. "Employer" includes:

(J) Any corporation, limited liability company, partnership or sole proprietorship electing coverage pursuant to W.S. 27-14-108(k), whether or not the corporation, limited liability company, partnership or sole proprietorship has other employees covered by this act.

**27-14-108. Extrahazardous industries, employments, occupations; enumeration; definitions; optional coverage.**

(k) Any corporation, limited liability company, partnership or sole proprietorship may elect to obtain coverage under this act for any or all of its corporate officers, limited liability company members, partners in a partnership or sole proprietor by notifying the division in

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writing of its election upon initial registration with the division, or thirty (30) days prior to the beginning of a calendar quarter. Any employer electing coverage pursuant to this subsection shall, if it has other employees, simultaneously elect coverage for its employees, as provided in subsection (j) of this section, if those employees are not already covered under this act. Notwithstanding subsection (j) of this section, an employer shall not withdraw coverage at any time during the subsequent eight (8) calendar quarters. Application for termination of coverage under this subsection shall be filed in writing with the division. Termination of coverage shall be effective the first day of the month following the division's receipt of the notice of termination which shall specify whether the termination is for the officers, members and partners or for the officers, members, partners and all electively covered employees.

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**Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2014.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Governor

TIME APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this act originated in the Senate.

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Chief Clerk