

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0089

Monthly ad valorem tax revisions-enforcement.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Greear, Burkhart, Crago and
Harshman and Senator(s) Anderson, Kost and
Perkins

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to mineral production; allowing for
2 regulation of oil and gas production until unpaid taxes are
3 paid; making conforming changes; and providing for an
4 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. 30-5-104(d) by creating a new
9 paragraph (x) and 39-13-113(e)(intro) are amended to read:

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11 **30-5-104. Oil and gas conservation commission; powers**
12 **and duties; investigations; rules and regulations.**

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14 (d) The commission has authority:

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1 (x) To order that a well be plugged or to
2 prohibit drilling or otherwise regulate production if an
3 owner or producer has more than two million dollars
4 (\$2,000,000.00) in unpaid taxes that are more than ninety
5 (90) days delinquent under W.S. 39-13-113. The commission
6 shall remove any regulation under this paragraph when the
7 unpaid taxes are paid.

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9 **39-13-113. Monthly payment of ad valorem tax on gross**
10 **product of mineral production.**

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12 (e) Failure to make payments at the time they are due
13 and payable under this section shall subject the taxpayer
14 to the enforcement provisions of W.S. 30-5-104(d)(x) and
15 39-13-108 and shall also be subject to enforcement as
16 follows:

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18 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2022.

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