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## **Department of Environmental Quality**

To protect, conserve, and enhance the Quality of Wyoming's environment for the benefit of current and future generations.



Matthew H. Mead, Governor



Todd Parfitt, Director

To:

The Honorable Matt Mead

From:

Mr. Todd Parfitt, Director

Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ)

Subject:

Proposed revisions to the Wyoming Hazardous Waste Rules and Regulations (HWRR)

DEQ/Solid and Hazardous Waste Division

Date:

October 2, 2018

**Priority:** 

HIGH - Deadline for response is October 16, 2018 (Date+10 business days)

**Summary:** 

The Wyoming Water and Waste Advisory Board has considered and approved the enclosed revisions to Chapter 1 of the Wyoming HWRR, which utilize Incorporation by Reference (IBR) of the Federal Title 40 Code of Federal Regulations. The revised rules represent an update of the rules from the last revision in 2015. The DEQ requests permission to begin formal rule-making. Enclosed please find the following:

- 1. Draft Statement of Principal Reasons for rule adoption.
- 2. Draft copy of revised IBR rules.
- 3. Redline copy of revised IBR rules.
- 4. Attorney General's review for statutory authority.
- 5. Takings Checklist and accompanying analysis.

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Governor's Response Options (to be completed by Governor's Office):

Agency may proceed. Delay Public Comment and Set Up Meeting with

Signature: Governor's Counsel

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