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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This legislation clarifies that the jurisdiction of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission does not include corporations or others owning, controlling, or operating a water system which delivers water to a single entity that is not subject to regulation by the Commission. It also confirms that homeowners associations, cooperative associations and water districts are not subject to regulation by the Commission.

FISCAL NOTE

The legislation would result in a reduction in the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's costs associated with investigating, conducting formal proceedings, and potentially regulating water companies that deliver water to a single entity that is not subject to regulation by the Commission. The legislation would also reduce the regulatory burden and associated costs on small water user entities that have not historically been regulated by the Commission.

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