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**RESTRICTIONS ON DESIGNATION OF
WETLANDS**

2007 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Sheldon L. Killpack

House Sponsor: Gregory H. Hughes

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill enacts provisions relating to county and municipal land use and development authority.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

▶ prohibits counties and municipalities from designating or treating land as wetlands unless the land has been designated as wetlands by an agency of the federal government.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

10-9a-521, Utah Code Annotated 1953

17-27a-520, Utah Code Annotated 1953

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **10-9a-521** is enacted to read:



28 **10-9a-521. Wetlands.**

29 A municipality may not designate or treat any land as wetlands unless the United States
30 Army Corps of Engineers or other agency of the federal government has designated the land as
31 wetlands.

32 Section 2. Section **17-27a-520** is enacted to read:

33 **17-27a-520. Wetlands.**

34 A county may not designate or treat any land as wetlands unless the United States Army
35 Corps of Engineers or other agency of the federal government has designated the land as
36 wetlands.

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