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HOUSE BILL 33

57TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2025

INTRODUCED BY

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AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT; PROHIBITING THE CONSTRUCTION OF
NEW SOURCES OF EMISSIONS AND ACTIVITIES RELATING TO OIL AND GAS
IN COUNTIES WHERE OZONE CONCENTRATIONS ARE IN EXCESS OF THE
PRIMARY NATIONAL AMBIENT AIR QUALITY STANDARDS FOR OZONE.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. A new section of the Air Quality Control Act
is enacted to read:

"[NEW MATERIAL] PROHIBITION ON THE CONSTRUCTION OF NEW
SOURCES RELATING TO OIL AND GAS IN COUNTIES WHERE OZONE
CONCENTRATIONS ARE IN EXCESS OF THE PRIMARY NATIONAL AMBIENT
AIR QUALITY STANDARDS FOR OZONE.--Beginning July 1, 2025, the
department and a local agency shall prohibit the construction
of a new source relating to oil and gas production in a county
where the environmental improvement board or the local agency

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1 determines that emissions from sources in a county within the
2 environmental improvement board's jurisdiction or the local
3 authority's jurisdiction cause or contribute to ozone
4 concentrations in excess of the primary national ambient air
5 quality standard for ozone as promulgated pursuant to the
6 federal Clean Air Act or its subsequent amendments and
7 successor provisions."

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