

SENATE FILE NO. SF0136

Homicide aggravating circumstances.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Decaria and Sessions and
Representative(s) Throne

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; providing that
2 homicide of a pregnant woman is an aggravating circumstance
3 for the imposition of the death penalty as specified; and
4 providing for an 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. 6-2-102(h) by creating a new
9 paragraph (xiii) is amended to read:

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11 **6-2-102. Presentence hearing for murder in the first**
12 **degree; mitigating and aggravating circumstances; effect of**
13 **error in hearing.**

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15 (h) Aggravating circumstances are limited to the
16 following:

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(xiii) The victim was a pregnant woman, and the defendant intentionally killed the victim knowing she was pregnant.

Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2009.

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