

SENATE FILE NO. SF0065

Enticement of a minor.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Hicks and Coe and
Representative(s) Burkhardt, Gingery and
Krone

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; defining the
2 offense of enticement of a minor; providing criminal
3 penalties; and providing for an effective date.

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5 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 6-2-205 is created to read:

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9 **6-2-205. Enticement of a minor; penalties.**

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11 (a) A person is guilty of enticing a minor if the
12 person:

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14 (i) Knowingly entices, lures or orders or
15 attempts to entice, lure or order a minor under the age of
16 fifteen (15) years into any area or structure that is

1 obscured from or inaccessible to the public or into a motor
2 vehicle;

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4 (ii) Does not have the express or implied
5 permission of the minor's parent, guardian or other person
6 responsible for the general supervision of the minor;

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8 (iii) Is eighteen (18) years of age or older;
9 and

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11 (iv) Is unknown to the minor.

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13 (b) It is an affirmative defense to a prosecution
14 under this section that the person's actions were
15 reasonable under the circumstances and he did not have any
16 intent to harm the health, safety or welfare of the minor.

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18 (c) Enticement of a minor is a felony punishable by
19 imprisonment for not more than five (5) years, a fine of
20 not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), or both.

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22 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2013.

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