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INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE BILL NO. _____

Peace officers-court security officer.

Sponsored by: Joint Judiciary Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to peace officers; amending definitions of
2 "peace officer" to include specified court security
3 officers; 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. 6-1-104(a)(vi)(O) and (P) and by
8 creating a new subparagraph (Q) and 7-2-101(a)(iv)(M) and
9 (N) and by creating a new subparagraph (O) are amended to
10 read:

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12 **6-1-104. Definitions.**

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1 (a) As used in W.S. 6-1-101 through 6-10-203 unless
2 otherwise defined:

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4 (vi) "Peace officer" includes the following
5 officers assigned to duty in the state of Wyoming:

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7 (O) The director and full-time staff
8 instructors of the Wyoming law enforcement academy when
9 duly appointed and acting pursuant to W.S. 9-1-633(b); ~~and~~

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11 (P) Any superintendent, assistant
12 superintendent or full-time park ranger of any state park
13 or historic site who has qualified pursuant to W.S. 9-1-701
14 through 9-1-707, when acting within the boundaries of the
15 state park or historic site or when responding to a request
16 to assist other peace officers acting within the scope of
17 their official duties in their own jurisdiction; ~~and~~

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19 (Q) Any duly authorized court security
20 officer employed by the Wyoming judicial branch who is
21 qualified pursuant to W.S. 9-1-701 through 9-1-707.

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23 **7-2-101. Definitions.**

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2 (a) As used in W.S. 7-2-101 through 7-2-107:

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4 (iv) "Peace officer" means:

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6 (M) Certified law enforcement officers of
7 an adjoining state while responding to a request for
8 assistance from a peace officer in this state pursuant to
9 the "Law Enforcement Interstate Mutual Aid Act" or other
10 lawful request; ~~and~~

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12 (N) The director and full-time staff
13 instructors of the Wyoming law enforcement academy when
14 duly appointed and acting pursuant to W.S. 9-1-633(b) ~~;~~ and

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16 (O) Any duly authorized court security
17 officer employed by the Wyoming judicial branch who is
18 qualified pursuant to W.S. 9-1-701 through 9-1-707.

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20 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2010.

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