

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0142

Assault and battery on emergency medical technicians.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Diercks

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; providing penalties
2 for interference with or assault and battery upon an
3 emergency medical technician as specified; providing a
4 definition; and 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. 6-5-213 is created to read:

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10 **6-5-213. Interference with emergency personnel;**
11 **penalties.**

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13 (a) A person commits a misdemeanor punishable by
14 imprisonment for not more than one (1) year, a fine of not
15 more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or both, if he
16 knowingly obstructs, impedes or interferes with an

1 emergency medical technician while engaged in the lawful
2 performance of his duties.

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4 (b) A person who intentionally and knowingly causes
5 or attempts to cause bodily injury to an emergency medical
6 technician engaged in the lawful performance of his duties
7 is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not
8 more than ten (10) years.

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10 (c) As used in this section, "emergency medical
11 technician" means as defined by W.S. 33-36-102(a)(x).

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13 **Section 2.** This act is effective immediately upon
14 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law
15 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming
16 Constitution.

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18 (END)