

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0149

Unfilled position elimination.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Wallis and Mercer

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to state government; providing for the
2 elimination of positions in state governmental entities
3 which remain unfilled as specified; and providing for an
4 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. 9-2-1011 by creating a new subsection
9 (d) is amended to read:

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11 **9-2-1011. Duties of budget division; preparation of**
12 **standard budget estimates; entities to prepare expanded and**
13 **exception budgets; form; required information; base**
14 **budgets.**

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16 (d) Any full or part-time permanent position in any
17 state governmental entity which has been vacant for a

period of twenty-four (24) consecutive months is eliminated
on the first day of the calendar month following which the
position has been vacant for twenty-four (24) consecutive
months. All funds appropriated for such positions shall
revert to the fund from which the appropriation was made.
No position eliminated pursuant to this section shall
appear in a state governmental entity's standard or
exception budget request during the biennium in which the
position is eliminated or in the subsequent biennium. For
purposes of this subsection "state governmental entity"
means any executive branch agency, state court, legislative
service office, the University of Wyoming and community
colleges.

15 **Section 2.** For purposes of this act the period of
16 vacancy prior to the effective date of this act shall be
17 included in computing the twenty-four (24) month vacancy
18 period.

20 **Section 3.** This act is effective July 1, 2008.

22 (END)