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**Chapter No.:** [Chapter Number\_RO]

**Prime Sponsor:** Pelkey

**Catch Title:** Divorce-residency.

**Subject:** Amending residency requirements for granting of a divorce.

**Summary/Major Elements:**

- Currently, Wyoming law requires the plaintiff in a divorce proceeding to either (1) reside in Wyoming for sixty (60) days prior to the filing of the divorce action, or (2) to have continually resided in Wyoming from the time the marriage was solemnized if the marriage was solemnized in Wyoming.
- This act amends the residency requirement to allow for the granting of a divorce if either party, the plaintiff or defendant, meets these criteria.

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