



HB0299

Online sports wagering amendments.

Sponsored By: Representative(s) Posey, Chestek, Larsen, L and Yin
and Senator(s) Nethercott

AN ACT relating to gaming; authorizing Wyoming tribes to conduct online sports wagering as specified; amending geolocation system requirements; and providing for an effective date.

1/27/2025 Bill Number Assigned
1/28/2025 H Received for Introduction
1/30/2025 H Introduced and Referred to H06 - Travel
2/4/2025 H06 - Travel:Recommend Do Pass 9-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Byron, Campbell, Connolly, Harshman, Jarvis, Provenza, Storer, Thayer, Wharff

Ayes 9 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/4/2025 H Placed on General File
2/6/2025 H COW:Passed

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Page 3-lines 14 through 20 Delete entirely and insert:

"(II) All online sports wagering transactions shall be initiated and received or otherwise made by a patron who is physically located within the state, excluding patrons physically located on Indian lands as defined by 25 U.S.C. § 2703(4).". LARSEN, L, POSEY

2/7/2025 H 2nd Reading:Passed
2/10/2025 H 3rd Reading:Passed 45-14-3-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Andrew, Angelos, Banks, Bratten, Brown, L, Byron, Campbell, E, Campbell, K, Chestek, Clouston, Connolly, Davis, Eklund, Erickson, Filer, Geringer, Guggenmos, Haroldson, Harshman, Heiner, Jarvis, Johnson, Kelly, Larsen, Larson, Lawley, Lucas, Neiman, Nicholas, Pendergraft, Posey, Provenza, Rodriguez-Williams, Schmid, Sherwood, Singh, Storer, Thayer, Washut, Wasserburger, Webb, Wharff, Williams, Wylie, Yin

Nays: Representative(s) Allemand, Bear, Brady, Brown, G, Hoeft, Knapp, Lien, Locke, Mccann, Ottman, Smith, Strock, Styvar, Webber

Excused: Representative(s) Riggins, Tarver, Winter

Ayes 45 **Nays** 14 **Excused** 3 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

2/10/2025 S Received for Introduction
2/18/2025 S Introduced and Referred to S06 - Travel
2/25/2025 S06 - Travel:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 4-1-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Boner, Jones, Landen, Schuler

Nays: Senator Hicks

Ayes 4 **Nays** 1 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

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(TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Page 1-line 2

Delete "amending".

Page 1-line 3

Delete line through "requirements;" and insert "requiring vendor permits to be issued as specified;".

Page 1-line 8

Delete "9-24-102(b)(i)(F)" and insert "9-24-103(m)".

Page 2-line 11

After "Reservation" insert ". Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the operation of a physical location by the tribe pursuant to secretarial procedures issued by the United States department of the interior shall not disqualify the tribe as a qualified gaming entity".

Page 2-line 14

After "Reservation" insert ". Notwithstanding any other provision of this chapter, the operation of a physical location by the tribe pursuant to a tribal-state gaming compact with the state of Wyoming shall not disqualify the tribe as a qualified gaming entity".

Page 2-lines 16 through 23 Delete entirely.

Page 3-lines 2 through 18 Delete entirely and insert:

"9-24-103. Permits; licenses; fees; application.

(m) The commission shall issue a permit to:

(i) A sports wagering vendor that is currently operating in good standing in a similar role in at least three (3) jurisdictions in the United States under a state regulatory structure and that has paid all required fees under subsection (e) of this section;

(ii) The Northern Arapaho tribe of the Wind River Reservation, provided that the tribe has paid all required fees under subsection (e) of this section;

(iii) The Eastern Shoshone tribe of the Wind River Reservation, provided that the tribe has paid all required fees under subsection (e) of this section.". LANDEN, CHAIRMAN

2/27/2025 S COW:Failed 12-12-7-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Boner, Cooper, Crago, Crum, Driskill, Gierau, Jones, Nethercott, Rothfuss, Schuler, Scott

Nays: Senator(s) Biteman, Brennan, French, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Laursen, Mckeown, Olsen, Pearson, Smith, Steinmetz

Excused: Senator(s) Barlow, Case, Dockstader, Kolb, Landen, Pappas, Salazar

Ayes 12 **Nays** 12 **Excused** 7 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0