

ORIGINAL SENATE  
FILE NO. 0039

ENROLLED ACT NO. 6, SENATE

SIXTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING  
2012 BUDGET SESSION

AN ACT relating to child support; providing that the legal obligation of a noncustodial parent to provide support for their adult child with a mental or physical disability may be adjusted upon a showing that an adjustment of the child support is in the best interest of the adult child; providing a burden of proof; and providing for an effective date.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

**Section 1.** W.S. 20-2-316 is created to read:

**20-2-316. Adjustment of child support for a disabled adult child.**

(a) A noncustodial parent may petition for an adjustment of child support for a child who has reached the age of majority but qualifies under W.S. 14-2-204(a)(i) to continue to receive support from the noncustodial parent. The court shall allow the adjustment in cases where the noncustodial parent proves by a preponderance of the evidence that an adjustment of the child support order is in the best interest of the child who has reached the age of majority.

(b) A noncustodial parent petitioning the court for an adjustment under this section shall adhere to the requirements of W.S. 20-2-311.

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**Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2012.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Governor

TIME APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this act originated in the Senate.

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Chief Clerk