

SENATE FILE NO. SF0049

Death penalty-execution.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Burns

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to criminal procedure; amending the method
2 of execution regarding death sentence as specified; and
3 providing for an effective date.

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

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 7-13-904(b) is amended to read:

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9 **7-13-904. Method of execution.**

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11 (b) If the execution of the sentence of death as
12 provided in subsection (a) of this section is held
13 unconstitutional or for other valid reason is unable to be
14 performed, the sentence of death shall be executed by ~~the~~
15 ~~administration of lethal gas~~ firing squad within the time
16 prescribed by law unless for cause shown, the court or the
17 governor extends the time.

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

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(END)