HOUSE BILL NO. HB0048

Motor vehicle head lamp usage.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Zwonitzer, Dv. and Pelkey and Senator(s) Driskill

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for

- 1 AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; requiring head lamp
- 2 illumination while using windshield wipers; and providing
- 3 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. 31-5-910 is amended to read:

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9 31-5-910. Lighted lamps and illuminating devices.

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- 11 (a) Every vehicle including those listed in W.S.
- 12 31-5-901(c), except as otherwise provided in this act,
- 13 shall display lighted head and other lamps and illuminating
- 14 devices as respectively required for different classes of

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vehicles, subject to exceptions with respect to parked 1 2 vehicles: 3 4 (i) Upon a highway within this state at any time from one-half (1/2) hour after sunset to one-half (1/2)5 hour before sunrise; 6 7 (ii) At any time a windshield wiper is in 8 continuous use due to rain, mist, snow, fog, or other 9 10 precipitation or atmospheric moisture; and 11 12 (iii) At any other time when, due to insufficient light or unfavorable atmospheric conditions, 13 persons and vehicles on the highway are not clearly 14 discernible at a distance of one thousand (1,000) feet 15 16 ahead. shall display lighted head and other lamps and illuminating devices as respectively required for different 17 18 classes of vehicles, subject to exceptions with respect to 19 parked vehicles. 20 21 (b) Stop lights, turn signals and other signaling devices shall be lighted as prescribed for those devices. 22

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Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2015.

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