

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0067

Circuit court magistrates-elimination.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Gingery

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to circuit courts; eliminating full-time
2 circuit court magistrates as specified; repealing and
3 amending provisions relating to full-time circuit court
4 magistrates; authorizing currently appointed full-time
5 magistrates to complete their terms of appointment; and
6 providing for an effective date.

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

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10 **Section 1.** W.S. 5-9-202 and 5-9-214 are amended to
11 read:

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13 **5-9-202. Circuit court to enter order appointing**
14 **magistrates.**

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16 The circuit court in open court shall enter an order
17 appointing each ~~full-time magistrate of the circuit court~~

1 ~~under W.S. 5-9-206 and each~~ part-time magistrate of the
2 circuit court under W.S. 5-9-210 and shall enter the order
3 upon the journal. A certified copy of the journal entry
4 shall be evidence of the appointment in all courts of this
5 state.

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7 **5-9-214. Circuit court to review orders; approval or**
8 **disapproval.**

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10 The circuit court shall at each term review and approve or
11 disapprove, reverse or modify orders made by, and
12 proceedings had before, magistrates in proceedings under
13 W.S. ~~5-9-208(c)(v), (vii) through (ix), (xiii)(F) and~~
14 ~~(xvii) and~~ 5-9-212(a)(v), (vii), (xi) and (xiii) through
15 (xv).

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17 **Section 2.** W.S. 5-9-201(a), 5-9-206 through 5-9-209
18 and 34-26-103(a)(vi) are repealed.

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20 **Section 3.** Any person duly appointed and performing
21 the duties of a full-time magistrate under W.S. 5-9-207(a)
22 on July 1, 2011 may serve the remainder of the term for
23 which he was appointed.

