

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0090

Release of juveniles to responsible adult.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Larsen and Senator(s) Case

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to juveniles; specifying procedure for
2 determining responsible adult to whom a juvenile may be
3 released; and 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. 14-6-206 by creating a new subsection
8 (d) is amended to read:

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10 **14-6-206. Child in custody; no detention without**
11 **court order; exceptions; notice to parent or guardian;**
12 **release.**

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14 (d) For purposes of this section, "other responsible
15 adult" means an adult designated by order of a district
16 court. The court shall not designate an adult to whom a
17 juvenile may be released unless the court has received an

1 affidavit or other credible evidence establishing that the
2 designated adult is willing and able to care for and
3 supervise the juvenile and the court has received the
4 designated adult's written promise under subsection (b) of
5 this section.

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7 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2014.

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