

ORIGINAL SENATE
FILE NO. SF0064

ENROLLED ACT NO. 60, SENATE

SIXTY-FOURTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING
2017 GENERAL SESSION

AN ACT relating to motor vehicle crashes; eliminating confidentiality of crash reports; and providing for an effective date.

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

Section 1. W.S. 31-5-1110(b) and (c) and 31-5-1111(a) (intro) are amended to read:

31-5-1110. Confidentiality of supplemental information to reports; use of reports as evidence; exceptions.

(b) ~~All accident reports and~~ Supplemental information to a crash report filed in connection with the administration of the laws of this state relating to the deposit of security or proof of financial responsibility shall be confidential and not open to general public inspection., ~~nor shall copying of lists of the reports be permitted except~~ The reports and supplemental information may be examined by any person named therein or by his representative designated in writing.

(c) No written reports forwarded under this section shall be used as evidence in any trial, civil or criminal, arising out of ~~an accident~~ a crash except for prosecutions for filing false reports and, except that the highway department shall furnish upon demand of any party to the trial, or upon demand of any court, a certificate showing that a specified ~~accident~~ crash report has or has not been made to the highway department in compliance with law, and, if a report has been made, the date, time and location of the ~~accident~~ crash, the names and addresses of the drivers, the owners of the vehicles involved and the investigating officers.

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31-5-1111. Reports required by municipalities.

(a) Any municipality may by ordinance require that the driver of a vehicle involved in ~~an accident~~a crash, or the owner of the vehicle, shall file with a designated city department a report of the ~~accident~~crash or a copy of any report herein required to be filed with the highway department. All reports shall be ~~for the confidential use of the city department and~~ subject to W.S. 31-5-1110. Any ~~accident~~crash report required of persons involved in ~~accidents~~crashes shall be without prejudice to the individual so reporting. ~~and shall be for the confidential use of the municipality for accident prevention purposes, except that:~~

Section 2. W.S. 31-5-1111(a) (i) and (ii) is repealed.

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

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____

DATE APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the Senate.

Chief Clerk