

SENATE FILE NO. SF0071

Restricted driver's license-extreme inconvenience standards.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Bouchard and Agar and
Representative(s) Clem and Lindholm

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to driver's licenses; modifying when a
2 restricted driver's license may be issued to a minor;
3 modifying who may be transported by a restricted driver's
4 license holder; and providing for an effective date.

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

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 31-7-117(c) is amended to read:

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10 **31-7-117. Restricted licenses.**

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12 (c) The division may issue a restricted class "C" or
13 "M" license, or both such licenses, to a person who is between
14 the ages of fourteen (14) and sixteen (16) years upon receipt
15 of application, payment of the proper fees, ~~an~~ and a sworn

1 affidavit ~~of extreme inconvenience~~ signed by the parent or
2 legal guardian having custody of the applicant ~~and a finding~~
3 ~~by the highway patrol that extreme inconvenience actually~~
4 ~~exists~~ demonstrating an extreme inconvenience that justifies
5 the issuance of the restricted license. The applicant shall
6 successfully pass the examination required by W.S. 31-7-114.
7 A license under this subsection may issue only upon the
8 highway patrol confirming that an extreme inconvenience
9 actually exists. The licensee may drive a vehicle only between
10 the hours of 5:00 a.m. and ~~8:00~~ 11:00 p.m., within a fifty
11 (50) mile radius of his domicile and only at the direction of
12 his parent or guardian. If any person while licensed under
13 this subsection, receives a citation for a moving violation,
14 the division, upon receipt of the notice of conviction, shall
15 suspend the license and any other license or permit evidencing
16 that person's privilege to operate a motor vehicle. For
17 purposes of this subsection "extreme inconvenience" ~~includes~~
18 shall include the following circumstances:

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20 (i) The person must drive to school or drive an
21 immediate family member who resides with the person to school
22 and the person's residence is more than five (5) miles from
23 the school;

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10 five (5) miles from the person's residence;

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13 in his ~~parent's~~ parent or legal guardian's business; or

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16 patrol finds is an extreme inconvenience.

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18 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2019.

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