

Page 1-line 6 After "reports;" insert "amending elements and penalties for registration offenses and false voting;"; delete "failing to".

Page 1-line 7 Delete line through "other".

Page 1-line 14 After "(m)" insert ", 22-26-102(a)(intro), (i) and by creating new subsections (b) through (e), 22-26-106(a)(intro), (i), (iii) and by creating new subsections (b) through (e)".

Page 6-after line 20 Insert:

"22-26-102. Registration offenses.

(a) Registration offenses consist of performing any of the following acts ~~with the intent to deceive a registration official or to subvert the registration requirements of the law or rights of a qualified elector in connection with or related to the election process or an election:~~

(i) Signing or offering to sign an application to register when not a qualified elector or to register under a false name or residence address;

(b) Unless otherwise provided in subsection (c) of this section, registration offenses are misdemeanor offenses punishable by a fine of not more than two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

(c) Registration offenses committed with the intent to deceive a registration official are high misdemeanor offenses punishable by not more than one (1) year imprisonment, a fine of not more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or both.

(d) Second or subsequent offenses under subsection (c) of this section are felony offenses punishable by not more than five (5) years imprisonment, a fine of not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), or both.

(e) The county sheriff shall investigate registration offenses at the request of a county clerk who has reasonable

1 cause to believe that a person has committed a registration
2 offense. After an investigation and a finding that the
3 allegation has merit, the county sheriff shall refer the matter
4 to the district attorney for prosecution in the appropriate
5 courts of this state.

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7 **22-26-106. False voting.**
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9 (a) False voting consists of performing any of the
10 following acts in connection with or related to the election
11 process or an election:

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13 (i) Voting, or offering to vote, ~~with the knowledge~~
14 ~~of when~~ not being a qualified elector entitled to vote at the
15 election;

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17 (iii) ~~Knowingly~~ Voting, or offering to vote, in a
18 precinct other than that in which qualified to vote;

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20 (b) Unless otherwise provided in subsection (c) of this
21 section, false voting is a misdemeanor offense punishable by a
22 fine of not more than two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

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24 (c) False voting committed with the knowledge of not being
25 a qualified elector entitled to vote at the election or in that
26 precinct is a high misdemeanor offense punishable by not more
27 than one (1) year imprisonment, a fine of not more than five
28 thousand dollars (\$5,000.00), or both.

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30 (d) Second or subsequent offenses under subsection (c) of
31 this section are felony offenses punishable by not more than
32 five (5) years imprisonment, a fine of not more than ten
33 thousand dollars (\$10,000.00), or both.

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35 (e) The county sheriff shall investigate acts of false
36 voting at the request of a county clerk who has reasonable cause
37 to believe that a person has committed false voting. After an
38 investigation and a finding that the allegation has merit, the
39 county sheriff shall refer the matter to the district attorney
40 for prosecution in the appropriate courts of this state."

41 Page 9-after line 4 Insert:

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43 "(e) A complaint of a violation of W.S. 22-26-102 or
44 22-26-106 shall be filed with the county clerk for the county in
45 which the elector resides and be investigated by the county
46 sheriff as provided in those sections. If the county clerk or
47 other appropriate official specified in W.S. 22-26-102(e) or

1 22-26-106(e) fails or refuses for any reason to take action on
2 the elector's complaint, the elector may file a complaint with
3 the Wyoming attorney general.".
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5 Page 9-line 6 Delete "(e)" insert "(f)".
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7 Page 10-line 4 Delete "and" and insert ",".
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9 Page 10-line 5 After "22-25-109" insert "and
10 22-26-101(a)(i) and (v)". CASE