

1 Page 1-line 2 After "specified;" insert "creating a
2 permanently recorded brand; requiring
3 rulemaking;".
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5 Page 1-after line 4 Insert:
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7 "Section 1. W.S. 11-20-126 is created to read:
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9 **11-20-126. Permanently recorded brand.**
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11 (a) Any person may apply to permanently record a new or
12 existing brand. The board shall promulgate rules necessary for
13 providing for permanently recorded brands. Rules promulgated under
14 this section shall establish:
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16 (i) An application process for permanently recording a
17 brand. The application shall include the information required
18 under W.S. 11-20-103(a) and any other information the board may
19 require;
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21 (ii) Recording fees for permanently recording a brand,
22 provided that:
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24 (A) No recording fee shall exceed one thousand five
25 hundred dollars (\$1,500.00) for each application filed under this
26 section;
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28 (B) No additional recording fee shall be charged
29 for additional species or for rerecording;
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31 (C) If a brand is not recorded, twenty-five percent
32 (25%) of the recording fee shall be retained by the Wyoming
33 livestock board and the balance of the fee shall be refunded to
34 the applicant;
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36 (D) All fees collected shall be deposited into the
37 account created by W.S. 11-20-405.
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39 (iii) The length of time the permanently recorded brand
40 shall exist, provided that:
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42 (A) The board may require owners of permanently
43 recorded brands to provide notice of continuation of the
44 permanently recorded brand to the board at least once every ten

1 (10) years. The board shall not deem any brand abandoned because
2 of lack of notice;

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4 (B) If the board requires notice of continuation as
5 provided in subparagraph (A) of this paragraph, the board shall
6 prepare a form and shall send the notice of continuation form by
7 mail to the address shown on the brand records, and by electronic
8 mail if provided, at least sixty (60) days before the notice is
9 due.

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11 (b) A certified copy of the recorded brand shall be given to
12 the owner. All fees collected shall be deposited into the account
13 created by W.S. 11-20-405.

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15 (c) Any person with a brand that is permanently recorded under
16 this section shall not be required to rerecord the brand as
17 provided by W.S. 11-20-115.

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19 (d) No brand permanently recorded under this section shall be
20 transferable to another person or corporation without the person
21 or corporation receiving the transferred brand first paying the
22 recording fee required under this section or the recording fee
23 required under W.S. 11-20-116(b).".

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25 Page 1-line 6 Delete "**Section 1.**" and insert "**Section 2.**".

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27 Page 1-line 12 In the Steinmetz et al. committee of the whole
28 amendment (HB0134SW001/AE) to this line, after
29 stricken "section,", insert "Except as
30 provided in W.S. 11-20-126,".

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32 Page 3-after line 7 In the Steinmetz et al. committee of the
33 whole amendment (HB0134SW001/AE) to this line,
34 delete "**Section 2.**" and insert "**Section 3.**".

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36 Page 3-line 9 Delete the Steinmetz et al. committee of the
37 whole amendment (HB0134SW001/AE) to this line;
38 delete "**Section 2.**" and insert "**Section 4.**".
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