

HB0132H3001

Page 2-lines 4 through 14 Delete entirely including the
Greear second reading amendment
(HB0132H2001/A) to these lines and insert:

"(b) ~~Whenever an employee who has quit or has been discharged from service has cause to bring suit for wages earned and due, and shall establish in court the amount which is justly due, the~~ A court shall allow to ~~the~~ a plaintiff who has cause to bring suit for wages earned and due interest on the past due wages at the rate of eighteen percent (18%) per annum from the date of discharge or termination or from the date when unpaid wages are required to be paid as specified in this act, together with a reasonable attorney fee and all costs of suit. To qualify under this subsection, an employee shall establish:

(i) The amount which is justly due to the employee but was not paid; and

(ii) That the wages earned and due were not paid within seven (7) days of the date upon which the employee was most recently entitled to wage payment.

(c) Prosecution of a civil action to recover unpaid wages does not preclude prosecution under W.S. 27-4-105." CLEM