

HB0127

Public health amendments.

Sponsored By: Representative(s) Barlow, Larsen, Olsen, Sommers and

Wilson and Senator(s) Baldwin, Case, Driskill and

Perkins

AN ACT relating to the public health; amending and creating provisions governing the issuance of orders relating to the public health; amending provisions governing the appointment and oversight of the state health officer; providing applicability; and providing for an effective date.

2/16/2021 Bill Number Assigned

2/24/2021 H Received for Introduction

3/3/2021 H Introduced and Referred to H07 - Corporations 3/8/2021 H07 - Corporations:Recommend Do Pass 9-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Blackburn, Clausen, Clifford, Duncan, Eyre, Hunt, Macguire, Roscoe, Zwonitzer

Ayes 9 Nays 0 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

3/8/2021 H Placed on General File

3/22/2021 H COW: Passed

HB0127H2001/ADOPTED (CORRECTED CORRECTED COPY)

Page 3-after line 2 Insert:

"(b) Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to limit a parent or guardian's right to the care, custody and control of a minor child under the care of the parent or guardian.". HALLINAN

3/23/2021 H 2nd Reading:Passed

HB0127H3001/ADOPTED

Page 3-after line 2 In the Hallinan second reading amendment (HB0127H2001/ACC) to this line, after subsection (b) inserted by that amendment insert:

- "(c) Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to limit a caregiver's right to the care, custody and control of a vulnerable adult.
 - (d) As used in this section:
- (i) "Caregiver" means a family member responsible, or a person with court ordered responsibility, for the care, custody and control of a vulnerable adult.
- (ii) "Vulnerable adult" means as defined in W.S. 35-20-102(a)(xviii).". LAURSEN

HB0127H3002/FAILED

Page 1-line 4 After "officer;" insert "providing for senate confirmation of the state health officer; authorizing the removal of local health officers as specified;".

Page 3-line 5 After "21-4-309(d)(i)" delete "and" and insert ",".

Page 3-line 6 After "(c)" insert ", 35-1-305 by creating a new subsection (d) and 35-1-306(a)".

Page 3-line 12 After "appoint" insert ", subject to senate confirmation,".

Page 5-after line 3 Insert:

"35-1-305. Appointment of health officers and other personnel generally; local board of health may fix fees for certain services.

(d) The governing body of a municipality may remove the full-time or parttime health officer of a municipal health department. The governing body of a county may remove the full-time or part-time health officer of a county health department. The governing bodies of each political subdivision participating in a district health department may jointly act to remove the full-time or parttime district health department officer by a majority vote of each governing body voting separately. The authority provided in this subsection is in addition to the authority of a local board of health to remove the full-time or parttime health officer.

35-1-306. Appointment of health officer and other personnel where departments not established; fees and charges for services; payment.

(a) In counties or municipalities where such departments are not established the boards of county commissioners or municipal governing body shall appoint the county or municipal health officer and other necessary personnel. The governing body of any combination of municipalities, counties, or municipalities and counties where such departments are not established may form a health district and appoint a district health officer thereof. The term of office for the county, municipal, or district health officer shall be four (4) years unless sooner removed by the board of county commissioners, municipal, or district governing body. Additionally, the governing bodies of each political subdivision participating in the district may jointly act to remove a district health officer by a majority vote of each governing body voting separately. He shall have a degree of doctor of medicine, and shall assist the state department of health in carrying out the provisions of all health and sanitary laws and regulations of the state." GRAY

3/24/2021 H 3rd Reading: Passed 58-2-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Andrew, Baker, Barlow, Bear, Blackburn, Brown, Burkhart, Burt, Clausen, Clifford, Connolly, Crago, Duncan, Eklund, Eyre, Flitner, Fortner, Gray, Greear, Hallinan, Haroldson, Harshman, Heiner, Henderson, Hunt, Jennings, Kinner, Knapp, Larsen, L, Laursen, D, Macguire, Martinez, Neiman, Newsome, Nicholas, Oakley, Obermueller, O'hearn, Olsen, Ottman, Paxton, Provenza, Roscoe, Schwartz, Simpson, Sommers, Stith, Styvar, Sweeney, Walters, Washut, Western, Wharff, Williams, Wilson, Winter, Yin, Zwonitzer

Nays: Representative(s) Banks, Sherwood

Ayes 58 Nays 2 Excused 0 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

3/25/2021 S Received for Introduction

3/25/2021 S Introduced and Referred to S07 - Corporations

3/26/2021 : Refer to S02 - Appropriations

3/29/2021 S02 - Appropriations: Recommend Do Pass 3-1-1-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Hicks, Kinskey, Steinmetz

Nays: Senator Gierau Excused: Senator Perkins

Ayes 3 Nays 1 Excused 1 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

3/29/2021 S Placed on General File

HB0127SW001/ADOPTED (TO ENGROSSED COPY) (CORRECTED COPY)

Page 1-line 14

After "(a)" insert "No public health order requested or issued by a county, municipal or district health officer under this article shall become effective without notice being provided to the public not less than forty-eight (48) hours before the order is to become effective and an opportunity to provide public comment through written and electronic submissions is provided, except when the delay will result in immediate and life threatening physical harm, exposure or transmission beyond the existing affected area.".

Page 5-line 19 Delete "_".

Page 5-line 20 Delete "including order extensions,".

Page 5-line 21 Delete "for any".

Page 5-line 22 Delete "duration".

Page 5-line 23 Delete "_" and insert:

"and shall only be in effect for sixty (60) days unless ratified by the legislature through legislative order, with each house voting separately. Orders ratified by the legislature shall be in effect until:

(i) The date set in the legislative order for termination of the order. If no date is set, the order shall automatically terminate sixty (60) days after ratification;

(ii) The legislature terminates the order; or

(iii) The public health officer with approval of the governor terminates the order.".

Page 6-line 11

Delete "July 1, 2021" and insert "immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution". MCKEOWN

4/1/2021 S COW: Passed

HB0127S2001/ADOPTED (TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Page 5-line 23

In the McKeown committee of the whole amendment (HB0127SW001/AE) to this line, after "with each house voting separately." insert "For purposes of ratifying an order issued under this section, the legislature may convene by electronic means or at a place or places other than the seat of government if the public health emergency necessitates meeting by electronic means or at another place or places. If the legislature meets via electronic means or at a place or places other than the seat of government, the legislative session convened to ratify an order issued under this section shall be anchored at the seat of government with the presiding officer or an acting presiding officer of each house present at the seat of government.". MCKEOWN

4/2/2021 S 2nd Reading:Passed

HB0127S3001/ADOPTED

(TO ENGROSSED COPY)

- "(b) Any order issued under paragraphs (a)(i) through (iii) of this section shall:
- (i) Supersede any previous order issued by a county, municipal or district health officer;
- (ii) Be issued in consultation with the county, municipal or district health officer, as applicable;
- (iii) Not be subject to any modification, repeal or abrogation by the state department of health or the state health officer, notwithstanding W.S. 35-1-227 and 35-4-104.".

Page 3-line 4 Delete "(b)" and insert "(c)".

Page 3-line 9 Delete "(c)" and insert "(d)".

Page 3-line 13 Delete "(d)" and insert "(e)". MCKEOWN

4/2/2021 S 3rd Reading: Passed 19-10-1-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Biteman, Bouchard, Cooper, Dockstader, Driskill, Ellis, French, Furphy, Hicks, Hutchings, James, Kinskey, Kolb, Mckeown, Salazar, Schuler, Steinmetz, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator(s) Baldwin, Case, Gierau, Kost, Landen, Nethercott, Pappas, Perkins, Rothfuss, Scott

Excused: Senator Boner

Ayes 19 Nays 10 Excused 1 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

4/6/2021 H Received for Concurrence 4/6/2021 H Concur:Failed 19-38-3-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Andrew, Baker, Bear, Blackburn, Clausen, Eklund, Fortner, Gray, Hallinan, Haroldson, Heiner, Jennings, Knapp, Laursen, D, Neiman, Ottman, Styvar, Wharff, Winter

Nays: Representative(s) Banks, Barlow, Brown, Burkhart, Clifford, Connolly, Crago, Duncan, Eyre, Flitner, Harshman, Henderson, Hunt, Kinner, Larsen, L, Macguire, Martinez, Newsome, Nicholas, Oakley, Obermueller, O'hearn, Olsen, Paxton, Provenza, Roscoe, Schwartz, Sherwood, Simpson, Sommers, Stith, Sweeney, Walters, Washut, Western, Wilson, Yin, Zwonitzer

Excused: Representative(s) Burt, Greear, Williams

Ayes 19 Nays 38 Excused 3 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

4/6/2021 H Appointed JCC01 Members

Representative(s) Wilson, Banks, Larsen

4/6/2021 S Appointed JCC01 Members

Senator(s) McKeown, Nethercott, Steinmetz

4/7/2021 H Adopted HB0127JC001: 35-18-7-0-0

HB0127JC001/HADOPTEDSADOPTED (TO ENGROSSED COPY)

Delete the following Senate amendments:

HB0127SW001/AE

HB0127S2001/AE

HB0127S3001/AE

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| | comment through written and electronic submissions is provided, except when the delay will result in immediate and life threatening physical harm, exposure |
| | or transmission beyond the existing affected area.". |

| Page | 2-line | 21 | After | "of | a" | insert | "health | district | or | a". | |
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Page 5-line 22 Delete "duration".

Page 5-line 23

After "officer" insert "and shall be in effect for not more than sixty (60) days". WILSON, BANKS, LARSEN, MCKEOWN, NETHERCOTT, STEINMETZ

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Representative(s) Andrew, Baker, Barlow, Bear, Blackburn, Brown, Burkhart, Clausen, Clifford, Duncan, Eklund, Eyre, Flitner, Gray, Haroldson, Hunt, Kinner, Knapp, Larsen, L, Macguire, Martinez, Nicholas, Oakley, Obermueller, Olsen, Paxton, Simpson, Sommers, Stith, Sweeney, Walters, Western, Wharff, Wilson, Winter

Nays: Representative(s) Banks, Connolly, Crago, Fortner, Hallinan, Heiner, Henderson, Jennings, Laursen, D, Neiman, O'hearn, Provenza, Roscoe, Schwartz, Sherwood, Styvar, Yin, Zwonitzer

Excused: Representative(s) Burt, Greear, Harshman, Newsome, Ottman, Washut,

Williams

Ayes 35 Nays 18 Excused 7 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

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Page 5-line 20 Delete "including order extensions,".

Page 5-line 21 Delete "<u>for any</u>".

Page 5-line 22 Delete "<u>duration</u>".

After "officer" insert "and shall be in effect for not Page 5-line 23 more than sixty (60) days". WILSON, BANKS, LARSEN, MCKEOWN, NETHERCOTT, STEINMETZ

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Baldwin, Biteman, Boner, Cooper, Dockstader, Driskill, Ellis, French, Furphy, Hicks, Hutchings, James, Kinskey, Kolb, Kost, Mckeown, Nethercott, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz, Wasserburger

Nays: Senator(s) Case, Gierau, Landen, Pappas, Perkins, Rothfuss

Excused: Senator Bouchard

Ayes 23 Nays 6 Excused 1 Absent 0 Conflicts 0

4/7/2021 Assigned Number HEA No. 0093 H Speaker Signed HEA No. 0093 4/7/2021 4/7/2021 S President Signed HEA No. 0093 4/22/2021 Became Law without Signature 4/22/2021 Assigned Chapter Number 168

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