



SF0073

Lawful fences.

Sponsored By: Joint Agriculture, State and Public Lands & Water
Resources Interim Committee

AN ACT relating to agriculture, livestock and other animals; amending the penalties for the construction or maintenance of an unlawful wire fence; amending the civil liability standard for damage caused by an unlawful wire fence from animals to livestock; limiting the shared costs of a partition fence between a subdivider and an adjoining landowner; amending the liability of a subdivider for livestock that enters onto subdivided land; making a conforming amendment; and providing for an effective date.

1/4/2023 Bill Number Assigned
1/9/2023 S Received for Introduction
1/10/2023 S Introduced and Referred to S05 - Agriculture
1/11/2023 S05 - Agriculture:Recommend Amend and Do Pass 5-0-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) French, Hicks, Ide, Kolb, Steinmetz
Ayes 5 **Nays** 0 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0

1/11/2023 S Placed on General File

SF0073SS001/ADOPTED

Page 1-line 5 Delete "limiting the shared" and insert "providing that a subdivider is responsible for the".

Page 2-line 23 Before "construction" insert "cost of".

Page 3-line 3 Strike "parties in" and insert "subdivider.".

Page 3-lines 4 through 9 Strike all existing language and delete all new language.

Page 3-line 10 Delete all new language. STEINMETZ, CHAIRMAN

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Page 3-line 3 In the Senate standing committee amendment (SF0073SS001/A) to this line, after "subdivider." insert "The responsibility for the costs of maintenance of a perimeter partition fence between a subdivision and adjacent lands shall transfer with the ownership of the subdivided land.". KOLB

1/11/2023 S COW:Passed
1/12/2023 S 2nd Reading:Laid Back
1/16/2023 S 2nd Reading:Passed
1/17/2023 S 3rd Reading:Failed 4-27-0-0-0

ROLL CALL

Ayes: Senator(s) Anderson, Boner, Kinskey, Landen
Nays: Senator(s) Baldwin, Barlow, Biteman, Bouchard, Brennan, Case, Cooper, Dockstader, Ellis, French, Furphy, Gierau, Hicks, Hutchings, Ide, Jones, Kolb, Laursen, Mckeown, Nethercott, Pappas, President Driskill, Rothfuss, Salazar, Schuler, Scott, Steinmetz

Ayes 4 **Nays** 27 **Excused** 0 **Absent** 0 **Conflicts** 0