Motor vehicle passing bicycles.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Stubson, Krone, Pelkey and Petroff and Senator(s) Case and Rothfuss

A BILL

for

AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; providing requirements for motor vehicles overtaking and passing bicycles as specified; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 31-5-203(a)(intro) and by creating a new subsection (c) is amended to read:

31-5-203. Rules governing overtaking on the left.

(a) The following rules shall govern the overtaking and passing of vehicles proceeding in the same direction, subject to those limitations, exceptions and special rules
hereinafter stated and those contained in subsection (c) of this section:

(c) The driver of a motor vehicle overtaking and passing a bicycle, which is operating lawfully, proceeding in the same direction shall, when space allows, maintain at least a three (3) foot separation between the right side of the driver's motor vehicle, including all mirrors and other projections from the motor vehicle, and the bicycle.

Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2015.

(END)