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INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE BILL NO. [BILL NUMBER]

Voter registry list-voter ID and absentee ballots.

Sponsored by: Joint Corporations, Elections & Political  
Subdivisions Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to elections; amending the definition of  
2 registry list to include voter identification numbers and  
3 absentee ballot requests and returns; making conforming  
4 amendments; and providing for an effective date.

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

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8 **Section 1.** W.S. 22-1-102(a)(xxix), 22-2-113(d) and  
9 22-3-108(a)(vi) and by creating new paragraphs (viii) and  
10 (ix) are amended to read:

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12 **22-1-102. Definitions.**

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2 (a) The definitions contained in this chapter apply  
3 to words and phrases used in this Election Code and govern  
4 the construction of those words and phrases unless they are  
5 specifically modified by the context in which they appear.  
6 As used in this Election Code:

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8 (xxix) "Registry list" is the list by precinct  
9 of the names, addresses, party affiliations, unique  
10 identifying numbers generated by the state, information  
11 relating to absentee ballot requests and returns and  
12 precinct and district numbers of the registered electors in  
13 the county prepared by the secretary of state or county  
14 clerks for distribution as provided in W.S. 22-2-113;

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16 **22-2-113. Availability and form of registry lists;**  
17 **use of copies; election record; purging.**

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19 (d) Unless otherwise specifically stated in this  
20 Election Code, all election records of the county clerk are  
21 public. The availability and dissemination of such records  
22 shall be in accordance with the Wyoming Public Records Act.  
23 Election records containing social security numbers,

1 portions of social security numbers, driver's license  
2 numbers, birth dates, telephone numbers, tribal  
3 identification card numbers, e-mail addresses and other  
4 personally identifiable information other than names,  
5 gender, addresses, unique identifying numbers generated by  
6 the state and party affiliations are not public records and  
7 shall be kept confidential. When necessary, members of the  
8 county or state canvassing boards may access confidential  
9 information for purposes of this code but shall maintain  
10 its confidentiality.

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12 **22-3-108. Official registry list information.**

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14 (a) The official registry list shall contain at least  
15 the following information as to each registered elector:

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17 (vi) Date of birth; ~~and~~

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19 (viii) A unique identifying number generated by  
20 the state; and

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22 (ix) Information relating to absentee ballot  
23 requests and returns.

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**Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2023.

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