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HOUSE BILL NO. [BILL NUMBER]

Firearm hold agreement-limited liability.

Sponsored by: Joint Transportation, Highways & Military Affairs Interim Committee

A BILL

- for AN ACT relating to civil procedure; providing liability for 1 a person that returns a firearm to the firearm owner 2 pursuant to a firearm hold agreement; providing an 3 4 exception; providing a definition; specifying 5 applicability; and providing for an effective date. 6 7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming: 8 9 **Section 1.** W.S. 1-3-120 is created to read: 10
- 11 1-3-120. Firearm hold agreements; limitation of 12 liability; definition.

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2 (a) No cause of action shall arise against a person

3 for returning a firearm to a firearm owner at the

4 termination of a firearm hold agreement.

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6 (b) The immunity provided in subsection (a) shall not

7 apply to an action arising against a person for returning a

8 firearm to a firearm owner at the termination of a firearm

9 hold agreement if the action was the result of a breach of

10 contract or otherwise unlawful conduct on the part of the

11 person holding a firearm for another person.

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13 (c) As used in this section, "firearm hold agreement"

14 means a written or oral agreement between a firearm owner

15 and another person in which the other person takes physical

16 possession of the firearm owner's lawfully possessed

17 firearm at the owner's request, holds the firearm for an

18 agreed period of time and returns the firearm to the owner

19 according to the terms of the agreement.

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21 Section 2. This act shall apply to all firearm hold

22 agreements entered into on or after July 1, 2025.

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1 Section 3. This act is effective July 1, 2025.

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3 (END)