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INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE BILL NO.

Business entities-address of registered agent.

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

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to corporations, partnerships and
2 associations; clarifying requirements for providing the
3 address of the registered office of a business entity;
4 providing a penalty; 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. 17-28-101(a)(i) and 17-28-108(e) are
9 amended to read:

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11 **17-28-101. Registered office and registered agent.**

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1 (a) Each business entity shall continuously maintain
2 in this state:

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4 (i) A registered office that may be the same as
5 any of its places of business but shall be located at a
6 street address in Wyoming which shall be a physical
7 location where the business entity's registered agent, or a
8 natural person who has an agency relationship with the
9 registered agent, can accept service of process as provided
10 in W.S. 17-28-104 and is physically present at that
11 location. No business entity shall use the street address
12 of a registered agent or a natural person who has an agency
13 relationship with the registered agent unless the business
14 entity has an express agreement with the registered agent
15 or natural person to use that address as the registered
16 office of the business entity; and

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18 **17-28-108. Production of records; penalty for**
19 **violations.**

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21 (e) Any business entity ~~which~~that provides false
22 records required to be maintained pursuant to W.S. 17-28-
23 107 to the entity's registered agent or that knowingly

1 provides an address in violation of W.S. 17-28-101(a)(i)
2 shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one thousand
3 dollars (\$1,000.00), or by imprisonment not exceeding six
4 (6) months, or both.

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6 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2027.

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8 (END)