

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0199

Public defender-funding.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Petersen, Cohee, Cooper
and Illoway and Senator(s) Hines and Roberts

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the state public defender; providing for
2 state public defender funding from the counties as
3 specified; and providing for an effective date.

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

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7 **Section 1.** W.S. 7-6-113(c) is amended to read:

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9 **7-6-113. Funding.**

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11 (c) The total amount of money collected from the
12 counties shall equal fifteen percent (15%) of the state
13 public defender budget. The state ~~auditor~~public defender
14 shall notify each county of its proportional share and
15 shall by June 30 of each fiscal year invoice the county for
16 its proportionate share. In the event a county does not

1 make payments within ninety (90) days, the state treasurer
2 may deduct the amount from sales tax revenues due to the
3 county from the state and shall credit the amount to the
4 general fund.

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6 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2003.

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