

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0232

DUI-amendments.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Hinckley and Cooper

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to motor vehicles; enhancing penalties for  
2 driving under the influence in specified circumstances; and  
3 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. 31-5-233(h) (i) and by creating a new  
8 paragraph (iv) is amended to read:

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10 **31-5-233. Driving or having control of vehicle while**  
11 **under influence of intoxicating liquor or controlled**  
12 **substances; penalties.**

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14 (h) As used in this subsection, "serious bodily  
15 injury" means bodily injury which creates a reasonable  
16 likelihood of death or which causes miscarriage or serious  
17 permanent disfigurement or protracted loss or impairment of

1 any bodily member or organ. Whoever causes serious bodily  
2 injury to another person resulting from the violation of  
3 this section shall be punished upon conviction as follows:

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5 (i) If not subject to the ~~penalty~~ penalties  
6 under ~~paragraph~~ paragraphs (ii) and (iv) of this  
7 subsection, by a fine of not less than two thousand dollars  
8 (\$2,000.00) nor more than five thousand dollars  
9 (\$5,000.00), imprisonment for not less than six (6) months  
10 nor more than one (1) year, or both;

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12 (iv) If not subject to the penalty under  
13 paragraph (ii) of this section and serious bodily injury  
14 occurs, resulting in the permanent loss of one (1) or more  
15 arms or legs or blindness, by a fine of not less than three  
16 thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) nor more than five thousand  
17 dollars (\$5,000.00), imprisonment for not less than one (1)  
18 year nor more than three (3) years, or both.

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

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22 (END)