HOUSE BILL NO. HB0102

Detention officers.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Edwards

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to detention officers; providing peace
- 2 officer status for detention officers as specified; 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. 6-1-104(a)(vi)(J) is amended to read:

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9 **6-1-104**. **Definitions**.

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- 11 (a) As used in W.S. 6-1-101 through 6-10-203 unless
- 12 otherwise defined:

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- 14 (vi) "Peace officer" includes the following
- 15 officers assigned to duty in the state of Wyoming:

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1 (J) Any duly authorized detention officer 2 who has qualified pursuant to W.S. 9-1-701 through 9-1-707, when engaged in the performance of his duties; while 3 4 supervising a detainee who has been convicted as a felon; 5 and 6 Section 2. This act is effective immediately upon 7 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law 8 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming 9 10 Constitution.

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12 (END)

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