

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. SJ0007

Oath of office-2.

Sponsored by: Senator(s) Decaria, Case, Job, Larson and
Schiffer and Representative(s) Luthi, Olsen
and Reese

A BILL

for

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing to amend the Wyoming
2 Constitution by amending the oath of office required of
3 senators and representatives and all judicial, state and
4 county officers.

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6 *BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING,*
7 *two-thirds of all the members of the two houses, voting*
8 *separately, concurring therein:*

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10 **Section 1.** The following proposal to amend Wyoming
11 Constitution, Article 6, Section 20 is proposed for
12 submission to the electors of the State of Wyoming at the
13 next general election for approval or rejection to become
14 valid as a part of the Constitution if ratified by a
15 majority of the electors at the election:

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Article 6, Section 20. Oath of office; form.

Senators and representatives and all judicial, state and county officers shall, before entering on the duties of their respective offices, take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support, obey and defend the constitution of the United States, and the constitution of ~~this state~~ Wyoming, and that I will discharge the duties of my office with fidelity; that I have not paid ~~or contributed,~~ or promised to pay ~~or contribute, either directly or indirectly,~~ any money or other valuable thing, to procure my nomination or election, (or appointment) except for necessary and proper expenses expressly authorized by law; that I have not, knowingly, violated any election law of the state, or procured it to be done by others in my behalf; that I will not ~~knowingly receive, directly or indirectly,~~ accept any ~~money or other~~ valuable thing for the performance or nonperformance of any official act or duty, ~~pertaining to my office,~~ other than the compensation allowed by law."

Section 2. That the Secretary of State shall endorse the following statement on the proposed amendment:

