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SENATE FILE NO. _____

Military department-criminal background checks.

Sponsored by: Joint Transportation, Highways and Military
Affairs Interim Committee

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the Wyoming military department;
2 providing for fingerprinting and background checks for
3 employment applicants and volunteers; and providing for an
4 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. 7-19-106(a) by creating a new
9 paragraph (xv) and 7-19-201(a) by creating a new paragraph
10 (viii) and (e) are amended to read:

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12 **7-19-106. Access to, and dissemination of,**
13 **information.**

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1 (a) Criminal history record information shall be
2 disseminated by criminal justice agencies in this state,
3 whether directly or through any intermediary, only to:

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5 (xv) The military department for purposes of
6 obtaining criminal history record information on
7 prospective employees or volunteers.

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9 **7-19-201. State or national criminal history record**
10 **information.**

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12 (a) The following persons shall be required to submit
13 to fingerprinting in order to obtain state and national
14 criminal history record information:

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16 (viii) Prospective employees of or volunteers
17 with the Wyoming military department if the department
18 requires prospective employees or volunteers, or both, to
19 submit to fingerprinting in order to obtain state and
20 national criminal history record information as a condition
21 for a position with the department.

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23 (e) The Wyoming military department, any public fire
24 department, ambulance service or regional emergency

1 response team may as a condition of employment or other
2 participation with the entity require all applicants for
3 employee or volunteer positions with the entity to submit
4 to fingerprinting in order to obtain state and national
5 criminal history record information. In addition, the
6 office of homeland security may as a condition of
7 participation in a regional emergency response team require
8 all team participants to submit to fingerprinting in order
9 to obtain state and national criminal history record
10 information.

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12 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2007.

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