

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0057

Municipal annexation.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Illoway, Gingery, McOmie
and Olsen and Senator(s) Meier and Mockler

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to municipal annexations; prohibiting
2 annexation of land adjacent or contiguous to certain
3 properties owned and annexed by municipalities under
4 specified circumstances; and providing for an effective
5 date.

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

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 15-1-407 is amended to read:

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11 **15-1-407. Annexing territories; when notice and**
12 **public hearing not necessary; statement required.**

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14 If the city is the sole owner of any territory whether or
15 not contiguous that it desires to annex, the governing
16 body, by ordinance, may annex the territory to the city or

1 town without notice or public hearing as provided in W.S.
2 15-1-405 and without preparing the annexation report or
3 providing the estimates required by W.S. 15-1-402(c) and
4 (e) and 15-1-404(a)(ii)(C) and (D). All ordinances
5 annexing territory without notice and public hearing shall
6 contain a statement that the territory is solely owned by
7 the petitioning city or town. Notwithstanding any other
8 provision of this article, until property annexed pursuant
9 to this subsection becomes contiguous to the city or town
10 boundaries through additional annexations from the city or
11 town boundaries no annexation shall occur from the
12 property.

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

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