

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0003

Commercial drivers licenses.

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

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the department of transportation and
2 commercial drivers licenses; requiring rulemaking for out-
3 of-service orders as required by federal law; providing for
4 a security threat assessment before issuance of a hazardous
5 materials driver's license endorsement; coordinating
6 penalties for certain vehicles violating stopping
7 requirements with federal civil penalties; and providing
8 for an effective date.

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

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12 **Section 1.** W.S. 31-18-607 is created to read:

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14 **31-18-607. Out-of-service orders.**

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1 (a) The department shall adopt regulations regarding
2 issuance of out-of-service orders for drivers committing
3 violations identified in 49 C.F.R., as amended as of March
4 1, 2007, or the 2006 North American uniform out-of-service
5 criteria published by the Commercial Vehicle Safety
6 Alliance.

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8 (b) A driver or employer of a driver convicted of
9 violating an out-of-service order shall be subject to the
10 civil penalties specified by 49 C.F.R. 383.53, as amended
11 as of March 1, 2007.

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13 **Section 2.** W.S. 31-7-108 by creating a new subsection
14 (e) and 31-18-605 by creating a new subsection (d) are
15 amended to read:

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17 **31-7-108. Persons not to be licensed; investigation**
18 **by the division.**

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20 (e) The division shall not issue, renew, upgrade or
21 transfer a hazardous materials endorsement for a commercial
22 driver's license to any person unless the Transportation
23 Security Administration of the United States Department of
24 Homeland Security has completed a security threat

1 assessment of the person seeking the endorsement and
2 determined that the person does not pose a security risk
3 warranting denial of the endorsement.

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5 **31-18-605. Stopping requirements for certain vehicles**
6 **at railroad crossings.**

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8 (d) A driver or employer of a driver who is convicted
9 of violating this section shall also be subject to the
10 civil penalties provided by 49 C.F.R. 383.53, as amended as
11 of March 1, 2007.

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

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