

## HOUSE BILL NO. HB0123

Homicide during pregnancy.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Davison, Brechtel, Harvey,  
Jaggi, McKim and Petersen and Senator(s)  
Cooper, Jennings, Meier and Peterson

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; establishing the  
2 offense of involuntary termination of pregnancy; imposing a  
3 penalty; and 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. 6-2-109 is created to read:

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9 **6-2-109. Involuntary termination of pregnancy;**  
10 **penalty.**

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12 Whoever willfully kills any pregnant woman knowing that the  
13 woman is pregnant, and thereby causes the involuntary  
14 termination of the woman's pregnancy without a live birth,  
15 is guilty of involuntary termination of pregnancy, and in  
16 addition to any penalty imposed for the homicide of the

1 woman shall be imprisoned in the penitentiary for not less  
2 than twenty (20) years and not more than life.

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4 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2009.

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6 (END)