STATE OF WYOMING

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0074

Homicide during pregnancy.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Davison, Brechtel,
Childers, Harvey, Jaggi, McKim, Petersen and
Teeters and Senator(s) Cooper, Dockstader,
Jennings and Ross

A BILL

for

- 1 AN ACT relating to homicide; establishing the offense of
- 2 homicide of a pregnant woman resulting in the involuntary
- 3 termination of the pregnancy without a live birth; imposing
- 4 a penalty; and providing for an 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. 6-2-109 is created to read:

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- 10 6-2-109. Homicide of a pregnant woman resulting in
- 11 the involuntary termination of the pregnancy without a live
- 12 birth.

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- 14 Whoever willfully kills any pregnant woman knowing that the
- 15 woman is pregnant, and thereby causes the involuntary

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1 termination of the woman's pregnancy without a live birth,

- 2 is guilty of homicide, separate and distinct from the
- 3 homicide of the pregnant woman, and shall be imprisoned in
- 4 the penitentiary for any term not less than twenty (20)

5 years, or during life.

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7 Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2010.

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9 (END)

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