HOUSE BILL NO. HB0202

Transcripts in criminal cases.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Nicholas, B., Gingery and Krone and Senator(s) Ross

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for

- 1 AN ACT relating to district courts, eliminating mandatory
- 2 transcription of specified criminal proceedings; and
- 3 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. 5-3-404 is amended to read:

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- 9 5-3-404. Criminal cases; reporting and transcript of
- 10 proceedings.

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- 12 The court reporter for criminal cases prosecuted in the
- 13 district court shall report all testimony and all
- 14 proceedings held in open court, except informal
- 15 discussions, informal instruction conferences and pretrial
- 16 conferences which shall be reported when requested by a

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1 party. The reporter shall, within a reasonable time, at the

2 request of the court or any party, transcribe arraignment,

B plea, change of plea and sentencing hearings and file the

4 transcript in the official court record.

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6 Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2013.

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8 (END)

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