

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0228

Highway closure-violation amendment.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Roscoe, Blackburn and
Paxton

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to highways; removing the criminal state of
2 mind element related to traveling on closed highways; 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. 24-1-109(a) is amended to read:

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9 **24-1-109. Closing or restricting use; failure to**
10 **observe signs and markers; exceptions.**

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12 (a) Any person who ~~willfully~~ fails to observe any
13 sign, marker, warning, notice, or direction, placed or
14 given under W.S. 24-1-108 is guilty of a misdemeanor, and
15 upon conviction thereof by any court of competent

1 jurisdiction, shall be subject to a fine of not more than
2 seven hundred fifty dollars (\$750.00) or to imprisonment
3 for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days, or to both
4 such fine and imprisonment.

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6 **Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2021.

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