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## 61<sup>st</sup> Wyoming Legislature ★ 2011 General Session

### **HB0042, Coroner record confidentiality.**

Sponsors: Representative(s) Gingery and Senator(s) Case

Aye votes: Representatives Barbuto, Berger, Blake, Blikre, Bonner, Botten, Brechtel, Brown, Buchanan, Burkhart, Byrd, Campbell, Cannady, Childers, Connolly, Craft, Davison, Eklund, Esquibel, K., Freeman, Gay, Gingery, Greear, Greene, Harshman, Harvey, Hunt, Illoway, Jaggi, Kasperik, Kroeker, Krone, Lockhart, Loucks, Lubnau, Madden, McKim, McOmie, Miller, Moniz, Nicholas, B., Patton, Peasley, Pederson, Petersen, Petroff, Quarberg, Roscoe, Semlek, Shepperson, Steward, Stubson, Teeters, Throne, Vranish, Wallis, Zwonitzer, Dn. and Zwonitzer, Dv. Senators Anderson, Barnard, Bebout, Burns, Case, Christensen, Coe, Cooper, Driskill, Emerich, Esquibel, F., Geis, Hastert, Hicks, Hines, Jennings, Johnson, Landen, Martin, Meier, Nicholas, P., Nutting, Perkins, Peterson, Ross, Rothfuss, Schiffer, Scott and Von Flatern

Nay votes: Representatives Edmonds Senators Dockstader

Signed by the Governor.

#### **Comments**

Moves confidentiality policies of coroners from the coroners' discretion to the legislature. Centralizes, makes a one-size-fits-all statewide policy. Does establish some rights for survivors. Not obnoxious enough to rate a -1, though.

Protects individuals from unnecessary information sharing. A person is safe within themselves.

Protection of individual rights (to be secure in their person, papers, etc.) even in death, and the rights of a deceased's family.

Weighted Rating: 1.00. Unweighted Rating: 1.00.

#### **Categories**

Individual Rights, Transparency, and Usurpation & Delegation of Power

#### **Document Status**

Final