

Wyoming Liberty Index

62nd Wyoming Legislature ★ 2014 Budget Session

HB0073, Persons with disabilities.

Sponsors: Representative(s) Filer, Esquibel, K., Gingery, Greene, Throne, Wilson and Zwonitzer, Dn. and Senator(s) Hastert

Aye votes: Representatives Baker, Barlow, Berger, Blake, Blevins, Blikre, Brown, Burkhart, Byrd, Campbell, Cannady, Coleman, Connolly, Davison, Eklund, Esquibel, K., Filer, Freeman, Gay, Gingery, Goggles, Greene, Halverson, Harshman, Harvey, Hunt, Hutchings, Jaggi, Kasperik, Kirkbride, Kroeker, Krone, Larsen, Loucks, Madden, Mader, McKim, Miller, Moniz, Northrup, Patton, Paxton, Petroff, Piiparinen, Reeder, Semlek, Sommers, Stubson, Teeters, Throne, Walters, Watt, Wilson, Winters, Zwonitzer, Dn. and Zwonitzer, Dv. Senators Anderson, JD S02, Barnard, Case, Christensen, Cooper, Craft, Esquibel, F., Hastert, Johnson, Landen, Meier, Nicholas, P., Nutting, Perkins, Ross, Rothfuss, Schiffer, Scott and Von Flatern

Nay votes: Representatives Greear, Lubnau and Nicholas, B. Senators Anderson, JL S28, Bebout, Burns, Coe, Dockstader, Driskill, Emerich, Geis, Hicks, Hines and Peterson

Signed by the Governor.

Comments

Establishes "employment first" as the policy of the state with regard to persons with disabilities. Establishes yet another task force. This is probably a good idea, but liberty neutral.

N: No fiscal or personnel impact. Creates incentives to employ persons with disabilities. The intent of this bill is commendable, but its impact on Liberty is most likely buried in the details of implementation. Providing that the Law of Unintended Consequences does not run amok, we may hope that it will be Liberty enhancing for disabled persons and will not be Liberty limiting to employers beyond planning and other compliance costs.

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