HOUSE BILL NO. HB0068

Violent felony definition expansion.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Buchanan, Barbuto, Gay, Gingery, Lubnau and Throne and Senator(s) Hastert, Martin and Ross

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for

- 1 AN ACT relating to crimes and offenses; expanding the
- 2 definition of violent felony; and providing for an
- 3 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. 6-1-104(a)(xii) and 7-13-1301(a)(vi)
- 8 are amended to read:

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10 **6-1-104.** Definitions.

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12 (a) As used in this act, unless otherwise defined:

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- 14 (xii) "Violent felony" means murder,
- 15 manslaughter, kidnapping, sexual assault in the first or
- 16 second degree, robbery, aggravated assault and battery,

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    aircraft hijacking, arson in the first or second degree, or
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    aggravated burglary or a violation of W.S. 6-2-314(a)(i),
    or 6-2-315(a)(ii), 6-3-111, 6-5-204(c) or 6-2-508(b);
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         7-13-1301. Definitions.
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         (a) As used in W.S. 7-13-1301 through 7-13-1304:
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              (vi) "Violent felony" means murder,
    manslaughter, kidnapping, sexual assault in the first or
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    second degree, robbery, aggravated assault and battery,
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    aircraft hijacking, arson in the first or second degree, or
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    aggravated burglary or a violation of W.S. 6-3-111,
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    6-5-204 (c) or 6-2-508 (b);
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         Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2011.
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