

ORIGINAL HOUSE
BILL NO. HB0159

ENROLLED ACT NO. 57, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING
2019 GENERAL SESSION

AN ACT relating to the state self-insurance program; providing volunteer reserve officers coverage under the state self-insurance program; making conforming amendments; and providing for an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:

Section 1. W.S. 1-41-103(c)(iii)(intro) and by creating a new subparagraph (E), (iv)(intro) and by creating a new subparagraph (D) is amended to read:

1-41-103. Self-insurance account; creation; authorized payments.

(c) Expenditures shall be made out of the self-insurance account for the following claims which have been settled or reduced to final judgment:

(iii) Claims against a peace officer employed, with or without compensation, by the Wyoming state board of outfitters and professional guides, the University of Wyoming or a local government brought under the Wyoming Governmental Claims Act, provided:

(C) Any amount up to twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) paid for or in defense of each claim shall be paid on a dollar for dollar matching basis from the account and from the University of Wyoming or the local government employing the peace officers; ~~and~~

(D) Any amount up to twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) paid for or in defense of each claim against a peace officer employed by the Wyoming state board of outfitters and professional guides shall be paid by the board; ~~and~~ and

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(E) "Peace officer" as used in this paragraph includes part time and reserve peace officers as defined in W.S. 9-1-701(a)(viii).

(iv) Claims against a peace officer employed, with or without compensation, by the Wyoming state board of outfitters and professional guides, the University of Wyoming or a local government arising under 42 U.S.C. 1983 or other federal statutes, provided:

(B) Any amount up to twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) paid for or in defense of each claim against a peace officer employed by the Wyoming state board of outfitters and professional guides shall be paid by the board;
~~and~~

(C) The conditions and limitations of subsection (e) of this section apply to all claims under this paragraph;
~~and~~

(D) "Peace officer" as used in this paragraph includes part time and reserve peace officers as defined in W.S. 9-1-701(a)(viii).

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Section 2. This act is effective July 1, 2019.

(END)

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Governor

TIME APPROVED: _____

DATE APPROVED: _____

I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.

Chief Clerk