

**Chapter 69**

**JUDGMENT TRANSCRIPT-FILING**

Original House Bill No. 125

AN ACT relating to circuit court judgments; modifying procedures for filing a transcript of a circuit court judgment in district court; and providing for an effective date.

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

**Section 1.** W.S. 5-9-138(b) is amended to read:

**5-9-138. Abstract of judgment; lien of judgment on real estate; lien on real estate in another county.**

(b) The judgment creditor in any judgment rendered in circuit court may file with the clerk of the district court and record with the county clerk of the county in which the judgment was rendered a transcript thereof, certifying therein the amount paid thereon, if any. The clerk of the district court shall enter the case on the execution docket, together with the amount of the judgment, ~~and the time of recording the transcript with the county clerk.~~ If within ten (10) days after the judgment was rendered, the judgment debtor pays the same or gives bond for stay of execution, the circuit judge shall immediately certify that fact to the clerk of the district court and the county clerk. The clerk of the district court shall enter a memorandum thereof upon the execution docket. The cost of the transcript, the filing, recording and the entry on the docket shall be paid by the party who files and records the transcript and may be taxed to the other party. The judgment shall be a lien on the real estate of the judgment debtor within the county from the day and time the transcript is recorded with the county clerk. Execution may be issued on the judgment at any time after filing the transcript with the clerk of the district court as if the judgment had been rendered in the district court.

**Section 2.** This act is effective July 1, 2001.

Approved February 20, 2001.