

House Bill No 124.
Introduced by committee # 14
Irrigation.

AN ACT to amend and re-enact
Section 832, Chapter 65, Wyp-
min: Compiled Statutes 1920,
relating to nature of water
rights and the use of water.

1/28/21..introduced
Read first time.
Rfd. to Com. of Whole.
Printing Committee.

1/29/21..Rtd. from Printing Com
Gen. File.

2/2/21..Considered in Com. of
Whole. Recommended to pass.

Under suspension of rules read
second time, amended as
follows:

Page 1, line , after
the word "volume" strike out
"period" and place "comma", and
insert "excepting in case of
stored water".

Delivered to Enrolling
Committee.

2/3/21 Res from Eng. Com.
Read 3rd time passed
by following vote.
Ayes 4 Nays 2 Absent 4
Sent to Senate

Senate Record

Feb. 3. Received from House.

Feb. 4. Read first time

Referred to Com. No. 6 on Public
Lands, Irrigation and
Agriculture.

2/17

Reported from Com. No. 6 without
Recommendation

2/19

Considered in Com. of the Whole

Amended & Recommended do pass as amended

Read second time as amended

Ordered read third time

Read second time as amended

Ordered read third time

Read third time as amended

Yea 2

Nay 22 Nays 2 Absent 1

Reb. to House

2/19/01 House concurred
in Senate amendments

That H. B. No. 124, relating to nature of water rights and the use of water, be amended by striking out the words "excepting in case of stored water", where said words occur in line 9 of the engrossed bill Section 1.

House Bill No. 124.

Introduced by Committee No. 14
Irrigation.

A B I L L

for

AN ACT to amend and re-enact Section 832, Chapter 65, Wyoming Compiled Statutes 1920, relating to nature of water rights and the use of water.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING:

Section 1. That Section 832, Chapter 65, Wyoming Compiled Statutes 1920, be amended and re-enacted to read as follows:

"SECTION 832. A water right is a right to use the water of the state, when such use has been acquired by the beneficial application of water under the laws of the State relating thereto, and in conformity with the rules and regulations dependent thereon. Beneficial use shall be the basis, the measure and limit of the right to use water at all times, not exceeding in any case, the statutory limit of volume, (excepting in case of stored water) Water being always the property of the state, rights to its use shall attach to the land for irrigation, or to such other purpose or object for which acquired in accordance with the beneficial use made and for which the right receives public recognition, under the law and the administration provided thereby. Water rights for the direct use of the natural unstored flow of any stream cannot be detached from the lands, place or purpose for which they are acquired, without loss of priority."

Section 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

H. B. No. 124

Introduced by

Committee of
Irrigation.

AN ACT to amend and re-enact Section 832,
Chapter 65, Wyoming Compiled Statutes
1920, relating to nature of water
rights and the use of water.

Committee of
Whole

Exp. Introduced

Ad 1st Time

Rpt to Com of Whole

Exp. Com

1/29/21 Rtd from printing com.
Gen. file

2/2/21 Considered in Com of Whole
Recommend do pass.

Under suspension of
rules - read 2nd time
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Del to Eng. Com.

H. B. No. 124

Introduced by

Committee
Irrigation.

AN ACT to amend and re-enact Section 832,
Chapter 65, Wyoming Compiled Statutes
1920, relating to nature of water
rights and the use of water.

128p, Introduced

Rd 1st Time

Rfd to Com of Whole
Eng Com

1/29/21 Rtd from printing com.
Sen file

2/2/21 Considered in Com of Whole
Recomm it do pass.

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H. B. No. _____

Introduced by _____

A B I L L

for

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

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