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INTRODUCTION**

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. [Bill Number]

Right of privacy-constitutional amendment.

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A Bill

for

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing to amend the Wyoming
2 Constitution by creating a new section providing that the
3 right of individual privacy is essential to the well-being
4 of a free society and shall not be infringed without the
5 showing of a compelling state interest.

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7 *BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING,*
8 *two-thirds of all the members of the two houses, voting*
9 *separately, concurring therein:*

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11 **Section 1.** The following proposal to amend Wyoming
12 Constitution, Article 1, by creating a new Section 40 is
13 proposed for submission to the electors of the State of

1 Wyoming at the next general election for approval or
2 rejection to become valid as a part of the Constitution if
3 ratified by a majority of the electors at the election:
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5 **Article 1, Section 40. Right of privacy.**
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7 The right of individual privacy is essential to the well-
8 being of a free society and shall not be infringed without
9 the showing of a compelling state interest.
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11 **Section 2.** That the Secretary of State shall endorse
12 the following statement on the proposed amendment:
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14 The adoption of this amendment will provide that the right
15 of individual privacy is essential to the well-being of a
16 free society and shall not be infringed without the showing
17 of a compelling state interest.
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19 (END)