

IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1121

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

AN ACT

1 RELATING TO SHEEP; AMENDING CHAPTER 19, TITLE 25, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION
2 OF A NEW SECTION 25-1911, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE THAT THE ABANDONMENT OF
3 SHEEP AND RELATED DUTIES BY CERTAIN PERSONS SHALL CONSTITUTE A MISDE-
4 MEANOR AND TO PROVIDE THAT PERSONS AIDING AND ABETTING SUCH ABANDONMENT
5 OR TAKING OTHER SPECIFIED ACTIONS SHALL BE GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR.
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7 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

8 SECTION 1. That Chapter 19, Title 25, Idaho Code, be, and the same is
9 hereby amended by the addition thereto of a NEW SECTION, to be known and des-
10 ignated as Section 25-1911, Idaho Code, and to read as follows:

11 25-1911. ABANDONMENT OF SHEEP ON OPEN RANGE -- ABANDONMENT OF RELATED
12 DUTIES. (1) Any person in the employ of a range sheep operation who is charged
13 with the care and oversight of sheep grazing on the open range, as well as
14 other duties related to the operation, who willfully or negligently abandons
15 those duties without proper notification to the owner or his representative
16 shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

17 (2) All persons aiding and abetting in the commission of a violation
18 of the provisions of subsection (1) of this section, or if not present, hav-
19 ing advised and encouraged its commission, or who, by fraud, contrivance or
20 force occasions the intoxication of another for the purpose of causing him
21 to commit such violation, or who, by threats, menaces, command or coercion,
22 compels another to commit such violation shall be deemed guilty of a misde-
23 meanor.