State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1081

Introduced by: Representatives Murschel, Brunner, Cutler, Elliott, Heineman, Hills, Jensen, Kraus, Krebs, McLaughlin, Miles, Novstrup, Roberts, Thompson, Tornow, Turbiville, Weems, and Wick and Senators Kelly, Broderick, Earley, Gray, Koetzle, Koskan, Moore, Olson (Ed), and Schoenbeck

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to allow a school district to maintain permanent school
- 2 records electronically rather than on microfilm.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 1-27-4 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 1-27-4. If any officer of the State of South Dakota, any political subdivision, municipal
- 6 corporation, or public corporation is required or authorized by law to record, copy, file, recopy,
- 7 or replace any document, plat, paper, voucher, receipt, or book on file or of record in the
- 8 officer's office, the officer may do so by any photostatic, microphotographic, microfilm,
- 9 mechanical, or electronic process which produces a clear, accurate, and permanent copy or
- 10 reproduction of the original in accordance with the standards not less than those approved for
- permanent records by the National Bureau of Standards or the American National Standards
- 12 Association. However, no school district is required to maintain its permanent school records
- on microfilm if the district maintains its permanent school records in an electronic format that
- can be used to produce clear, accurate reproductions of the originals.

