

State of South Dakota

EIGHTY-SECOND SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2007

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1200

Introduced by: Representatives Cutler, Gilson, Hargens, Lucas, Miles, Moore, Novstrup (David), Nygaard, Peters, Street, and Vehle and Senators Albers, Abdallah, Gray, Jerstad, and Koetzle

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for a crime of domestic disorderly conduct and
2 to provide a penalty therefor.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That chapter 22-18 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
5 follows:

6 Any person who intentionally causes serious private inconvenience, annoyance, or alarm to
7 any other person, or creates a risk thereof, by engaging in fighting or in violent or threatening
8 behavior is guilty of domestic disorderly conduct. Domestic disorderly conduct is a Class 2
9 misdemeanor. However, if the defendant has been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty to,
10 two or more violations of this section or § 22-18-35 within five years of committing the current
11 offense, the defendant is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor for any third or subsequent offense.

