

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE BILL NO. 147

Introduced by: Senators Vehle, Ahlers, Brown, Fryslie, and Maher and Representatives Krebs, Juhnke, and Street

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to establish a legislative policy to biannually review the  
2 highway needs and adjust the highway user fees.

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

4 Section 1. It is the policy of the Legislature that the annual funding for state and local  
5 highways, roads, and bridges be maintained at a level sufficient to meet the needs of the state,  
6 counties, municipalities, and townships. The Legislature shall monitor increases in construction,  
7 maintenance, and program costs and shall ensure that the highway user fees keep pace with such  
8 cost increases and inflation. If the highway user fees need to be adjusted pursuant to this section,  
9 the House Transportation Committee or Senate Transportation Committee shall introduce  
10 legislation during the regular session held in an odd-numbered year to adjust such highway user  
11 fees.

