## **State of South Dakota**

## EIGHTY-SIXTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2011

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1172

Introduced by: Representatives Munsterman, Abdallah, Haggar, Hubbel, Kirkeby, and Venner and Senators Begalka, Brown, Holien, Krebs, Novstrup (Al), and Peters

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require the issuance of a request for proposals concerning
- 2 the administration of the Medicaid program.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. The Department of Social Services shall issue a request for proposals for the
- 5 review of the administration of the Medicaid program. The purpose of the review is to perform
- 6 an analysis of the Medicaid program, its current operations and performance measures, and
- 7 identify where the use of commercial insurance best practices could be used to gain efficiencies
- 8 in the operations. The purpose is also to provide technical assistance to the department in the
- 9 procurement of contractors for the daily business operations of the Medicaid program to provide
- services in defined functional areas of expertise. The selection of the successful bidder shall
- occur in the fall of 2011. The department shall issue an interim report to the Governor and
- Legislature no later than November 15, 2011, and a final report to the Governor and Legislature
- no later than November 15, 2012.

