



2022 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1136

Introduced by: **Representative Milstead**

1 **An Act to revise oversight and reporting requirements concerning cannabis.**

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

3 **Section 1. That § 34-20G-94 be AMENDED:**

4 **34-20G-94.** The department shall report annually to the Legislature on the number of
 5 applications for registry identification cards received, the number of qualifying patients
 6 and designated caregivers approved, the number of registry identification cards revoked,
 7 the number of each type of medical cannabis establishment registered, ~~and~~ the expenses
 8 incurred and revenues generated from the medical cannabis program, the number of
 9 patient cardholders by medical condition, patient demographics by age and sex, the
 10 number and specialty of practitioners providing written certifications, the number of
 11 medical cannabis establishments by type, and the number of licensing violations. The
 12 department shall also report the number of hospitalizations and emergency room visits
 13 related to cannabis. The department may not include identifying information on a
 14 qualifying patient, designated caregiver, or practitioner in the report.

15 **Section 2. That chapter 34-20G be amended with a NEW SECTION:**

16 The following agencies shall report annually to the Legislature on the following
 17 issues related to cannabis:

18 (1) The Department of Public Safety shall report on the number of driving while
 19 intoxicated arrests and traffic fatalities related to cannabis;

20 (2) The attorney general shall report on the total number of cannabis-related arrests
 21 for possession, sales, cultivation, manufacturing of concentrates, the number of
 22 incidents involving the unlawful operation of medical cannabis establishments, the
 23 number of organized crime incidents engaged in illegal cannabis activity, and the
 24 number of juveniles arrested for cannabis-related offenses;

- 1 (3) The Department of Social Services shall annually report on the number of patients
2 seeking counseling for cannabis addiction; and
- 3 (4) The Department of Education shall annually report survey data on the rate of
4 cannabis use by students by grade level, and the number of school suspensions or
5 expulsions related to cannabis use.