

2022 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1285**AMENDMENT 1285A FOR THE INTRODUCED BILL**

1 **An Act to create a critical care endorsement for emergency medical technician-**
2 **paramedics.**

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

4 **Section 1. That chapter 36-4B be amended with a NEW SECTION:**

5 A critical care endorsement is hereby created. The board shall issue the
6 endorsement to any person who is licensed as an emergency medical technician-
7 paramedic and:

8 (1) Completes the educational requirements and training, in critical care transport,
9 approved by the board and promulgated in accordance with section 36-4B-35; or

10 (2) Is certified as:

11 ~~(a) — A a critical care paramedic or a flight paramedic by the International Board~~
12 ~~of Specialty Certification; or~~

13 ~~(b) — A critical care paramedic by the International Association of Flight and~~
14 ~~Critical Care Paramedics.~~

15 **Section 2. That § 36-4B-35 be AMENDED:**

16 **36-4B-35.** The board ~~may~~ shall adopt rules to:

17 (1) ~~To establish~~ Establish the educational and training curriculum requirements and the
18 examination requirements for applicants to become licensed as advanced life
19 support personnel;

20 (2) ~~To establish~~ Establish the procedure ~~to be followed~~ for the administration of the
21 advanced life support program ~~designating and designate~~ the responsibilities of the
22 Department of Health department and the board;

23 (3) ~~To regulate~~ Regulate the professional conduct of licensees; and

- 1 (4) Establish the educational and training requirements and conditions for issuance of
- 2 a critical care endorsement, as provided for in section 1 of this Act.

AMENDMENT