



2023 South Dakota Legislature

House Bill 1018

Introduced by: The Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources at the request of the Department of Game, Fish and Parks

1 **An Act to repeal the authorized forfeiture of property used in the illegal capture of**
2 **fish.**

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

4 **Section 1. That § 41-12-9.1 be REPEALED:**

5 ~~The following are subject to forfeiture pursuant to the provisions of chapter 15-6,~~
6 ~~and no property right shall exist in them:~~

7 ~~(1) Any trammel or gill net, seine, or similar device used by any person to illegally~~
8 ~~capture fish in any public waters of this state;~~

9 ~~(2) Any conveyance, including aircraft, vehicle, or vessel, used to transport, possess,~~
10 ~~or conceal any trammel or gill net, seine, or similar device used by any person to~~
11 ~~illegally capture fish in any public waters of this state.~~