



2025 South Dakota Legislature
Senate Bill 10
ENROLLED

AN ACT

ENTITLED An Act to shorten the time before records of a Governor or a lieutenant governor are opened to the public.

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

Section 1. That § 1-27-1.20 be AMENDED:

1-27-1.20. Unless released to the public pursuant to § 1-27-1.21, any record of an officer designated in § 1-27-1.19, which is exempted from the provisions of § 1-27-1, must be opened to the public upon either the death of the former officer or five years from the date the officer left office, whichever transpires last.

An Act to shorten the time before records of a Governor or a lieutenant governor are opened to the public.

I certify that the attached Act originated in the:

Received at this Executive Office this ____ day of _____,

Senate as Bill No. 10

2025 at _____ M.

Secretary of the Senate

By _____
for the Governor

President of the Senate

The attached Act is hereby approved this _____ day of _____, A.D., 2025

Attest:

Secretary of the Senate

Governor

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,

ss.

Office of the Secretary of State

Speaker of the House

Attest:

Filed _____, 2025
at _____ o'clock __ M.

Chief Clerk

Secretary of State

Senate Bill No. 10
File No. _____
Chapter No. _____

By _____
Asst. Secretary of State