

## 2025 South Dakota Legislature

## House Bill 1068 ENROLLED

An Act

ENTITLED An Act to allow a student to wear certain military decorations at a school graduation ceremony and to declare an emergency.

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

## Section 1. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-1:

A student who is enrolled in a school district and has enlisted in the South Dakota National Guard or in a branch of the armed forces, as defined in § 36-1-2, may wear a sash, stole, or other military decoration at a school graduation ceremony, if the sash, stole, or decoration was issued to the student by the South Dakota National Guard or a branch of the armed forces, for the purposes of being worn at the graduation ceremony.

**Section 2.** Whereas, this Act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

An Act to allow a student to wear certain military decorations at a school graduation ceremony and to declare an emergency.

I certify that the attached Act originated in the: House as Bill No. 1068	Received at this Executive Office this, day of, 2025 atM.
Chief Clerk	By for the Governor
Speaker of the House Attest:	The attached Act is hereby approved this day of, A.D., 2025
Chief Clerk	Governor  STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,
President of the Senate Attest:	Office of the Secretary of State  Filed, 2025 at o'clockM.
Secretary of the Senate	Secretary of State
House Bill No. <u>1068</u> File No Chapter No.	By Asst. Secretary of State