

## 2026 South Dakota Legislature

**House Bill 1298****AMENDMENT 1298B  
FOR THE HOUSE JUDICIARY ENGROSSED BILL**

1 **An Act to prohibit the electronic publication of certain information about a legislator,**  
2 **judicial officer~~,~~ or law enforcement officer~~,~~ and provide a penalty therefor.**

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

4 **Section 1. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 22-11:**

5 No person may publish, by electronic means, the home address, date of birth, or  
6 social security number of a state legislator, judicial officer, or law enforcement officer:

7 (1) Without the ~~officer's~~ consent of the legislator, judicial officer, or law enforcement  
8 officer; and

9 (2) With the intent to place the legislator, judicial officer, or law enforcement officer,  
10 or the ~~officer's~~ immediate family of the legislator, judicial officer, or law  
11 enforcement officer, in reasonable fear of death or great bodily injury.

12 A violation of this section is a Class 6 felony.