



2026 South Dakota Legislature
House Bill 1062
ENROLLED

AN ACT

ENTITLED An Act to revise a provision related to aggravated assault.

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

Section 1. That § 22-18-1.1 be AMENDED:

22-18-1.1. No person may:

- (1) Cause or attempt to cause serious bodily injury to another under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life;
- (2) Attempt to cause, or knowingly cause, bodily injury to another with a dangerous weapon;
- (3) Assault another with intent to commit bodily injury, which results in serious bodily injury;
- (4)___Attempt by physical menace with a deadly weapon or a physical object realistically simulating a deadly weapon to put another in fear of imminent serious bodily harm;
or
- (5)___Attempt to induce a fear of death or imminent serious bodily harm by impeding the normal breathing or circulation of the blood of another person by applying pressure on the throat or neck, or by blocking the nose and mouth.

A person who violates this section is guilty of aggravated assault. Aggravated assault is a Class 3 felony.

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I certify that the attached Act originated in
the:

House as Bill No. 1062

Received at this Executive Office
this _____ day of _____,
2026 at _____ M.

Chief Clerk of the House

By _____
for the Governor

Speaker of the House

The attached Act is hereby
approved this _____ day of
_____, A.D., 2026

Attest:

Chief Clerk of the House

Governor

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,

Office of the Secretary of State

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President of the Senate

Filed _____, 2026
at _____ o'clock ___ M.

Attest:

Secretary of the Senate

Secretary of State

House Bill No. 1062
File No. _____
Chapter No. _____

By _____
Asst. Secretary of State