

# Committee Agenda

**Committee:** Senate State Affairs  
**Room:** Room 414  
**Date:** Wednesday, March 4, 2026  
**Time:** 10:00 AM-12:00 PM

**Register electronically to testify:** <https://sdlegislature.gov/testify/304972>

**Senators** Mehlhaff, Perry, Deibert, Jensen (Kevin), Karr, Kolbeck (Steve), Larson, Pischke, and Voight

## BILL HEARINGS

- [HB 1232](#) **establish principles for a state agency to consider when formulating or implementing a program that has the potential of affecting tribal members on a reservation** (House State Affairs Engrossed)  
Introduced by: **Representative** Pourier
- [HB 1215](#) **authorize counties and municipalities to issue a license for a cigar bar** (Introduced)  
Introduced by: **Representative** Mortenson
- [HB 1323](#) **amend the time required for filing a petition referring an ordinance or resolution of a political subdivision** (House Engrossed)  
Introduced by: **Representative** Aylward
- [HB 1274](#) **prohibit the dispensing, distribution, sale, or advertisement of certain articles or things for purposes of an unlawful abortion and provide a criminal and civil penalty therefor** (House State Affairs Engrossed)  
Introduced by: **Representative** Hughes
- [HB 1302](#) **address issues facing South Dakota** (Introduced)  
Introduced by: The Committee on State Affairs
- [HB 1303](#) **promote the future success and development of South Dakota** (Introduced)  
Introduced by: The Committee on State Affairs

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/s/ JIM MEHLHAFF  
Jim Mehlhaff, Chair



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