

## 2026 South Dakota Legislature

**House Bill 1179****AMENDMENT 1179A  
FOR THE INTRODUCED BILL**

1 An Act to increase modify provisions related to the reimbursement fee for  
2 preparation of a garnishment disclosure.

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

4 **Section 1. That § 21-18-9 be AMENDED:**

5 **21-18-9.** If a garnishee summons, affidavit, and garnishment disclosure is served,  
6 upon receipt by the plaintiff of the garnishee's garnishment disclosure of liability provided  
7 for in § 21-18-27, the garnishee ~~shall~~ must be paid the sum of ~~fifteen~~ fifty forty dollars to  
8 reimburse the garnishee for the expense of preparing the garnishment disclosure, which  
9 sum ~~shall~~ must be taxed as a part of the plaintiff's costs. If the garnishee is not paid, the  
10 garnishment proceeding is void. The return of service of the garnishee summons ~~shall~~  
11 must include a statement that the sum was paid. The garnishment disclosure ~~shall~~ must  
12 be returned to the plaintiff and filed with the court.