AN ACT

ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain terminology in the statutes providing for standard child visitation guidelines.

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

Section 1. That § 25-4A-9 be amended to read as follows:

25-4A-9. For the purposes of §§ 25-4A-9 to 25-4A-16, inclusive, the term, standard guidelines, means the parenting guidelines established by court rules promulgated by the South Dakota Supreme Court pursuant to § 25-4A-10.

Section 2. That § 25-4A-10 be amended to read as follows:

25-4A-10. The South Dakota Supreme Court shall promulgate court rules establishing standard guidelines to be used statewide for minimum noncustodial parenting time in divorce or separate maintenance actions or any other custody action or proceeding. The standard guidelines shall provide a framework for noncustodial parenting time including frequency and time for noncustodial parenting time; hours or days of noncustodial parenting time; definitions for weekends, holidays, birthdays, and other special occasions; and time periods for summer noncustodial parenting time. In establishing the standard guidelines, the court may consider varying ages and circumstances of children and treat varying ages and circumstances differently.

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I certify that the attached Act originated in the

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Secretary of the Senate

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