State of South Dakota

NINETY-SECOND SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2017

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SENATE BILL NO. 90

Introduced by: Senator Rusch and Representative Stevens

1	FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to repeal certain provisions related to certain prior
2	statements of a witness subject to discovery and to establish the rationale and effect of the
3	repeal.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
5	Section 1. That § 23A-13-10 be repealed.
6	23A-13-10. The term "statement," as used in §§ 23A-13-7 to 23A-13-9, inclusive, in relation
7	to any witness called by the prosecuting attorney, means:
8	(1) A written statement made by such witness and signed or otherwise adopted or
9	approved by him;
10	(2) A stenographic, mechanical, electrical, or other recording, or a transcription thereof,
11	which is a substantially verbatim recital of an oral statement made by such witness
12	and recorded contemporaneously with the making of such oral statement;
13	(3) A statement, however taken or recorded, or a transcription thereof, if any, made by
14	such witness to a grand jury;
15	(4) A summary of an oral declaration made by someone other than the witness that has

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- 1 been reduced to writing.
- 2 Section 2. That the code be amended by adding a NEW SECTION to read:
- 3 The provisions of this Act are in accordance with the Supreme Court's adoption of a new
- 4 rule substantially similar to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 26.2(f) relating to producing
- 5 a statement of a witness subject to discovery, effective January 1, 2018.