State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1084

- Introduced by: Representatives Heinemann, Brunner, Dennert, Duvall, Haggar, Hawley, Lesmeister, Mickelson, Rasmussen, Rhoden, Rounds, Rozum, Tieszen, Willadsen, and Zikmund and Senators Ewing, Heinert, Klumb, Kolbeck, Monroe, Nelson, Netherton, and Novstrup
- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to allow chiropractic corporations operated as sole
- 2 proprietorships to be operated for a certain time after the death of the chiropractor.

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

4 Section 1. That § 36-5-2 be amended to read:

5 36-5-2. Any person who advertises, practices, or attempts to practice chiropractic or who

- 6 uses the title chiropractor or any word or title having a tendency to induce any person to believe
- 7 that the person is a chiropractor without first having secured a license from the Board of
- 8 Chiropractic Examiners or an annual license renewal from the Board of Chiropractic Examiners
- 9 is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor. This section does not apply to the estate or agent of a
- 10 deceased or substantially disabled chiropractor contracting with or employing a chiropractor to
- 11 manage the deceased or substantially disabled chiropractor's practice for a period, not to exceed
- 12 twenty-four months, following the date of death or substantial disability of the chiropractor,
- 13 <u>until the entity can be sold or closed.</u>

