

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1117

Introduced by: Representatives Bartling and Qualm and Senator Sutton

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise and repeal provisions regarding golf carts on state  
2 highways.

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

4 Section 1. That § 32-14-14 be amended to read:

5 32-14-14. Any municipality or township with an unincorporated town may adopt, by  
6 ordinance, traffic regulations permitting the use of golf carts on a highway ~~under~~ within its  
7 jurisdiction. The ordinance shall require that the golf cart is insured and the person operating  
8 the golf cart in the municipality or unincorporated town to hold a driver license and to obtain  
9 a permit from the authority having jurisdiction. The municipality or township may charge a fee  
10 for the permit. The ordinance may also require the golf cart to display a slow-moving vehicle  
11 emblem in accordance with § 32-15-20 or a white or amber warning light in accordance § 32-  
12 17-46.

13 Section 2. That § 32-14-15 be repealed.

14 ~~32-14-15. No person may operate a golf cart on a state or county highway except for~~  
15 ~~crossing from one side of the highway to the other. A golf cart may cross the highway at a right~~



1 ~~angle, but only after stopping and yielding the right-of-way to all approaching traffic and~~  
2 ~~crossing as closely as possible to an intersection or approach. The operation of a golf cart on a~~  
3 ~~state or county highway in a manner not permitted by this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.~~