

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1178** - 2/14/2019

Introduced by: Representatives Qualm, Anderson, Chaffee, Duvall, Finck, Gosch, Howard, Livermont, Marty, Otten (Herman), Perry, Peterson (Kent), Randolph, and Rounds and Senators Greenfield (Brock), Blare, Cronin, Klumb, Langer, Maher, and Otten (Ernie)

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise provisions regarding the beginning period for  
2 absentee voting.

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

4 Section 1. That § 12-19-1.2 be amended to read:

5 12-19-1.2. Absentee voting shall begin ~~neither earlier nor later than forty-six days~~ the first  
6 Friday in October prior to the election, including for any voter ~~identified as being~~ covered by  
7 the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (~~42 U.S.C. 1973ff-1~~).

