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HOUSE BILL NO. 1240

Introduced by: Representatives Faehn, Curd, Cutler, Feinstein, Hunhoff (Bernie), Lucas, McLaughlin, Pitts, Rave, Sly, Thompson, and Tidemann and Senators Knudson, Adelstein, Dempster, Hansen (Tom), Heidepriem, Hunhoff (Jean), Miles, and Nesselhuf

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to prohibit smoking tobacco or carrying lighted tobacco
- 2 products in certain places and to require certain persons to inform violators of the
- 3 prohibition.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 5 Section 1. That chapter 34-46 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 6 follows:
- No person may smoke tobacco or carry any lighted tobacco product in any public place or
- 8 place of employment. A violation of this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.
- 9 Section 2. That chapter 34-46 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 10 follows:
- Any person that owns, manages, operates, or otherwise controls a public place or place of
- employment shall inform persons violating section 1 of this Act of the provisions thereof. A
- violation of this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor.
- 14 Section 3. That chapter 34-46 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as



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- 1 follows:
- 2 Terms used in this Act mean:
- 3 (1) "Enclosed area," any space between a floor and a ceiling that is enclosed, exclusive
- 4 of doorways, on all sides by permanent or temporary walls or windows;
- 5 (2) "Place of employment," any enclosed area under the control of a public or private
- 6 employer;
- 7 (3) "Public place," any enclosed area to which the public is invited or in which the public
- 8 is permitted.
- 9 Section 4. That chapter 34-46 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 10 follows:
- The provisions of this Act do not apply to any private residence unless the private residence
- is used for day care.
- Section 5. That § 22-36-2 be repealed.
- 14 22-36-2. No person may smoke tobacco or carry any lighted tobacco product in any public
- 15 place or place of employment. This section does not apply to any sleeping room in a lodging
- establishment as defined in § 34-18-1, to any on-sale licensee pursuant to chapter 35-4, to any
- 17 video lottery licensed establishment pursuant to chapter 42-7A, to any licensee pursuant to
- chapter 42-7B, or to any tobacco or packaged liquor store if the store is primarily used for the
- 19 sale of tobacco or alcoholic beverages, or both, and the sale of other products is merely
- 20 incidental.
- 21 A violation of this section is a petty offense.
- Section 6. That § 22-36-3 be repealed.
- 23 22-36-3. For the purposes of §§ 22-36-2 to 22-36-4, inclusive, a public place is any enclosed
- 24 indoor area to which the public is invited or to which the public is permitted, including any

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1 hospital or medical or dental clinic; any nursing facility; any public library, museum, theater,

- 2 or concert hall; any elementary or secondary school building; any public conveyance; any jury
- 3 room; any elevator; any reception area; any restaurant; any retail service establishment; any
- 4 retail store; and any registered or unregistered day care program, day care center, day care
- 5 cooperative, or family day care home governed by chapter 26-6 during the time in which
- 6 children who are not family members of the day care provider are receiving care. A private
- 7 residence is not a public place unless it is used for day care.
- 8 Section 7. That § 22-36-4 be repealed.
- 9 22-36-4. For the purposes of §§ 22-36-2 to 22-36-4, inclusive, a place of employment is any
- 10 enclosed indoor area under the control of a public or private employer, including work areas,
- 11 employee lounges and restrooms, conference and class rooms, employee cafeterias, and
- 12 hallways. A private residence is not a place of employment unless it is used for day care.