



## 2020 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 160

Introduced by: **Senator Heinert**

1 **An Act to authorize the construction and operation of a nursing home facility in**  
 2 **Moody County, South Dakota, and to declare an emergency.**

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

4 **Section 1.** That a NEW SECTION be added:

5 **34-12-39.7. Authorization to construct new nursing facility in Moody**  
 6 **County.**

7 Notwithstanding the provisions of §§ 34-12-35.4 and 34-12-39.2, a new nursing  
 8 facility may be constructed and operated on the Flandreau Santee Sioux Reservation in  
 9 Moody County, South Dakota. The nursing facility must meet the specifications of this  
 10 chapter for a licensed nursing facility to participate in the Medicaid program. The number  
 11 of beds in the new facility may not exceed fifty.

12 **Section 2.** Whereas, this Act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace,  
 13 health, or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall be in full force  
 14 and effect from and after its passage and approval.