State of South Dakota

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SENATE BILL NO. 11

Introduced by: Senators Shoener and Halverson and Representative Cerny at the request of the Interim Rules Review Committee

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require the filing of copies of documents regarding
- 2 certain administrative procedures with the Legislative Research Council.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 1-26-7.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 1-26-7.1. Upon adoption of a rule or upon the rejection of a petition filed pursuant to
- 6 § 1-26-13, an agency, if requested to do so in writing by an interested person either prior to
- 7 adoption or rejection or within thirty days thereafter, shall issue a written concise statement of
- 8 the principal reasons for and against the rule's adoption, incorporating therein its reasons for
- 9 overruling the considerations urged against the rule's adoption or rejection. A copy of the
- statement shall be served upon on the members of the interim rules review committee Interim
- 11 Rules Review Committee and the director of the Legislative Research Council.
- 12 Section 2. That § 1-26-13 be amended to read as follows:
- 13 1-26-13. An interested person may petition an agency requesting the promulgation,
- amendment, or repeal of a rule. The petition shall contain the text or substance of any new rule
- or amendment sought, the identification of any rule sought to be repealed, reasons for the

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- 1 proposal, and the name and address of the petitioner. Within thirty days after submission of a
- 2 petition, the agency either shall deny the petition in writing (stating its reasons for the denials)
- 3 or shall initiate rule-making proceedings in accordance with § 1-26-4. The agency shall serve a
- 4 copy of any petitions and denials on the members of the interim rules committee Interim Rules
- 5 Review Committee and the director of the Legislative Research Council.