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SENATE BILL NO. 146

Introduced by: Senators Brosz, Daugaard, Ham, McCracken, Munson, and Olson (Ed) and
Representatives Garnos, Konold, McCoy, and Solum

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require that certain findings and recommendations of the
2 state fire marshal be included in a school board's minutes, to provide for certain penalties,
3 and to require certain inspections.

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

5 Section 1. The state fire marshal shall provide a written summary of findings and
6 recommendations resulting from school inspections to each member of the school board and to
7 the superintendent or chief administrative officer of a school district. The fire marshal's summary
8 shall be included in the minutes of the school board and shall be published in the same manner
9 as other school board minutes.

10 Section 2. The superintendent or chief administrative officer of a school district shall develop
11 a plan by which to comply with the recommendations of the state fire marshal. The plan shall be
12 included in the minutes of the school board and shall be published in the same manner as other
13 school board minutes.

14 Section 3. Any person who is responsible for implementing the recommendations of the state
15 fire marshal provided for in section 1 of this Act who does not implement the recommendations

1 in a timely manner is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.

2 Section 4. Each superintendent or chief operating officer of a school district shall provide for

3 the physical inspection of any classroom building completed before 1960 by a licensed engineer.

4 The inspection provided for by this section shall be completed no later than September 1, 2001.

5 The findings of the inspection shall be included in the minutes of the school board, and shall be

6 published in the same manner as other school board minutes.