## **State of South Dakota**

## SEVENTY-SIXTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2001

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1274

Introduced by: Representatives Broderick, Abdallah, Brown (Richard), Garnos, Heineman, Hennies (Thomas), Jaspers, Michels, and Murschel and Senators Sutton (Dan), Daugaard, de Hueck, Everist, and Symens

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions regarding the operation of child
- welfare agencies and registered and unregistered family day care homes.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 26-6-14.10 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 26-6-14.10. No person who has been convicted of child abuse pursuant to chapter 26-10 or
- 6 a sex offense pursuant to chapter 22-22 and no person who has a substantiated report of child
- 7 <u>abuse or neglect on file with the Department of Social Services may:</u>
- 8 (1) Be licensed to operate a child welfare agency pursuant to § 26-6-14;
- 9 (2) Be registered to operate a family day care home pursuant to § 26-6-14.2; or
- 10 (3) Operate an unregistered family day care home as defined in § 26-6-14.8.
- 11 Section 2. That § 26-6-14.11 be amended to read as follows:
- 12 26-6-14.11. Any person who has been convicted of child abuse pursuant to chapter 26-10
- or a sex offense pursuant to chapter 22-22 and who provides or who has a substantiated report
- of child abuse or neglect on file with the Department of Social Services is guilty of a Class 1

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1	misdemeanor	if	such	person:

- 2 (1) Provides care and supervision of children either in a day care center or any family day
  3 care home or who knowingly; or
- (2) Knowingly permits another person who has been convicted of child abuse pursuant
  to chapter 26-10 or a sex offense pursuant to chapter 22-22 or who has a
  substantiated report of child abuse or neglect on file with the Department of Social
  Services to reside or work on the premises of a day care center or any family day care
  home is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor.