

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE BILL NO. 11

Introduced by: The Committee on Local Government at the request of the Secretary of State

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide a method for computing a period of time related  
2 to election notices or filings.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 12-1 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 In computing any period of time prescribed or allowed for an election notice or filing, the day  
7 of the act or event from which the designated period of time begins to run is not included. The  
8 last day of the period so computed shall be included, unless it is a Saturday, a Sunday, or a legal  
9 holiday, in which event the period runs until 5:00 p.m. on the next day which is not a Saturday,  
10 a Sunday, or a legal holiday. If the period of time prescribed or allowed is less than seven days,  
11 intermediate Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays shall be excluded in the computation.

