## **State of South Dakota**

## EIGHTIETH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2005

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## SENATE BILL NO. 18

Introduced by: The Committee on State Affairs at the request of the Public Utilities Commission

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require the Public Utilities Commission to disburse
- 2 certain bond or other proceeds to affected customers.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That chapter 49-31 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
- 5 follows:
- 6 Upon receipt of any bond, letter of credit, or other proceeds that are payable to the
- 7 commission and were issued to protect the financial interests of customers of a
- 8 telecommunications company, the commission shall disburse the proceeds to affected customers
- 9 pursuant to chapter 1-26. Any interest and other revenue earned on the proceeds shall accrue for
- 10 the benefit of the affected customers.