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HOUSE BILL NO. 1234

Introduced by: Representatives Novstrup (Al), Dennert, Elliott, McLaughlin, and Thompson
and Senators Greenfield and Hoerth

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to adjust the period of time requiring the use of lighted
2 front and rear lamps on motor vehicles.

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

4 Section 1. That § 32-17-4 be amended to read as follows:

5 32-17-4. Every vehicle upon a highway within this state during the period from a half hour
6 ~~after~~ before sunset to a half hour ~~before~~ after sunrise and at any other time when there is not
7 sufficient light to render clearly discernible any person or object on the highway at a distance
8 of ~~two~~ five hundred feet ahead, shall be equipped with lighted front and rear lamps for the
9 different classes of vehicles as respectively required in §§ 32-17-1 to 32-17-26, inclusive; ~~for~~
10 ~~different classes of vehicles and subject to exemption with reference to lights on parked vehicles~~
11 ~~as declared. If the vehicle is parked or stopped on a highway, the vehicle shall be equipped with~~
12 lighted front and rear lamps as required in § 32-17-27. A violation of this section is a Class 2
13 misdemeanor.

