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SENATE EDUCATION ENGROSSED NO. SB 83 - 2/6/2018

Introduced by: Senators Rusch, Cammack, Nelson, Stalzer, and Youngberg and Representatives Smith, Duvall, Johnson, Lesmeister, Mickelson, Rasmussen, Reed, Rounds, and Turbiville

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to authorize certain patriotic societies access to public
- 2 schools.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That chapter 13-24 be amended by adding a NEW SECTION to read:
- 5 Representatives of a patriotic society shall be allowed to speak to students during regular
- 6 school hours at each public school in the state during the first quarter of each academic school
- 7 year. The patriotic society shall provide the school principal with verbal or written notice of the
- 8 patriotic society's intent to speak to the students to inform the students about the civic
- 9 involvement of the society, and to explain how students may participate in or join the patriotic
- society. A school principal has discretion over the time, place, and manner when representatives
- of a patriotic society are allowed to speak to students. A school principal may limit the
- opportunity to speak to students to the first quarter of the academic year.
- For purposes of this section the term, patriotic society, means organizations listed in title 36
- of the United States Code, as of July 1, 2018.

