



## 2020 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 3

Introduced by: **Senators** Brock Greenfield, Bolin, Ewing, Heinert, Langer, Stalzer, and White and **Representatives** Haugaard, Gosch, Gross, Chris Johnson, Mills, Sue Peterson, Qualm, and Jamie Smith at the request of the Executive Board

1 **An Act to revise certain provisions regarding documents of the Legislature.**

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

3 **Section 1.** That § 2-7-4 be REPEALED.

4 **2-7-4. Prefiling of bills and resolutions with Legislative Research Council--**  
5 **Rules for handling.**

6 **Section 2.** That § 2-7-5 be REPEALED.

7 **2-7-5. Numbering, printing and disposition of prefiled bills--Date of**  
8 **introduction.**

9 **Section 3.** That § 2-7-6.1 be AMENDED:

10 **2-7-6.1. Committee introduction of requested bills and resolutions.**

11 ~~No bill or joint resolution may be introduced in either house of the Legislature by~~  
12 ~~any committee thereof, except:~~

13 ~~(1) A bill or a joint resolution introduced by any standing committee of either house;~~

14 ~~(2) A bill or joint resolution referred to the Legislature from an interim committee of~~  
15 ~~the State Legislative Research Council;~~

16 ~~(3) A bill or joint resolution introduced at the request of the interim Rules Review~~  
17 ~~Committee, the interim Government Operations and Audit Committee, the interim~~  
18 ~~Retirement Laws Committee, the interim Joint Bonding Review Committee, and the~~  
19 ~~interim State Tribal Relations Committee by one or more committee members upon~~  
20 ~~majority vote of the interim committee; or~~

21 ~~(4) —~~

1           A bill or joint resolution may be introduced by any committee of either house of  
2 the Legislature at the request of the Governor, an executive agency or ~~of the~~ chief justice  
3 of the Supreme Court.

4           The committee ~~shall obtain~~ must receive a written request for ~~such the~~ introduction  
5 from ~~either the council, the~~ Governor, the department head of an executive agency, a  
6 constitutional officer or board, or the chief justice, and shall retain ~~such the~~ request in its  
7 file. ~~Committee bills~~ Bills introduced ~~on behalf of a department head of an executive~~  
8 ~~agency, a constitutional officer or board~~ under this section may be introduced by the  
9 chairman of the committee without a vote of the committee for purposes of pre-filing.  
10 ~~Nothing in this section prohibits one or more legislators from introduction of a bill or a~~  
11 ~~joint resolution.~~

12 **Section 4.** That § 2-7-7 be REPEALED.

13           **2-7-7. Officers to keep legislative journals--Custody and disposition of bills**  
14 **and documents.**

15 **Section 5.** That § 2-7-10 be REPEALED.

16           **2-7-10. Permanent journals as official record of proceedings.**

17 **Section 6.** That § 2-7-18 be REPEALED.

18           **2-7-18. Engrossment of bills and amendments.**

19 **Section 7.** That § 2-7-19 be REPEALED.

20           **2-7-19. Enrollment of bill after passage by both houses.**

21 **Section 8.** That § 2-16-10.2 be REPEALED.

22           **2-16-10.2. South Dakota Codified Laws provided to Legislature--Codified**  
23 **Laws and Administrative Rules provided to legislators.**