ENTITLED, An Act to require an additional mailing before a voter may be purged from the registration list.

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

Section 1. That § 12-4-19 be amended to read as follows:

12-4-19. The name of any voter on the active registration list who has failed to vote, has not updated the voter's registration information, and has not replied to a confirmation mailing at least once during the last preceding four consecutive years shall be sent a nonforwardable return-if-undeliverable address verification request. If the request is undeliverable, then a confirmation mailing prescribed by the State Board of Elections shall be sent. This determination shall be made by each county auditor between January first and November fifteenth of each odd numbered year.

Section 2. That chapter 12-4 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as follows:

Prior to the cancellation of a voter's registration as provided in § 12-4-19.4, a confirmation mailing shall be sent to the voter. If it is returned as undeliverable, the voter's name may be removed from the inactive registration list. This section applies to any voter who is on the inactive list on January 1, 1999.

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