State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1153

Introduced by: Representatives Duenwald, Brown (Jarvis), Fryslie, Lintz, and Wetz and Senators Madden and Albers

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise the distance requirements for certain hunting and
- 2 trapping activities.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 41-9-1.1 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 41-9-1.1. Except for controlled access facilities as defined in § 31-8-1, interstate highways,
- 6 unimproved section lines not commonly used as public rights-of-way, and highways within parks
- 7 or recreation areas or within or adjoining public shooting areas or game refuges posted for
- 8 restriction of an applicable use as hereinafter set forth by the Department of Game, Fish and
- 9 Parks, § 41-9-1 does not apply to fishing, trapping, or hunting on highways or other public
- rights-of-way within this state that meet the requirements of § 41-9-1.3. No person, except the
- adjoining landowner or any person receiving written permission from the adjoining landowner,
- may use such highways or rights-of-way for the purposes of hunting defined in this title within
- 13 six hundred sixty one thousand feet of an occupied dwelling, a church, schoolhouse, or livestock.
- No person, except the adjoining landowner or any person receiving written permission from the
- adjoining landowner, may use such highways or rights-of-way for the purpose of trapping within
- 16 six hundred sixty one thousand feet of an occupied dwelling, church, or schoolhouse. A violation



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- 1 of this section is a Class 2 misdemeanor. If any person is convicted of knowingly discharging a
- 2 firearm within six hundred sixty one thousand feet of any occupied dwelling, church, or
- 3 schoolhouse for which such distance has been clearly and accurately marked and posted, the
- 4 court shall, in addition to any other penalty, revoke the person's hunting privileges for a period
- 5 of one year from the date of conviction.