

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE BILL NO. 68

Introduced by: Senators Staggers, Greenfield, Madden, Moore, and Symens and  
Representatives McCaulley, Begalka, Klaudt, McCoy, Monroe, and Van  
Gerpen

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to limit state expenditures.

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

3 Section 1. The State of South Dakota's total annual expenditures may not increase more than  
4 the lesser of three percent or the index factor, as defined in section 2 of this Act, over the amount  
5 of state expenditures in the preceding year. Total annual expenditures include state, federal, and  
6 other funds. The Governor's proposed budget shall also meet the requirements of this Act.

7 Section 2. The index factor is the annual percentage change in the consumer price index for  
8 urban wage earners and clerical workers as computed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, United  
9 States Department for the preceding year.

