State of South Dakota

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HOUSE JUDICIARY ENGROSSED NO. $\overline{HB}\ 1140$ - 02/20/2015

Introduced by: Representatives Gibson, Hawks, and Kaiser and Senators Buhl O'Donnell, Bradford, Heinert, Hunhoff (Bernie), and Sutton

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to increase the crimes and lookback period to enhance the
- 2 penalty for violating a protection order.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 22-19A-16 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 22-19A-16. If a temporary protection order or a protection order is granted pursuant to
- 6 §§ 22-19A-8 to 22-19A-16, inclusive, and the respondent or person to be restrained knows of
- 7 the order, violation of the order is a Class 1 misdemeanor. If any violation of this section
- 8 constitutes an assault pursuant to § 22-18-1.1, the violation is a Class 6 felony. If a respondent
- 9 or person to be restrained has been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty to, two or more
- violations of this section or § 25-10-13, the factual basis for which occurred after the date of the
- second conviction, and occurred within five ten years of committing the current offense, the
- respondent or person to be restrained is guilty of a Class 6 felony for any third or subsequent
- offense. Any proceeding under §§ 22-19A-8 to 22-19A-16, inclusive, is in addition to other civil
- 14 or criminal remedies.