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HOUSE COMMERCE AND ENERGY ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1242** - 02/22/2016

Introduced by: Representatives Gibson, Bartling, Bordeaux, Brunner, Hawks, Hawley, Johns, Killer, Klumb, Munsterman, Rasmussen, Russell, Schoenfish, Schrempp, and Soli and Senators Buhl O'Donnell, Bradford, Heinert, Parsley, Peterson (Jim), Rusch, Soholt, and Sutton

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to authorize parents to request a security freeze for their
2 child's credit report until the age of eighteen.

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

4 Section 1. That § 54-15-3 be amended to read:

5 54-15-3. Any person who is a victim of identity theft and has submitted a valid police report
6 to a consumer reporting agency may elect to place a security freeze on that person's report by
7 making a request in writing by certified mail to a consumer reporting agency at an address
8 designated by the consumer reporting agency to receive such requests. This section does not
9 prevent a consumer reporting agency from advising a third party that a security freeze is in effect
10 with respect to the consumer's credit report. A custodial parent may request a security freeze on
11 the report of any of the parent's unemancipated minor children. The child does not need to be
12 a victim of identity theft and a police report is not necessary.

