## **State of South Dakota**

## NINETIETH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2015

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## SENATE BILL NO. 115

Introduced by: Senators Monroe, Haggar (Jenna), Jensen (Phil), and Rampelberg and Representatives Qualm, Kaiser, Schoenfish, and Zikmund

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require the state to assume the responsibility for legal
- 2 expenses of certain persons in the state's custody.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. If any person is in the custody of the Department of Corrections or any other state
- 5 agency, the state shall assume the responsibility for the legal expenses related to the criminal
- 6 prosecution of that person that occurs after the date the state took custody of the person.