

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1002

Introduced by: Representative Rausch and Senator Olson (Russell)

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for the redistricting of the Supreme Court  
2 appointment districts.

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

4 Section 1. That § 16-1-1 be amended to read as follows:

5 16-1-1. The state is divided into five Supreme Court districts from each of which a justice  
6 shall be selected as follows:

7 First District. The counties of ~~Fall River~~, Custer, Pennington, Lawrence, and Meade shall  
8 constitute the first Supreme Court district.

9 Second District. The county of Minnehaha ~~and that part of Lincoln County that is west of~~  
10 ~~South Dakota Highway 115 and north of 273rd street shall constitute~~ constitutes the second  
11 Supreme Court district.

12 Third District. The counties of Brookings, ~~Deuel~~, ~~Hamlin~~, Kingsbury, Moody, Miner,  
13 Sanborn, Beadle, Jerauld, Hand, Hyde, Hughes, Sully, Stanley, Brule, Buffalo, Jones, Jackson,  
14 Lyman, Mellette, Todd, Tripp, Bennett, Shannon, Fall River, Lake, and Haakon shall constitute  
15 the third Supreme Court district.



1 Fourth District. The counties of Union, Clay, Yankton, Hutchinson, Hanson, Davison, Bon  
2 Homme, Douglas, Aurora, ~~Brule~~, Charles Mix, Gregory, ~~Fripp, Lyman~~, McCook, Turner and  
3 ~~that part of Lincoln County that is not included in the second Supreme Court district shall~~  
4 constitute the fourth Supreme Court district.

5 Fifth District. The counties of Grant, Roberts, Day, Marshall, Clark, Brown, McPherson,  
6 Edmunds, Faulk, Potter, Walworth, Campbell, Corson, Dewey, Ziebach, Perkins, Butte,  
7 Codington, Spink, Deuel, Hamlin, and Harding shall constitute the fifth Supreme Court district.