

## 2022 South Dakota Legislature House Bill 1041 ENROLLED

AN ACT

## ENTITLED An Act to facilitate legislative oversight of settlement agreements involving a state entity or official.

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

## Section 1. That chapter 3-21 be amended with a NEW SECTION:

A nondisparagement or similar clause is void and unenforceable to prevent the communication or disclosure of facts to the Executive Board of the Legislative Research Council or the Government Operations and Audit Committee as to any state government activities associated with any settlement agreement to which the state, an agency thereof, or officer or employee thereof in an official capacity pursuant to chapter 3-19, is a party.

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I certify that the att the: House as Bill No. 104	cached Act originated in	Received at this Executive Office this day of, 2022 atM.
	Chief Clerk	By for the Governor
Attest:	Speaker of the House	The attached Act is hereby approved this day of , A.D., 2022
	Chief Clerk	Governor STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, SS. Office of the Secretary of State
Attest:	President of the Senate	Filed, 2022 at o'clockM.
	Secretary of the Senate	Secretary of State
House Bill No. <u>1041</u> File No Chapter No		By Asst. Secretary of State