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HOUSE BILL NO. 1084

Introduced by: Representatives Nelson (Stace), Greenfield, Hansen (Jon), Hoffman, Jensen, Kirkeby, Magstadt, Olson (Betty), Sly, Tornow, and Verchio and Senators Nygaard, Maher, and Vehle

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to require drug screening for county sheriffs.

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

3 Section 1. That chapter 7-12 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
4 follows:

5 No person may assume or occupy the office of county sheriff unless the person participates
6 in an ongoing drug screening program that is essentially similar to the drug screening program
7 provided for in §§ 23-3-64 to 23-3-69, inclusive. Failure to successfully participate in such a
8 drug screening program shall result in loss of certification as a law enforcement officer under
9 chapter 23-3.

