State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1155

Introduced by: Representatives Wick, Bolin, Brunner, Cronin, Haggar, Hickey, Jones, Kopp, Magstadt, Munsterman, Novstrup (David), Rausch, Tornow, Van Gerpen, and Verchio and Senators Holien, Brown, Lederman, Maher, Novstrup (Al), and Rhoden

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to regulate certain automatic periodic financial transfers for
- 2 the purpose of funding political contributions.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. No person may consent to any automatic payroll deduction or authorize any
- 5 automatic periodic checking account transfer for the purposes of enabling the recipient to make
- 6 political contributions to any candidates or causes unless:
- 7 (1) The consent or authorization is voluntary;
- 8 (2) The consent or authorization is entered into prior to any deduction;
- 9 (3) Each individual consent or authorization is supported by a separate consent or
- authorization form prescribed by the State Board of Elections.
- Each consent or authorization form shall be renewed at least annually or the consent or
- authorization is subject to expiration at the end of twelve months and becomes void.
- 13 Section 2. Any political contribution from any person to a recipient shall be remitted
- separately from contributions for dues, fees, or the payments to the recipient.

