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HOUSE BILL NO. 1172

Introduced by: Representatives Otten (Herman), Cronin, Ecklund, Heinert, Hunhoff (Bernie), Lust, Magstadt, Munsterman, Qualm, Rounds, Rozum, Sly, Solum, Stalzer, Tulson, Tyler, Verchio, and Wick and Senators Adelstein, Frerichs, Johnston, Kirkeby, Krebs, Maher, Otten (Ernie), Rave, and Soholt

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to appropriate money for enhancement of secondary career
- 2 and technical education.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. The secretary of revenue shall deposit the first one million five hundred thousand
- 5 dollars (\$1,500,000) of revenue collected pursuant to chapter 10-46A in the secondary career
- 6 and technical education enhancement fund which is hereby created in the state treasury. The
- 7 secondary career and technical education enhancement fund shall be used to provide grants to
- 8 school districts for secondary career and technical education program grants.
- 9 Section 2. There is hereby appropriated from the secondary career and technical
- enhancement fund the sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars (\$1,500,000), or so
- much thereof as may be necessary, to the Department of Education for allocation to school
- districts to provide funding for secondary career and technical education programs.
- Section 3. The secretary of the Department of Education shall distribute the funds
- appropriated by this Act to school districts through a competitive grant process. The secretary



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- shall promulgate rules, pursuant to chapter 1-26, to define the criteria used in awarding grants,
- 2 and to establish grant application procedures and timelines. When awarding grants, the secretary
- 3 shall give priority consideration to those programs that are innovative or enhanced, that are
- 4 collaborative efforts, or that include entrepreneurial activities, internships, or career guidance.
- 5 Section 4. The secretary of education shall approve vouchers and the state auditor shall draw
- 6 warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.
- 7 Section 5. Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated by June
- 8 30, 2014, shall revert in accordance with the procedures prescribed in chapter 4-8.