

State of South Dakota

NINETY-THIRD SESSION
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2018

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1254

Introduced by: Representative Johns and Senator Rusch

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions regarding conditional bonds in
2 domestic abuse actions.

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

4 Section 1. That § 25-10-23 be amended to read:

5 25-10-23. If an initial bond for the defendant in any domestic abuse action is authorized, a
6 condition of no contact with the victim shall be stated and incorporated into the terms of the
7 bond. Willful violation of any such no contact provision is a Class 1 misdemeanor. This
8 condition may be modified at the discretion of the court upon showing good cause pursuant to
9 the provisions of §§ 25-10-40 and 25-10-41.

