

State of South Dakota

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1006

Introduced by: Representatives Noem and Rausch and Senator Gray

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION, Proposing a constitutional amendment to revise the legislative vote
2 required to impose, increase, or authorize taxes.

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF SOUTH
4 DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

5 Section 1. That at the next general election held in the state, the following amendments to
6 Article XI, section 13 and section 14 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, as set
7 forth in sections 2 and 3 of this Joint Resolution, which is hereby agreed to, shall be submitted
8 to the electors of the state for approval.

9 Section 2. That Article XI, section 13 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, be
10 repealed.

11 ~~§ 13. The rate of taxation imposed by the state of South Dakota on personal or corporate~~
12 ~~income or on sales or services, or the allowable levies or the percentage basis for determining~~
13 ~~valuation as fixed by law for purposes of taxation on real or personal property, shall not be~~
14 ~~increased unless by consent of the people by exercise of their right of initiative or by two-thirds~~
15 ~~vote of all the members elect of each branch of the Legislature.~~



1 Section 3. That Article XI, section 14 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, be
2 amended to read as follows:

3 § 14. The rate of taxation imposed by the State of South Dakota in regard to any tax may not
4 be increased~~and~~, no new tax may be imposed, nor may any new tax or tax increase be
5 authorized by the State of South Dakota unless by consent of the people by exercise of their
6 right of initiative or by two-thirds vote of all the members elect of each branch of the
7 Legislature.