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SENATE EDUCATION ENGROSSED NO. **SB 105** - 2/18/2010

This bill has been extensively amended (hoghoused) and may no longer be consistent with the original intention of the sponsor.

Introduced by: Senators Garnos, Kloucek, and Maher and Representatives Van Gerpen, Juhnke, and Sorenson

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide a statutory reference for the code of ethics for
2 certified teachers and administrators.
3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
4 Section 1. That § 13-42-9 be amended to read as follows:
5 13-42-9. The secretary of the Department of Education may revoke or suspend any
6 certificate for any cause which would have prevented its issue, plain violation of contract, gross
7 immorality, incompetency, violation of the code of ethics ~~in effect on July 1, 2001~~, established
8 pursuant to § 13-43-25 or 13-43-45, as determined by the Professional Teachers Practices and
9 Standards Commission or the Professional Administrators Practices and Standards Commission,
10 or flagrant neglect of duty, and may suspend any certificate for a period not to exceed one year
11 for breaking or jumping a contract, if such suspension is requested by the school board.
12 However, the secretary may not suspend a certificate for breaking or jumping a contract if the
13 school board collected liquidated damages pursuant to the terms of the contract.

