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HOUSE ENGROSSED NO. **SB 143** - 03/05/2013

Introduced by: Senators Tidemann, Begalka, Hunhoff (Jean), and Peters and Representatives Hawley, Bolin, Erickson, Feinstein, Hawks, Hickey, Hoffman, Magstadt, Munsterman, Nelson, Peterson, Rozum, Solum, Tulson, Tyler, and Wismer

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain provisions regarding informational
2 directional signing on the interstate right-of-way.

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

4 Section 1. That § 31-29-80.1 be amended to read as follows:

5 31-29-80.1. The transportation commission shall ~~adopt~~ promulgate rules, pursuant to chapter
6 1-26, to provide for a directional sign program to provide directional information on the right-
7 of-way on the interstate and primary highway system for any business ~~establishments~~
8 establishment, including any attraction, offering goods and services in the interest of the
9 traveling public ~~on the right-of-way on the interstate and primary highway system.~~ The rules
10 shall be developed in conformance with the manual on uniform traffic control devices and shall
11 address permit application criteria; sign message and types of qualifying services; hours and
12 periods of operation; qualifying distance to services; business sign priority; sign and panel
13 locations and spacing; number and priority of signs per panel; sign and panel composition, size
14 and color requirements; legend requirements; exit ramp sign size, spacing and message content;



1 covering or removal of business signs; and erection and maintenance of signs and panels.

2 Section 2. That chapter 31-29 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
3 follows:

4 For the purposes of § 31-29-80.1, the term, attraction, means a business establishment of
5 regional significance with the primary purpose of providing amusement, historical, cultural, or
6 leisure activity to the public and has restroom facilities and drinking water and adequate parking
7 accommodations.