ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain programs and authorize certain projects in the Unified Judicial System and to make an appropriation therefor.

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

Section 1. There is hereby appropriated the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) in other fund expenditure authority, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Unified Judicial System court automation fund to the Unified Judicial System for the purpose of providing incentive payments to attorneys participating in the rural attorney assistance program.

Section 2. That § 16-23-4 be amended to read as follows:

16-23-4. An attorney licensed to practice in South Dakota is eligible to participate in the recruitment assistance pilot program established pursuant to this chapter. The attorney shall agree to practice in an eligible rural county for at least five years. No more than a total of thirty-two attorneys may participate in the program. No attorney may be added to the program after July 1, 2022.

Section 3. There is hereby appropriated the sum of three hundred thousand dollars (\$300,000) in other fund expenditure authority, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Unified Judicial System court automation fund to the Unified Judicial System for the purpose of renovating the Supreme Court law library in the state capitol building.

Section 4. There is hereby appropriated the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) in other fund expenditure authority, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the Unified Judicial System court automation fund to the Unified Judicial System for the purpose of awarding grants to counties for projects related to the improvement of courthouse security.

Section 5. The state treasurer shall transfer to the law enforcement officers training fund four hundred thousand dollars (\$400,000) from the Unified Judicial System court automation fund to help

address the negative cash balance in the law enforcement officers training fund.

Section 6. The Chief Justice of the South Dakota Supreme Court shall approve vouchers and the state auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.

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I certify that the attached Act originated in the

SENATE as Bill No. 178

Secretary of the Senate

President of the Senate

Attest:

Secretary of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Attest:

Chief Clerk

_____ Received at this Executive Office this _____ day of ______,

20_____ at ______ M.

By_____ for the Governor ------

The attached Act is hereby approved this _____ day of _____, A.D., 20____

Governor

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, Office of the Secretary of State

Filed _____, 20____ at _____ o'clock __ M.

Secretary of State

By _____ Asst. Secretary of State

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