

# State of South Dakota

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HOUSE ENGROSSED NO. **SB 198** - 02/27/2013

Introduced by: Senator Brown and Representative Cronin

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise the membership of the Judicial Qualifications  
2 Commission.

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

4 Section 1. That § 16-1A-2 be amended to read as follows:

5 16-1A-2. There is hereby created a Commission on Judicial Qualifications which shall  
6 consist of seven members:

7 (1) Two judges of the circuit court, elected by the judicial conference;

8 (2) Three members of the bar practicing law in this state, no more than two of whom  
9 may be of the same political party, appointed by ~~the president~~ a majority vote of the  
10 state bar commissioners; and

11 (3) Two citizens who are not ~~judges, retired judges or members of the state bar, and not~~  
12 of the same political party, appointed by the Governor.

13 The term of office for a commission member is four years. No person may serve more than  
14 two terms as a member of the commission.

